

# Harris County Emeritus Attorney Pro Bono Indigent Guardianship Project



## HVL P

HOUSTON VOLUNTEER LAWYERS PROGRAM

Are you an inactive attorney who has left the legal field, but interested in keeping your legal skills sharp? Are you retired with the time to donate your legal skills? Do you have guardianship law experience or an interest in learning about this area of law?

The Harris County Emeritus Attorney Pro Bono Indigent Guardianship Project is available to inactive and retired Texas attorneys and those attorneys licensed in another state but residing in Texas. Under this program, an attorney may be certified to practice law as a volunteer of the Houston Bar Association's Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program (HVL P) under the supervision of an HVL P volunteer or staff attorney. The requirements for Emeritus Attorney certification under the State Bar Rules include:

- Being in good standing with the state licensing authority with which the attorney is licensed or from which retired;
- Having been engaged in the active practice of law for at least five out of the immediately preceding ten years prior to application for Emeritus Attorney status;
- Being a volunteer with a pro bono organization, which has been approved under the program.\*

\* In this case, the approved pro bono organization with which you would volunteer is HVL P.

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### **Harris County Emeritus Attorney Pro Bono Indigent Guardianship Project (Emeritus Guardianship Project)**

Please contact me with specific information on how I can become an Emeritus Guardianship Project Pro Bono Attorney for the Houston Bar Association's Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program.

BAR NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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PHONE: (Preferred phone number) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return in the postage-paid envelope enclosed.

Mail to: State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, TX 78711-2487, Attention Texas Lawyers Care.