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Facilitator Biographies

Hon. Marshall B. Murray

Marshall Murray currently serves in the civil/probate court assignment in Milwaukee County, Wisconsin. Previous assignments have included being presiding judge of family court, children's court, domestic violence court, and misdemeanor court. He was appointed to the bench by Wisconsin Governor Tommy Thompson in November 1999, and he was elected to the circuit court in 2000. From 1996-1999, he served as a Milwaukee County judicial court commissioner, and from 1992-1996 he served in the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office as head of the domestic violence unit. Judge Murray is a past member of the board of directors for the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, has been a national advisor to the Battered Women's Justice Project, and served as a member of the Wisconsin Sentencing Commission. Judge Murray has lectured extensively throughout the nation on domestic violence. He is currently a lecturer and board member of the National Training Center on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault in Austin, Texas. Judge Murray is a faculty member of the National Judicial Institute on Domestic Violence. He was a lead teacher and tutor for KAPLAN, Inc. for 14 years, where he instructed students on test taking skills for the LSAT, ACT, MCAT, and GMAT. Recently, he returned to teaching for KAPLAN. Also, he was the program administrator for the United States Youth Soccer Region II Boys' and Girls' Olympic Development Program. He graduated from

Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts, with a BA in political science, and he attained his JD in June 1986 from New England School of Law in Boston, Massachusetts.

Hon. Rosemary Collins (Ret.)

Rosemary Collins served as presiding judge of the Family Division and the Domestic Violence Division of the 17th Judicial Circuit Court, State of Illinois. before recently retiring after almost thirty years on the bench. During her tenure she established one of the first courthouse-located domestic violence assistance offices and founded Children's Safe Harbor, a safe visitation and exchange facility that also provides free supervised visitation for domestic violence victims and their families. She implemented a dedicated coordinated domestic violence court, combining both civil and criminal courts, that was recognized by the U.S. Department of Justice for its innovative practices and designated as a national mentor court. She was instrumental in securing millions of dollars in grants to work on improving domestic violence services in her area. She also established a small claims mediation project that provides free trained mediators to self-represented litigants. She is part of a team that provides immigration law training to state court judges across the country, is working on establishing a family justice center in her community, and serves as chair of the 17th Circuit Court Coordinating Council.

Lonnie Weiss

Lonnie Weiss is president of Weiss Consulting, LLC. She is a professional meeting facilitator who approaches complex, large-scale issues with human-scale sensibilities. She designs and facilitates strategic planning and policy development processes that elicit the wisdom, creativity, and cooperative spirit within the participants. Ms. Weiss' meetings incorporate clear objectives, explicit agendas, intentional use of small group engagement, and an emphasis on strengths. She has extensive experience supporting multi-stakeholder projects, including a regional environmental impact study and three national task forces on domestic violence and sexual assault in the military. Ms. Weiss facilitated the group that developed the *Greenbook*, policy and practice guidelines for effective intervention in domestic violence and child protection cases, published by the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges in 1999. She helped design and facilitated the Crossing Borders regional meetings on full faith and credit for the National Center for State Courts in

2004. Ms. Weiss holds a BS in developmental psychology from Cornell, an MA in organizational communication from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and the Certified Professional Facilitator designation from the International Association of Facilitators. She teaches meeting design in the organization development and leadership masters program at Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine (PCOM) in Philadelphia, PA.

Chrissie Bonner

Chrissie Bonner is principal at Illustrating Progress. She is an organizational development practitioner and illustrator. Her interest in visual work is founded in an appreciation for deeper levels of listening, cultivating the mindsets necessary for transformative change, and for designing environments for people to be creative and do their best thinking. Prior to starting Illustrating Progress in 2015, Ms. Bonner worked in philanthropy, supporting the capacitybuilding and leadership efforts of more than 200 nonprofits in the Greater Philadelphia region. In 2018, she collaborated with Jefferson Health Systems and Jefferson University Chief Executive Officer, Dr. Steve Klasko to illustrate and publish Bless This Mess: A Picture Story of Healthcare in America. Ms. Bonner is the graphic recorder for this Summit and also created all of the illustrations in your workbook. She studied studio art and art history at Temple University and arts administration at Drexel University. She also studied organizational development and leadership in the School of Professional and Applied Psychology at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine (PCOM).