



Barney Connaughton, Esq. is on NCRC's Divorce Mediation Panel

Mr. Connaughton is a mediator and attorney, and has been practicing Family Law in San Diego for 14 years. His practice has focused on providing clients with options so they can divorce in a healthy way, including mediation and Collaborative Divorce. He is a board member and Vice President of the San Diego Family Law Council for Children, a group focused on protecting children from the process of divorce. He serves as a Settlement Judge in South San Diego family law cases.

RESOLUTION EXPERTISE

- Mr. Connaughton has handled a variety of divorce mediations since 2003
- He has been exclusively handling divorce and family law related matters as an attorney since 1993.

REPRESENTATIVE CASES

- Divorce and Paternity cases involving child sharing issues
- Cases involving child and spousal support issues
- Divorce and Legal Separation cases with a wide variety of property division related issues

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- NCRC Divorce Mediation Panel, 2007 to present
- Family Law Attorney and Mediator, Law Office of Barney Connaughton, 2006- to present
- Family Law Attorney and Mediator, Slovinsky & Slovinsky, 1997-2006
- Family Law Attorney, Connaughton, Crowe & Frame, 1993-1997

SPECIAL HONORS AND MEMBERSHIPS

- Collaborative Family Law Group of San Diego
- International Academy of Collaborative Professionals
- San Diego County Bar Association, Family Law Section
- State Bar of California

- San Diego Family Law Council for Children, Board Member and Vice President
- San Diego Chapter of California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists, affiliate member
- Waldorf School of San Diego, School Board Member
- San Diego Volunteer Lawyers Program Panel Member (former)

EDUCATION

- California Western School of Law, J.D., 1992
- University of California, Davis, B.A. in English and Political Science, 1989

PUBLICATIONS

- San Diego Family Law Council For Children Newsletter
- Spring/Summer 2006- Divorce Innovations- Alternatives to the Traditional Divorce Process
- Fall 2005- Collaborative Divorce, An Alternative Dispute Resolution Process Whose Time Has Come
- Fall 2004-High Conflict Personalities, a Discussion with Bill Eddy