



Counsel for Justice

LACBA

Statement of Understanding 2019 - 2020

I, _____, understand that as a member of the LACBA Counsel for Justice Board I have a responsibility to ensure that the organization does the best work possible in pursuit of its goals. I believe in the purpose and the mission of the organization, and I will act responsibly and prudently as its steward. As part of my responsibilities as a Board member:

- I will be a spokesperson and ambassador to tell our story to colleagues, friends and others
- I will support the mission, goals and policies to ensure that the Board's decisions work to meet its goals
- With other Board members, I am responsible for fundraising for LACBA's legal services projects
- I will be a current member of the Los Angeles County Bar Association
- I will respect the confidentiality of the information disclosed to me, including written or electronic materials

Specifically, I will do the following each year during my term:

- attend a minimum of 75% of Board and committee meetings
- give or get at least \$7,500 each fiscal year
- make a personal contribution of \$1,000 each fiscal year
- attend and financially support fundraising events
- attend at least one donor cultivation event and bring a potential new donor
- participate on at least one committee or sub-committee

In addition, I will visit each of the projects: Domestic Violence Legal Services, Veterans Legal Services, Immigration Legal Assistance and AIDS Legal Services and/or participate in one of their training sessions during my term on the Board.

I understand that if I am unable to meet my commitments as a Board member I may be asked to resign from the Board. I also understand that each year I will conduct a self-assessment to assist in evaluating my level of participation as a member of the Board.

Board Member Signature

Date

Print Name