

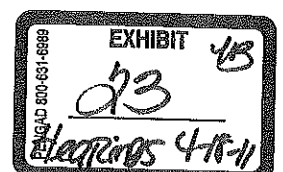
Attachment A

Judge Stokes

Magistrate Court Mediation Program
Participant Survey
July 2010 through January 2011

	1 - Strongly Disagree	2 - Disagree	3-Neutral	4 - Agree	5 - Strongly Agree
The space was satisfactory.	2.3%	6.8%	18.9%	43.2%	31.1%
The mediators were knowledgeable and well-trained.	1.5%	1.5%	9.6%	39.3%	49.6%
The mediation was helpful and beneficial.	5.2%	8.2%	15.7%	32.8%	43.3%
The amount of time allotted for the mediation was sufficient.	2.3%	0.0%	1.5%	37.4%	61.1%
The Court (and staff) was professional and courteous.	1.6%	0.0%	3.1%	29.5%	67.4%
The judge's instructions were clear and easily understood.	1.6%	0.0%	.8%	31.8%	67.4%
The parking was adequate.	3.9%	13.2%	7.8%	33.3%	45.7%
Travel time and mileage to Mediation Court was reasonable.	14.0%	22.8%	20.2%	24.6%	32.5%

*During the first six months of the program, Magistrate Court mediations were conducted at the Highland Township Summary Court building in Tigerville, S.C. In response to concerns about travel time to the mediations, the program was moved in January 2011 to Greenville County Square, which is more centrally located.



**Upstate Mediation Center
Magistrate Court Mediation Statistics
July 2010-January 2011**

Settlement Status		Originating Court	
Settled Prior to Mediation	11	Butler	18
Settled at Mediation	56	Cagle	16
Settled Between Mediation and Trial	13	Common Pleas	1
Settlement Subtotal:	80	Ford	17
Impasse	19	Foster	23
		Foster/Butler	1
Grand Total	99	Garrett	1
		Hubbard	3
		Hudson	3
		Simms	12
		Stokes	2
		Taylor	2
Litigants Served			
Number of Litigants Served	203		
Average Litigants Served/Month	29		
12 Month Projection Approximation	360		
Average Cases Mediated/Month	12.375		
File Date		Mediation Date	
2004	1%	July-10	10%
2005	2%	August-10	13%
2006	1%	September-10	21%
2007	9%	October-10	15%
2008	18%	November-10	14%
2009	31%	December-10	18%
2010	37%	January-11	8%

Age of Cases
Average Age in Days

522.15