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## What Counsel Say About Judge Denlow's Mediation Style and Skills

- The settlement agreement in this dispute has now been signed. Thanks very much for your help. It's always a pleasure to work with you.
- We appreciate all of your fine efforts, diligence, and creativity – all of which were needed to arrive at a settlement. It was great working with you.
- Thank you again for your help in getting this matter resolved. Your approach and insight were invaluable.
- I continue to receive praise from Dana, Michael & Pat for your very skilled mediating, and yesterday I was able to witness that first hand! When we started I was not certain we could get it done, and I believe you're the reason the two parties eventually came together.
- Thank you for your dedication and assistance today, and for helping to keep the dialogue open.
- Thank you, again, for your superb help.
- Your efforts yesterday were greatly appreciated by me and my client. And I am so pleased that we could keep your record intact. I look forward to further opportunities to work with you and won't hesitate in the least to recommend you to others.
- Thanks, Judge Denlow. We obviously couldn't have achieved this settlement without your able assistance. It was a real pleasure to meet and work with you and counsel to get this done. Thanks again.
- Thank you for your assistance yesterday. Your approach was critical to getting over the lengthy history between the parties.
- Thanks, Judge, for your help. Your careful and reasonable analysis was tremendously helpful. On a personal note, it was a real pleasure to meet and to work with you.
- Thank you for your great assistance, persistence, and wise counsel. We all appreciate the skills you bring to the table.
- Thank you, Judge Denlow, for your persistence and hard work in bringing the parties together. We couldn't have done it without you!
- Thanks judge. It took a miracle worker to get that one done!
- Let me echo [opposing counsel's] appreciation for your terrific efforts in helping the parties bring this matter to an end.
- Thank you, Judge Denlow—this could not have happened without you.
- Thank you, Judge. This feels like the right result, and we have a satisfied client.
- Thank you for your message, and especially for your hard work yesterday in bringing a difficult situation to a definitive end. Only the best are able to settle the very hardest cases.
- I also wanted to thank you privately for getting this one done. I don't have nearly the number of mediations under my belt as you, but this was the most frustrating of my career. Your particular skills and demeanor got us there, and I am grateful....
- Thank you for your hard work and expert assistance. From plaintiff's side, I can say with confidence that it would not have settled without your thoughtful and sensitive approach.
- Thank you, Judge Denlow, for all your help. My client is thrilled with the resolution and to have [the case] behind him.
- Thank you for your patience and time last night. I know that we interrupted your plans, and we are greatly appreciative of your commitment to help us broker a deal. It would not have [happened] otherwise.

- Thank you for your great efforts yesterday. It is much appreciated by me personally, and I know by [the parties] as well.
- Thank you, Judge. Your assistance yesterday was invaluable.
- Writing to let you know that the parties have executed and exchanged settlement agreements. Thank you for your assistance and persistence in helping to get this matter resolved.
- Thank you for your time and effort in settling this matter. We look forward to the next opportunity to work together.
- I know I speak for all concerned in expressing appreciation for your guidance in resolving this case.
- First, thank you for your excellent mediation skills last Thursday; the successful result obtained through your efforts was most welcome to those of us on the...team. We thought your professional analysis and skilled "shuttle diplomacy" was precisely what we sought.
- Thank you for your time and diplomatic assistance in resolving this matter.
- Thank you for your patience and assistance with the parties' settlement. It was a pleasure working with you.
- Thank you, Judge Denlow. And thank you for your difficult but effective work Monday and yesterday in helping us reach an agreement.
- We appreciate your diligence in helping the parties reach an agreement under very difficult circumstances.
- I also wanted to let you know that my client ended up being very happy with the result, her qualms about settling have disappeared (which made me feel much better) and is very appreciative of your efforts. She is looking forward to a new life, after being in limbo for several years.
- Judge Denlow, thank you for working with the parties to get a mutually satisfactory resolution to the issues. Your ability to understand the issues and to communicate the positions of both parties was very helpful.