

EAST CENTRAL PROGRAM

The latest news and updates from Early Settlement Mediation-EC



IMPORTANT DATES:

DIRECTOR OUT OF OFFICE- OCT. 9-13, 2023 ON ANNUAL LEAVE.

OFFICE CLOSURE- OCTOBER 10-11 ,2023 FOR FALL BREAK ON ECU'S CAMPUS

CHECK YOUR EMAILS FOR A VOLUNTEER LUNCH NEAR YOU!



Angela White

Volunteer of the Month

Volunteer of the Month- Angela White

by Jorjia Cash, Director

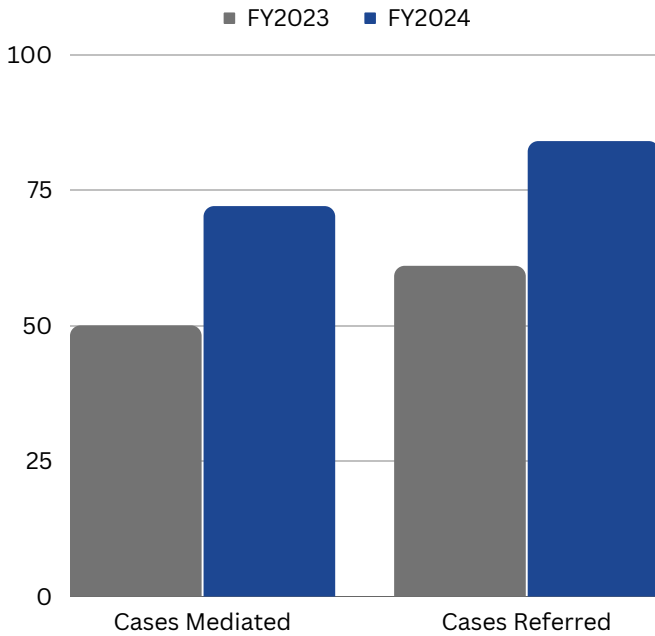
Angela White is the Volunteer of the Month for September 2023. Angela has been a volunteer mediator since 2019. Angela mostly serves the Garvin County area. She is certified in Basic Mediation and has been working on becoming a certified family/divorce mediator.

During her the mediation trainings, she has learned that each case you mediate is just different. She also learned to be flexible, because just you think a case is settled, it might not be until it's written down and the Judge has signed off on it.

When Angela gets a case that does not opt for settling, she just thanks both parties for attempting the session and wishes them the best of luck.

When Angela is not volunteering with us or working in the Garvin County Sheriff's Office, she likes to go fishing and spending as much time with her family as she can!

On behalf of the East Central Program I want to thank Angela for being such a dedicated volunteer mediator and making her community more peaceful around her!



Mediation Stats FY 2024:

- **40 Basic Referrals**
 - 39 Mediated
- **41 Family/Divorce Referrals**
 - 30 Mediated
 - 30 Sessions
- **3 Permanency Referrals**
 - 3 Mediated
- **0 Guardianship Referral**
 - 0 Mediated

TOTAL: 84 Referrals

72 Cases Mediated

*These numbers are for July- August 2023



Congratulations to Cati McGee on receiving her Basic Mediation Certification. Cati attended basic mediation training in April 2023 and worked with the Oklahoma County Program during the summer. She will be working with us while attending ECU.

Agreement Info:

- **39 Basic Cases Mediated**
 - 29 Agreements
- **30 Family Cases Mediated**
 - 24 Agreements
- **3 Permanency Cases Mediated**
 - 2 Agreements
- **0 Guardianship Cases Mediated**
 - 0 Agreements

TOTAL: 72 Cases Mediated

55 Agreements

*Agreements are cases that ended in full or partial agreement. Numbers are for July - August 2023



Our First Garvin County Volunteer Lunch was in August 2023. Garvin County Volunteer Mediators met with Jorjia Cash at the Pig Shop. Picture are Jorjia Cash, Angela White, Patty Johnson and Richard McClain. Thank you for all you do!