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General Civil Mediation Resources and Practitioners

Individuals providing Mediation services to parties referred by this Court must have, at a minimum, the following qualifications:

- 1) Completion of SCAO approved training as a mediator. As in PA 286, "mediator" means an impartial, neutral person who assists parties in voluntarily reaching their own settlement of issues in a dispute and who has no authoritative decision-making power.
- 2) Have one or more of the following:
 - a) Juris doctor degree or graduate degree in conflict resolution; or
 - b) 40 hours of mediation experience over two years including mediation, co-mediation, observation, and role-playing in the context of mediation.
- 3) Observe two general civil mediation proceedings conducted by an approved mediator, and conduct one general civil mediation to conclusion under the supervision and observation of an approved mediator.

An applicant who has specialized experience or training, but does not meet the above requirements, may apply to the ADR Clerk for special approval.

MEDIATION SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH:

- 1) **CRS, Inc.** is a non-profit organization (www.CRSMediationTC.org) that operates in full compliance with Community Dispute Resolution Act. CRS volunteer mediators provide free and low cost mediation services for those who cannot afford to pay a private mediator and CRS assigns paid mediators to cases when appropriate. CRS can be reached at 231/941-5835 in Traverse City, Michigan, or [**CaseManager@CRSmediationtc.org**](mailto:CaseManager@CRSmediationtc.org)
- 2) The Court-Approved Mediators are listed below and continued on the following page.

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