

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO
DIVISION OF DOMESTIC RELATIONS AND JUVENILE BRANCH**

**APPLICATION FOR THE
GUARDIAN AD LITEM APPOINTMENT LIST**

Pursuant to Domestic Local Rule 15 and Juvenile Local Rule 27, I hereby apply to be eligible for appointment as a guardian ad litem for minor children in domestic relations and juvenile cases involving the allocation of parental rights, custody, visitation and related issues.

Name: _____ Telephone: _____
Supreme Court No. _____ Cell Phone: _____
Office Address: _____ FAX: _____
_____ Email: _____

Hourly rate: \$ _____ per hour. Under the local rules, the initial deposit upon appointment is \$800.00. If you are willing to accept a lesser amount or will require an additional deposit, please enter the amount: \$ _____

This application must be accompanied by:

- (1) a resume stating the applicant's training, experience and expertise demonstrating the applicant's ability to successfully perform the duties and responsibilities of the guardian ad litem. You may also include any other training or experience, including foreign language proficiency, that would be helpful in the role of a guardian ad litem;
- (2) a copy of the applicant's certificate for completing the required pre-service training;
- (3) a copy of the applicant's criminal background check;
- (4) the applicant's original background disclosure statement.

Incomplete applications will not be accepted and will be returned to you for completion.

I certify that the information herein is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief and that I have read and understand the duties and obligations of a guardian ad litem as set forth in the Local Rules of the Court.

Signature

Date: _____

Submit the completed application and accompanying documentation to:

Charles Jones
Administrative Domestic Magistrate
Domestic Relations and Juvenile Court
373 South High St. Third Floor
Columbus, OH 43215