

# Adult Guardianship Committee

## Minutes for Friday, January 12, 2024

- I. Approval of Minutes
  - Approved in batch for August, October, and November 2023 meetings (Roesener/Meltzer)
- II. Updates from Judicial Officers and OJA Staff
  - Present – Bradley; Meltzer; Osterday; Roesener; Vandermoere
  - Staff – Parker, IOCS; Robinson, IOCS
- III. Review of Cases, Trainings, and Resources
  - *Hunter v. Hoeller*, 2023 Ind. App. Unpub. LEXIS 967 (August 21, 2023)
  - Family Law Taskforce GAL Guidelines
    - Will likely not apply to adult guardianship cases, but have not officially been published yet
  - Upcoming Legislative Session
    - Review of bills that might impact adult and minor guardianship in the future
  - Adult Guardianship Office Annual Symposium set for Thursday, June 27 (hybrid on Zoom)
- IV. Action Items
  - Handling minor guardianship issues in the future (including benchbook)
    - Committee assented to plans that would create one “Guardianship Benchbook” and logistical arrangements that might, if approved, affect the scope of the committee overall
  - Update on brochures for probate courts
    - Committee approved the mock-up text version of Brochure #1
    - Mock-up to be created and re-shared with the committee in the future
  - ACL grant – still forthcoming
    - IOCS staff will have more updates at the next meeting in March
  - NGA training materials – attempting to host online

Minutes approved on March 8, 2024.