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**NEW YORK BAR FOUNDATION PRESENTS GRANT TO COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES
(CASA) OF ULSTER COUNTY**



Left to right: Bonnie Roll, Rhetta Eason (Vice Chairperson), Walter Torres, Sharon Zepel (Chairperson), Kenneth Cole, Anne DeWitt, Michael Bonse, Maura King (Treasurer), Brooke Nelson (Executive Director), Peggy Ploss, and Skit Rabbino.

The New York Bar Foundation recently presented a grant of \$500 to Court Appointed Special Advocates of Ulster County. The grant will be used to support the training and development of our Advocates.

This grant will assist with the administration of the National CASA training curriculum for our new Advocates as well as monthly in-services for all of our Volunteers.

In early 2017, The New York Bar Foundation allocated over \$640,000 in grants to programs across New York to assist in:

- Increasing public understanding of the law
- Improving the justice system and the law
- Facilitating the delivery of legal services
- Enhancing professional competence and ethics

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