

## **If you need Help with your Appeal**

You are receiving this list because you may seek to obtain help with your appeal at the Unemployment Insurance Appeals Commission (Commission) or at a hearing before an administrative law judge (ALJ) if your case is remanded. **Below is a listing<sup>1</sup> of attorney and non-attorney agents who represent claimants, employers or both in appeals before the Unemployment Insurance Appeals Commission<sup>2</sup>.** You are not required to have a representative. Your appeal will be considered by the Commission regardless of whether you have an attorney or agent represent you.

Some of the representatives **offer their services for free**, others charge a fee. **It is your responsibility to contact the attorney or agent to determine the scope and cost of the representation.** The Commission does not endorse, and makes no representations, about the individuals or organizations in this list. The Commission does not guarantee that any representative will take your case.

**Please note the deadlines for filing applications for oral argument, written argument and additional evidence at the Commission are set forth in the enclosed Important Notice.**

### **No-Charge Representatives for Unemployment Insurance Appeals**

The following organizations provide **free** representation for parties who satisfy that organization's eligibility requirements.

\*These organizations accept fraud cases.

| <b>Entity</b>   | <b>Area Served &amp; Contact Information</b>  | <b>Parties Represented</b>                                    | <b>Highest Level of Appeal</b> |
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| Farmworker Legal Services*                                | Statewide<br>1.800.968.4046 Farmworker Law Hotline  | Agricultural Workers (Claimants)                              | Federal Courts                 |
| Legal Aid of Western Michigan<br>*Prioritizes fraud cases | Counties: Allegan, Berrien, Cass, Ionia, Kalamazoo, Kent, Lake, Mason, Mecosta, Montcalm, Muskegon, Nwaygo, Oceana, Osceola, Ottawa, St. Joseph, Van Buren<br>616.774.0672 Kent County<br>888.783.8190 All other counites<br><a href="http://www.lawestmi.org">www.lawestmi.org</a> | Claimants   | Federal Courts                 |
| Legal Services of Eastern Michigan                        | Counties: Arenac, Bay, Clare, Genesee, Gladwin, Gratiot, Huron, Isabella, Lapeer, Midland, Saginaw, Sanilac, St. Clair, Tuscola<br>800.322.4512<br><a href="http://www.lsem-mi.org">www.lsem-mi.org</a>   | Claimants who pass the income, asset, & citizenship screening | Federal Courts                 |
| Sugar Law Center*   | Statewide<br>313.993.4505<br><a href="mailto:tparis@sugarlaw.org">tparis@sugarlaw.org</a>   | Claimants   | State & Federal Courts         |
| Workers' Rights Clinic Michigan Law*                      | Statewide<br>734.936.2000<br>734.707.4881 (fax)<br>P.O. Box 4369<br>Ann Arbor MI 48106-4369<br><a href="mailto:law-uic-info@umich.edu">law-uic-info@umich.edu</a>   | Claimants   | State Courts                   |

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<sup>1</sup> Inclusion in this list is voluntary by each of the listed individuals and organizations. This list is non-exclusive. There may be other attorneys or agents able to help you.

<sup>2</sup> This list is separate and apart from the Advocacy Program which provides free representation for certain cases at ALJ hearings.

## **Fee-Based Representatives for Unemployment Insurance Appeals**

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| <b>Entity</b>        | <b>Area Served &amp; Contact Information</b>  | <b>Parties Represented</b> | <b>Highest Level of Appeal</b> |
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| Carlisle, Carol*     | Statewide<br>269.214.8803   | Employers                  | Commission                     |
| Daniels, Jan*        | Statewide<br>989.553.5261<br><a href="mailto:janangela48723@yahoo.com">janangela48723@yahoo.com</a>   | Employers                  | Commission                     |
| Dovitz, Susan*       | Statewide<br>248.417.8931<br><a href="mailto:susandovitz@gmail.com">susandovitz@gmail.com</a>   | Claimants & Employers      | MI Court of Appeals            |
| Doyle, Pamela        | Statewide<br>989.354.6960<br>989.464.8246<br><a href="mailto:uiaspecialist@gmail.com">uiaspecialist@gmail.com</a>   | Claimants & Employers      | Commission                     |
| Grosjean, Glenda*    | Statewide<br>313.729.9798<br><a href="mailto:unemploymentadvocates@yahoo.com">unemploymentadvocates@yahoo.com</a>   | Claimants                  | Commission                     |
| Lochard, Beverly*    | Statewide<br>866.554.8165<br><a href="mailto:beverlylochardlaw@gmail.com">beverlylochardlaw@gmail.com</a>   | Claimants & Employers      | Federal Court                  |
| Postoian, Robert*    | Statewide<br>248.798.8116<br><a href="mailto:mrashleys@aol.com">mrashleys@aol.com</a>   | Claimants & Employers      | Circuit Court                  |
| Sanger, Brendan*     | Statewide<br>888.729.2253<br><a href="mailto:attorneysanger@gmail.com">attorneysanger@gmail.com</a>   | Claimants                  | Circuit Court                  |
| Shane, Renee*        | Statewide<br>248.255.8225<br><a href="mailto:reneeshane@hotmail.com">reneeshane@hotmail.com</a>   | Claimants                  | Commission                     |
| Sutton, Dwaine C.*   | Statewide<br>616.455.6515<br>2010 44 <sup>th</sup> Street SE,<br>Grand Rapids MI 49508<br><a href="mailto:dwainecs@yahoo.com">dwainecs@yahoo.com</a>                | Claimants & Employers      | MI Court of Appeals            |
| Tasevska, Dina*      | Statewide<br>248.559.6200   | Claimants                  | Commission                     |
| Wassel, Irene*       | Statewide<br>586.552.9947<br><a href="mailto:irene.wassel@gmail.com">irene.wassel@gmail.com</a>   | Employers                  | State Courts                   |
| Webster, Stella*     | Statewide<br>248.420.6437<br>1103 Crestmont Drive<br>Lake Orion MI 48362<br><a href="mailto:stella@nahma.net">stella@nahma.net</a>                                  | Claimants                  | Circuit Court                  |
| Whitaker, Angela     | Statewide<br>313.341.9146<br><a href="mailto:attorneyawpayton@aim.com">attorneyawpayton@aim.com</a>   | Claimants                  | Federal Courts                 |
| Willenbrecht, Edith* | Statewide<br>248.495.6536<br>888.405.7004<br>2670 Buckner Rd., Suite 200<br>Lake Orion MI 48362<br><a href="mailto:attyedith@hotmail.com">attyedith@hotmail.com</a> | Claimants & Employers      | MI Court of Appeals            |
| Wolff, Ellen         | Statewide<br>248.553.2658<br><a href="mailto:mrswolphus@sbcglobal.net">mrswolphus@sbcglobal.net</a>   | Employers                  | Commission                     |
| Wolff, Erica*        | Statewide<br>248.544.7740<br>248.563.8795<br><a href="mailto:wolffgreen@yahoo.com">wolffgreen@yahoo.com</a>   | Employers                  | State Courts                   |