

What people have to say about mediation...

In a survey conducted in 2008 mediations participants had the following to share:

96% thought "the process was fair"

100% agreed "the mediator was respectful and listened to me"

85% believe "the settlement agreement was fair"

73% felt "the settlement agreement covered all issues raised"

95% "would recommend mediation to others".

It works!

"Mediation saves time and money and allows you to be actively involved in the resolution of your problem."

-Judge John Stanoch



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MEDIATING

your

Hennepin County
Conciliation Court

case

Fourth Judicial District Court

Fourth Judicial District Conciliation Court encourages the use of Mediation to settle your dispute.

Explanation of Mediation

Mediation is a voluntary process that brings disputing parties together in a neutral setting to resolve issues. The mediators are not judges and do not impose a solution, but are there to help the parties to communicate. They facilitate the discussion, ask questions, and write up any agreement the parties reach. The parties themselves decide on the actual agreement. At the end of the session, each party receives a copy of the agreement. Because the agreement reflects decisions made by the participants, mediated agreements enjoy high rates of compliance.

Examples of Disputes

- Purchases of goods/services
- Contracts
- Creditors and Debtors
- Damage to Property
- Employer/Employee
- Landlord/Tenant

Benefits of Mediation

- Quick
- Participant driven settlements
- Low cost (Contact organization for fee information)
- Mediate days, evenings or weekends
- Confidential
- Mediations can be promptly scheduled at the parties' convenience in a neutral setting at a chosen time and day



Providers

You may contact one of the programs listed or another mediation provider of your choice.



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