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**CASA**

Court Appointed Special Advocates  
FOR CHILDREN

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Dear Prospective Child Advocate,

Thank you for your interest in becoming a volunteer with Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Ocean County, Inc. We are a non-profit volunteer driven child advocacy program. Our mission is to safeguard the best interests of the children in foster care who are victims of abuse and neglect. Each volunteer is professionally trained to act as an additional set of eyes and ears within the court system and make recommendations in a court report to the Family Court Judge. We are committed to ensuring a safe and permanent home for each child.

We have enclosed information on our program. Please review the documents and return your application to our office. All applicants are required to participate in an interview screening process, attend a 30 hours of training class and submit an application for a full criminal background check including fingerprinting.

Once we receive your application, we will be in contact with you to schedule an interview. If you have questions, please feel free to call our office at (732) 797-0590 or visit our website at [www.casaofoceancounty.org](http://www.casaofoceancounty.org).

Again, thank you for your interest in joining the CASA family. Every child's voice deserves to be heard, and you can be their spokesperson. We look forward to you standing up with us and saying, "I am for the Child"!

Sincerely,

Vicki Weiss

Executive Director