Special Funds – GAL & CASA

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GAL & CASA Accounts

Guardian Ad Litem (GAL) Services Account

Statutory Reference: <u>UCA 51-9-409</u> Guardian Ad Litem Services Account established - Funding - Uses.

NOTE: The Guardian Ad Litem General Fund Restricted Services Account funds ongoing operations in the Guardian Ad Litem program along with the General Fund and the funds from the Children's Legal Defense Fund.

GAL Dedicated Credits

Statutory Reference: <u>UCA 78A-6-902</u>. Appointment of attorney guardian ad litem -- Right of refusal -- Duties and responsibilities -- Training -- Trained staff and court appointed special advocate volunteers -- Costs -- Immunity -- Annual Report.

CASA Volunteer Account

Statutory Reference: UCA 78B-1-119. Fees and mileage.

NOTE: Although statute provides for the voluntary donation, the Ethics Advisory Opinion effectively eliminated revenue to this fund. The fund is still authorized by statute.