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COUNTIES:
ARANSAS
BEE
LIVE OAK
MCMULLEN
SAN PATRICIO

October 28, 2019

Re: Ad Litem for Children in CPS cases

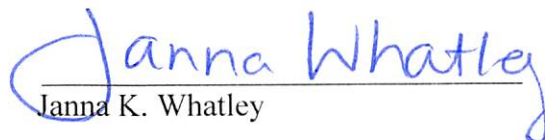
Dear Counsel:

Thank you for our interest in Child Advocacy cases in our 5 county district. The District Judges preside over these cases in 4 of the 5 Counties, and Judge Richard Bianchi, County Court at Law of Aransas County presides over these cases in Aransas County. Please contact Judge Bianchi's office in Aransas County if you wish to serve on cases there. The Family Code requires that all ad litem in these cases complete at least three (3) hours of CLE relating to child advocacy as soon as practicable after the appointment.

The district judges and the judge of the County Court at Law of Aransas County require three (3) hours annually for these appointments. If you are interested in being appointed to represent children in CPS cases in the District Courts, please let us know by filling out the attached request form and complete three (3) hours of CLE relating to child advocacy as soon as practicable after the appointment. Once the hours have been completed, please email it back as soon as possible to districtcourts@gmail.com.

Please remember on these appointments travel time is not compensated without prior court approval.

Sincerely,


Janna K. Whatley

Enclosure

REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT

I, _____, hereby request appointment ad litem for children in the following counties. I hereby state that I will complete three (3) hours of CLE relating to child advocacy as soon as practicable after my appointment and shall certify to the District Judges and Court at Law Judge of Aransas County of my completion of these hours. I also state that I will re-certify annually (December of each year) by sending verification to the District Judges and the Aransas County Court at Law Judge of my completion of the three (3) hours.

Signed this the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Name

Name: _____ Bar No. _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone Numbers: Office: _____

Cell: _____

Fax Number: _____

Counties Requested:

Aransas _____

Bee _____

Live Oak _____

McMullen _____

San Patricio _____