

2008 Election Protection Program
Code of Conduct
For Volunteers

I warrant and represent that I am participating in this nonpartisan project to improve the election process, promote voter enfranchisement, and ensure that every vote counts as intended by the voters. I will not disrupt the election process or interfere in any way with the legal duties of poll workers and election officials. I understand the Election Protection Program is a nonpartisan effort and agree that during my volunteer shift I will not elicit or convey to any person seeking assistance any partisan information. I have read, understand, and agree to the Election Protection Program privacy policy described herein. To the extent that information disclosed to me by a caller to the Hotline or by personnel working for the Election Protection Program is confidential or private in nature, I will not disclose such information without prior written authorization. Additionally, in the event that any confidential information or material relating to the law firms that are hosting and supporting Election Protection Program activities is disclosed to me, whether or not such disclosure is voluntary or accidental, I shall not make any further disclosure of any such information or material.

I shall keep confidential and follow established online incident reporting procedures for handling of certain information, such as personally-identifiable information about callers who report election incidents. I will not redistribute private emails or other private communications without prior written permission from the person(s) whose private information would be disclosed by my actions. I will not knowingly engage in illegal distribution practices when posting incidents and other information into the online incident reporting system. Some examples of illegal distribution are: posting large portions of copyrighted material; posting libelous material; posting material that knowingly aids in a crime; posting a credit card number; or posting passwords. I will not attempt to gain unauthorized access to the online incident reporting system nor use it to gain unauthorized access to other systems. I will not use the online incident reporting system to harass individuals or organizations.

I shall release, defend, hold harmless and indemnify the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law and its officers, directors, employees and assigns, and the law firms hosting and supporting Election Protection Program activities, and their partners, members, employees and assigns, from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action, losses, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs, arising out of, resulting from or pertaining to (i) any violation by me of this Code of Conduct; or (ii) any negligent or wrongful act or omission by me.

I understand that any violation of this Code of Conduct may result in termination of my volunteer status and may have other negative consequences.

Volunteer Signature

Witness Signature

Volunteer Printed Name

Witness Printed Signature

Date

Date