

**RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR PIERCE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
TITLE 11 GUARDIAN AD LITEM REGISTRY**

This application is for Guardians ad Litem currently serving on the Pierce County Superior Court Title 11 Guardian ad Litem Registry.

THIS IS PUBLIC INFORMATION

This is my **renewal** application to serve as a Guardian ad Litem in Pierce County, State of Washington as required under Title 11. I hereby certify under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that my renewal application is true and correct. Please **check each box** where contact information has changed since last year's application was submitted.

Date Signed: 3/16/09 Signature: *Julie Weigand-Carey, MA*

WSBA # and Year Admitted: #181173 1989

Printed Name: Julie Weigand-Carey, MA

[] Business Address: 1020 Ernest S. Brazell St., Ste. A

[] City: Tacoma State: WA Zip Code: 98405

[] E-Mail Address: jc Carey@harbarnet.com

[] Business Telephone Number: (253) 627-8053 [] FAX: (253) 627-8203

Bilingual: No If so, in what language(s): _____

Please indicate the date, county and sponsor where you are enrolled, for the one day mandatory training (only approved training qualifies): April 14, 2009 King / KCB.A
DATE: COUNTY/SPONSOR

Please include the dates and sponsor of the initial two day training that you previously completed:

Training Sponsored by. (Name) King County Bar Association
(Address) 1200 5th Ave, Ste 600
Seattle, WA 98101
(County) King (Dates) May 2000
(Phone) (206) 267-7004

NOTE: Only this application may be utilized. Late applications shall **not** be accepted for any reason. All questions **must** be answered in the order in which they are given: Answers that only refer to a resume or vitae are **not** acceptable although a resume is required and you may attach supporting materials. Please return completed application, resume and any materials by **March 20, 2009 4:30 PM** to:

Pierce County Superior Court Administrator
Room 334, County City Building
930 Tacoma Ave South
Tacoma, WA 98402-2108

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A. Please report the first year you served on the RCW 11.88 Guardian ad Litem Registry in **Pierce County**. Please list any years where there was a break in service.

2000 - No breaks in service.

B. Number of appointments you have received as a Guardian ad Litem and the county or counties of appointment during the last Registry year, 7/1/08 to 3/31/09:

All Pierce County 43 appointments from 7/1/08 - 3/31/09

C. Percentage of your total case load that RCW 11.88 Guardian ad Litem work represents overall:

100% of legal workload
75% of total workload

D. Criminal history, as defined in RCW 9.94A.030: A current and completed Washington State Patrol Conviction Criminal History Record must be received by the Court. If not attached, the expected date the Court will have the record: _____

See attached.

E. Have you ever been accused of, found guilty of, or been a victim of **either** domestic violence or an anti-harassment action? Yes _____ No . If **yes**, please explain.

F. Evidence of your knowledge, training, and experience, in the following areas, pursuant to RCW 11.88.090 (3) (b) (I). You must complete **in full** the information requested below, in the space provided, in addition to attaching a required resume or vitae. However, answers that only refer to a resume or vitae are **not** acceptable .

1) The number of times you have been removed for failure to perform duties as Guardian ad Litem. For each removal, give a brief explanation, with the county, case name, cause number, and attach all relevant documents from the court file along with a copy of the court order. 0

2) Please list all other trainings you have attended, the month/year attended and the materials covered in each training you attended. Intensive medication training 4/06; Collaborative Professional Training 11/06; Alzheimer's Disease & other forms of Dementia 10/07

I also certify the following:

G. I will successfully complete the Guardian ad Litem training required by the Pierce County Superior Court and under the laws of the State of Washington (only approved

training qualifies) under the laws of the State of Washington and immediately submit my Certificate of Attendance.

AGREE DISAGREE

H. My normal hourly rate is \$ 200-. My hourly rate to serve as Guardian ad Litem in guardianships is \$ 150-

I. I am presently not serving, nor have I recently applied to serve, as a Judge or Commissioner pro tempore in Pierce County Superior Court. I understand that I am not permitted to serve in both capacities.

AGREE DISAGREE

J. I have no criminal history or license suspension or revocation.

AGREE DISAGREE

K. I am not the subject of any pending investigation or action by a government agency, professional organization or one that would result in either a criminal conviction or a license revocation or suspension.

AGREE DISAGREE

L. I have read and understand the applicability to me and agree to be bound and governed by the Pierce County Superior Court Administrative Policy #3 for the Title 11 Guardian ad Litem Registry.

AGREE DISAGREE

M. I have read, signed, returned and understand the applicability to me of the Pierce County Superior Court Administrative Policy #4 Title 11 Guardian ad Litem. Code of Conduct and agree to be bound and governed by the Code of Conduct.


AGREE DISAGREE

N. I have completed in full, signed and attached the confidential supplement to this renewal application .

AGREE DISAGREE

If you disagree for **any** above (G-N) please explain in full:

I certify that I have thoroughly studied the provisions and requirements of Title 11 and believe I am fully qualified to be appointed as Guardian Ad Litem for Guardianships in Pierce County, Washington.

Signature		Date of signing	<u>3/6/09</u>
Print Name	<u>Julie Deigand-Carey, WA</u>	Place of signing	<u>Tacoma, WA</u>

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POLICY 4

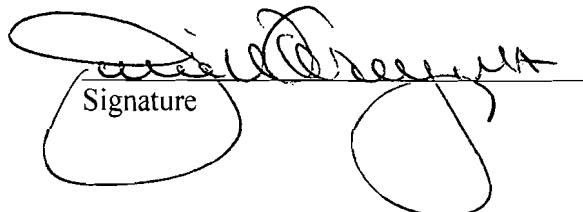
**PIERCE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
RCW 11.88 GUARDIAN AD LITEM
CODE OF CONDUCT**

All Guardian ad Litem's shall fully comply with this Code of Conduct and the requirements of Superior Court GALR, effective 11/01:

1. The appointed Guardian ad Litem shall decline the appointment if they are not qualified, competent, or able to complete the matter in a timely manner.
2. The Guardian ad Litem shall maintain the ethical principles of their own profession in addition to compliance with this Code of Conduct.
3. The Guardian ad Litem shall promptly advise the court of any grounds for disqualification or unavailability to serve.
4. The Guardian ad Litem shall avoid self-dealing or association from which the Guardian ad Litem might directly or indirectly benefit, other than from compensation as a Guardian ad Litem.
5. The Guardian ad Litem shall not guarantee or create the impression that any portion of the investigation will remain confidential, and shall inform all witnesses that the information gathered by the Guardian ad Litem must be reported to the court.
6. All records, including contemporaneously maintained time and expense records, of the Guardian ad Litem shall promptly be made available to the parties and their attorneys for review upon request, without formal discovery request(s) being made. Copies of the records may be made by the parties and their attorneys under circumstances that assure that the file remains complete, organized and intact.
7. Once admitted to the RCW 11.88 Registry, all Guardian ad Litem's shall fully comply with all continuing education requirements established under Pierce County Local Rules and GALR, as amended.
8. The Guardian ad Litem shall report to D.S.H.S. and the court, any adult abuse as defined in RCW 74.34.020(2).

The undersigned acknowledges receipt of the foregoing, has read the same and GALR, and agrees to be governed by all.

3/6/09
Date


Signature

JULIE WEIGAND-CAREY
City Center Counseling Services, PLLC
620 Earnest S. Brazill St., Ste. A
Tacoma, WA 98405
Bus. (253) 627-8053

Social Services Related Experience

City Center Counseling Services, P.L.L.C., Registered Counselor (WA #00052939), Co-Founder, Board Eligible National Certified Counselor, working toward Washington State Marriage and Family Therapist licensure and Washington State Mental Health Counselor licensure, Tacoma, Washington
March 1, 2006 to present.

Good Samaritan Behavioral Health Services, Child and Family Services, Clinical Intern and Volunteer Clinician, Puyallup, Washington
September 1, 2005 to January 5, 2007.

Certified Guardian ad Litem RCW 11.88, Pierce County, Washington
July 2000 to present.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Tacoma/Pierce County, Tacoma, Washington
Caseworker, July 1984 - May 1986

Sumner School District, Sumner, Washington
In-House Suspension Supervisor, Pep Club Advisor, and Food Service Secretary,
November 1983 - July 1984

Saint Ann's Home, Tacoma, Washington
Cottage Supervisor, October 1982 - October 1983

Excelsior Group Home, Spokane, Washington
Group Counselor, July 1982 - October 1982

Spokane County Juvenile Detention Facility, Spokane, Washington
Security Officer, March 1982 - October 1982
(Internship to June 1982, then "on-call" to October 1982)

Education

St. Martin's University, Lacey, Washington
Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology, July 2006

Seattle University School of Law, Tacoma, Washington
Juris Doctorate, May 15, 1988
President of Women's Law Caucus, 1986 - 1987

Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana
Bachelor of Science in Social Justice, 1982
Internship in conjunction with Montana State University and Spokane County Juvenile
Detention Center, Spokane, Washington, March 1982 - June 1982 .
National Student Exchange, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia
September 1980- June 1981

Additional Employment Experience

Weigand & Lee, P.L.L.C., Tacoma, Washington
Attorney, Member/Co-Owner from June 16, 1997 to present
Emphasis in Family Law
RCW 11.88 Guardianship Guardian ad Litem under contract with Pierce County

Pierce County Superior Court, Commissioner Pro Tem, Tacoma, Washington
September 20, 1996 to May 2000.

Gordon, Thomas, Honeywell, Malanca, Peterson & Daheim, P.L.L.C., Tacoma,
Washington
Attorney, Member from August 1, 1994 – June 15, 1997
Contract Attorney, July 1, 1993 - July 31, 1994
Emphasis in Family Law, Co-Chair of Personal Law Group

Vandenberg, Johnson & Gandara (formerly Vandenberg & Johnson), Tacoma, Washington
Associate Attorney, August 1989 to June 30, 1993
Emphasis in Family Law; also practiced Civil and Commercial Litigation and Estate
Planning

Department of Assigned Counsel, Tacoma, Washington
Temporary Attorney I, Summer 1989
Public defense in misdemeanor and gross misdemeanor criminal matters.

Miller, Rovai, Orlando, Helbling & Marshall, Tacoma, Washington
Intern, March 1987 - May 1987
Rule 9 Intern, May 1987 - May 1989
Associate Attorney, June 1989

Pierce County Prosecutor's Office, Tacoma, Washington
Legal Intern, Civil Division, September 1986 - March 1987

Professional Affiliations

American Mental Health Counselors Association
American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children
Department of Social & Health Services Division of Children and Family Services
Contractor
Crime Victims Compensation Mental Health Provider/Contractor
International Academy of Collaborative Professionals

Washington State Bar Association member since 1989
Tacoma-Pierce County Bar Association member since 1989
 Immediate Past President 1999
 President 1998 (Distinction of being first female President)
 Vice President 1997
Tacoma-Pierce County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division 1989 - 1995
 President 1994
 President Elect 1993
 Secretary 1991 and 1992
Tacoma-Pierce County Bar Association Family Law Section member since 1988
 Secretary-Treasurer 1991
 Trustee 2001
 President 2002
 Board Member 2003
American Bar Association member 1989 through 2005
Washington Women Lawyers, Pierce County Chapter, member from 1989-1999
Washington State Trial Lawyers member from 1990-2000

Certificate of Completion

King County Bar Association

Julie Weigand-Carey

2009 Washington State

RCW 11.88.090 Guardianship

Guardian ad Litem Training

Re-Certification, April 24, 2009

April 24, 2009: 5.50 General & 1.00 Ethics for a Total of 6.50 CLE Credits Approved (approval # 227 029)

5.75 Certified Professional Guardian Credits Approved for April 24, 2009 (4.75 General & 1.00 Ethics)



Roxanne Mennes, Education Director, King County Bar Association