Center for Mediation & Dialogue

Presented by James Pardee



About Us

- Community program of the Mayor's Office
- Providing conflict resolution and restorative justice services and education to individuals and organizations in Washington County
- Established in 1988

Our mission is to provide conflict resolution and community-building services to create safer, more peaceful, and inclusive communities

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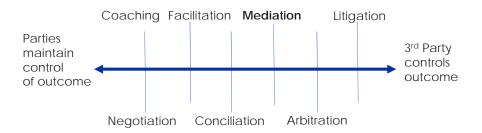
Programs & Services

- Community mediation:
 - Neighborhood, landlord/tenant, HOA, manufactured dwelling, business/consumer
- Foreclosure Avoidance Mediation
- Second Home
- Restorative Dialogue (Victim-Offender Dialogue)
- Workplace
- Metro Homeshare

- Mediation
- Facilitation
- Conflict management workshops
- · Conflict coaching

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Conflict Resolution Spectrum



"An ounce of mediation is worth a pound of arbitration and a ton of litigation!" — Joseph Grynbaum

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Community Mediation

Mediation is a **confidential** process in which an **impartial** person, a mediator, helps two or more parties **voluntarily** work towards a mutually acceptable, **self-determined** agreement.

- Free
- Confidential
- Voluntary



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Tenant-Landlord

- Eviction avoidance
- Neighbor noise complaints
- Smoking issues
- Security deposit conflicts
- Mold & maintenance issues
- · Coordinating right to entry

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Thanks for listening.

Questions?

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