COUNTY CIVIL MEDIATION PREPARATIONS

Only For parties with an <u>Order of Referral to Mediation</u>; Disregard if set for Pre-trial Hearing and Mediation - no preparations needed

1.	PRO SE PLAINTIFF (NO ATTORNEY)
	Coordinate with Defendant, three dates and times both parties are available for mediation
	Complete a Mediation Scheduling Request Form (MSRF); add the three dates/times and specific courthouse to the Mediation Conference section of form (Time slots = 11:00; 1:00; 2:30; or OPEN)
	Email or Mail completed MSRF to Mediation Services Coordinator (contact information on form)
	Once you receive a Confirmation of Mediation Letter, be sure to pay mediation fees, to Clerk of Court (Room 2.22), at least 10 days prior to set date for mediation
	Bring receipt and any documentation/evidence you deem pertinent in assisting towards progress/clarifying issues in the mediation/negotiation process; if non-English speaking, please bring Interpreter/Translator
2.	PRO SE DEFENDANT (NO ATTORNEY)
	Make yourself available to be contacted by opposing party, to coordinate mediation dates
	Once you receive a Confirmation of Mediation Letter, be sure to pay mediation fees, to Clerk of Court (Room 2.22), at least 10 days prior to set date for mediation
	Bring receipt and any documentation/evidence you deem pertinent in assisting towards progress/clarifying issues in the mediation/negotiation process; if non-English speaking, please bring Interpreter/Translator
3.	PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY
	Coordinate with Defendant/opposing counsel, three dates and times both parties are available for mediation
	Complete a Mediation Scheduling Request Form (MSRF); add the three dates/times and specific courthouse to the Mediation Conference section of form (Time slots = 11:00; 1:00; 2:30; or, OPEN)
	Email or Mail completed MSRF to Mediation Services Coordinator (contact information is on form)
	Once Confirmation of Mediation Letter is received, file a Notice of Mediation with the Court
	Be sure your client has paid mediation fees, at least 10 days prior to set date for mediation; and, bring receipt to mediation
	Be sure your client brings any documentation/evidence you deem pertinent in assisting towards progress/clarifying issues in the mediation/negotiation process; if non-English speaking, please bring Interpreter/Translator
4.	DEFENDANT'S ATTORNEY
	Make yourself available to be contacted by opposing party/counsel, to coordinate mediation dates
	Once you receive a Confirmation of Mediation Letter, be sure your client pays mediation fees, to Clerk of Court (Room 2.22), at least 10 days prior to set date for mediation
	Bring receipt and any documentation/evidence you deem pertinent in assisting towards progress/clarifying issues in the mediation/negotiation process; if non-English speaking, please bring Interpreter/Translator