



SOLANO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR) INFORMATION

The judges of the Civil Division agree that parties should consider using Alternative dispute Resolution (ADR) to settle their cases. To tell the court you will use ADR:

- Choose ADR on the Case Management Statement (CM-110) *or*
- File a Stipulation and Order - ADR *or*
- Agree to ADR at your first court appearance

Questions? Call (707) 207-7413 or go to www.solano.courts.ca.gov/adr

The following information about the ADR Programs available at the Solano Court is provided in addition to the information in the attached brochure:

No Fee Mediation Program and a Pro Bono Mediation Program:

No Fee Mediation panelists are experienced mediators who recently completed 40 hours of focused mediation training. This program is available when ordered by the judge.

The Pro Bono Mediation panelists are the same mediators on the listing of mediators who provide their services without cost when ordered by the judge.

Request No Fee Mediation or Pro Bono Mediation by entering the program name on the Case Management Statement or on the Stipulation and Order – ADR (Alternative Dispute Resolution). Attach a declaration to the Stipulation and Order to ADR describing why mediation services should be provided without costs to the parties.

Private Mediation and Arbitration:

Parties may select a mediator or arbitrator of their choice including someone not on the listings maintained by the court. If a private mediator, arbitrator or evaluator is selected who is not on the court maintained listing, your selection must be approved by the court.

Fees:

Pursuant to Solano Superior Court Local Rules of Court 4.7 d and 4.8 d ADR fees shall be split equally by the parties at the rate set by the neutrals, unless otherwise ordered by the court.