

Mark McCarty

**STATEMENT OF INTEREST**  
**DISPUTE RESOLUTION COMMITTEE**  
**AT-LARGE MEMBER**

I have worked as an attorney full-time since 1979 in a variety of roles. The large majority of my work has been representing parties in labor and employment disputes. I have represented individual employees, labor unions, and employers, usually public employers. I have worked for the federal government, local governments, law firms, and as a solo practitioner. I have witnessed the growth of independent arbitration and mediation from a creative idea to its widespread acceptance today. I have used arbitration and mediation in my work as an advocate, and I have served as an arbitrator and mediator in isolated cases.

I ceased being a full-time attorney in late 2023 and spent a year traveling and adjusting to the new rhythm in my life. I now am focused solely on working as an arbitrator/mediator. I would appreciate the opportunity to assist the Dispute Resolution Committee and to give-back to the legal community. My background can be found in more detail at: <https://mccartydisputeresolution.com>