

CALL FOR ELECTION VOLUNTEERS

For Legal Volunteers

Due to Hurricane Sandy and flooding, the Lawyers' Committee and the non-partisan Election Protection coalition have lost two New York call centers hosted by downtown firms. As a result and because of the ongoing transportation issues in the NY/NJ region, additional volunteers are urgently needed to staff the national non-partisan hotline in D.C. For volunteers who have not been trained, five remote training options have been

To volunteer for a hotline shift in DC: Please go to <http://www.866ourvote.org/pages/dc-volunteer-shifts> (Volunteers particularly needed for DLA Piper 11/6 6:30 am shift and all Lawyers' Committee shifts for 11/5 and 11/6 (all newly added)).

For those who still need to be trained – set date/time webinars and conference call hotline training options:

For those who have not yet attended a training, two webinars and two conference call hotline trainings have been. To access those, go to: <http://www.866ourvote.org/pages/dc-volunteer-shifts>.

Plus a hotline any time webinar training: Volunteers may also watch a webinar remotely for training at any time. See below for directions on how to access.

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/wotitw4miaxto63/2012-09-12%20EP%20Training.wmv>

i. The video is on Dropbox. If you haven't used it before, please do the following:

1. click on the link,
2. press the "play" button,
3. go the top right corner and click on "download"
4. click "direct download".
5. The video will download with the icon showing up on your bottom left screen.
Click on that when it's done downloading. (This is at least how it works in Chrome.) It could take up to 8 minutes to download.

ii. If there are problems with the download, try adding this coded:

<https://www4.gotomeeting.com/codec?Portal=www.gotomeeting.com>

iii. It is extremely important, that you watch all of the webinar and that when at the hotline take your time to ensure a correct response to the voter and/or ask a captain for assistance if you need it.

For Non-Legal Volunteers

- Volunteer in your state – www.866OURVOTE.org. Here is the link to the Volunteer map showing locations - <http://www.866ourvote.org/pages/grassroots-volunteers-needed>
- If you are in the DC, Maryland or Virginia area, volunteers are needed to help answer voter questions on the phone. To help – go to this website - <http://www.866ourvote.org/pages/non-partisan-polling-place-locator-call-centers-for-non-legal-volunteers>

7 THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW TO VOTE IN 2012

1. **VERIFY** your Registration Status and Your Poll Location **Before** Election Day by calling your local Board of Elections, **1-866-MYVOTE1 (1-866-698-6831)** or visit **www.unityvoterempowermentcampaign.org**
2. **VERIFY** the proper identification needed to vote in advance. Be sure to **TAKE PROPER ID TO VOTE**. To check **ID** requirements for your state visit **www.costoffreedom.info** or download Election Protection App on your mobile phone - **Text OURVOTE to 90975**.
3. **VERIFY** that **YOU** will be in town on **Election Day** - If available in your community, vote early or absentee ballot. **To verify the rules in your state**, call 1-866-OUR-VOTE (1-866-687-8683).
4. **DON'T BE AFRAID TO REQUEST HELP** from poll workers. Poll workers are there to help **YOU**.
5. **STAND YOUR GROUND** - if there is a problem at the polls you have a right to cast a provisional ballot if you are certain you are a registered voter.
6. **YOU HAVE A RIGHT** to file a complaint if your rights have been violated. If you need legal assistance call **1-866-OUR-VOTE**.
7. **Volunteer to be a poll monitor** in your local community at **www.ncbcp.org**.

VOTE EARLY, ABSENTEE or on TUESDAY NOV. 6, 2012

UNITY '12 National Partners



We are living in difficult times... hard pressed on every side...
high gas prices, high unemployment, high education costs and...
people are playing dirty tricks to STOP us from VOTING... But ...

**We never give in
to hard times or
intimidation...**



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