



## ***Raising the Bar in D.C. - A Funding Campaign for Legal Services***

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### **Law Firm Reporting Form - Donations in 2025**

***Reporting Deadline: February 27, 2026***

#### **Instructions**

The D.C. Access to Justice Commission (“Commission”) is deeply grateful for your firm’s participation in the Raising the Bar in D.C. Campaign. For your firm to be formally recognized for its participation in 2025, the firm must submit the attached reporting form to EY. This information will be kept confidential by EY. EY will only release the following information to the Commission:

- the recognition level (Platinum, Gold or Silver) for each participating firm;
- the aggregate amount of money donated by all participating firms to all eligible recipient organizations through this Campaign;
- the aggregate net change in the amount of money donated to all eligible recipient organizations through this Campaign;

EY will not release any financial information about any individual firm. Only aggregated data will be released to the Commission.

*\*If your firm previously qualified but does not for 2025 – we would appreciate it if you could provide that information to EY. You do not need to fill out the form but may do so if you choose – however, information will not be included in the released campaign results.\**

When calculating the firm’s recognition level and completing the reporting form, please keep the following in mind:

- Only monetary donations, donations of attorney’s fees awarded in cases, and payments for Equal Justice Works or other fellowships sponsored by the firm at one of the eligible recipient organizations listed below count toward meeting the benchmark level. The value of pro bono work, the value of loaned associates, in-kind donations made by the firm, and donations made by individual attorneys do not count.
- Only donations to the eligible recipient organizations listed below count toward meeting the benchmark level. *For the 2024 Campaign moving forward, firms may include the full amount of contributions to the D.C. Access to Justice Foundation, if applicable, in their calculations.*
- D.C. office revenue should be calculated as an average of the previous three years’ revenues. For this year, revenue should be calculated as the average of D.C. office revenue for 2022, 2023, and 2024.
- Fellowship donations may be prorated over a five-year period. Please alert the Commission ([diana.sisson@dcaccesstojustice.org](mailto:diana.sisson@dcaccesstojustice.org)) if the firm is electing to utilize this option.

## Reporting Information

Please provide the total amount of monetary donations (this includes cash donations, donations of attorney's fees, and payments for fellowships sponsored by the firm at one of the eligible recipient organizations) made by the firm to eligible recipient organizations in 2025:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please certify the benchmark level (Platinum, Gold or Silver) that this donation amount represents for the firm:

- Platinum (.11% of D.C. office revenue)
- Gold (.09% of D.C. office revenue)
- Silver (.075% of D.C. office revenue)

If the firm increased or decreased its giving to eligible recipient organizations between 2024 and 2025, please provide the aggregate net increase or decrease in giving. This will permit the Commission to quantify how much additional monetary support was generated through the 2025 Campaign:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please check off the organizations to which the firm made monetary donations in 2025 that are included in the total donations above. Do not list individual amounts donated to each organization.

Eligible Recipient Organization	√
Advocates for Justice and Education	
Amara Legal Center	
Amica Center for Immigrant Rights <i>(formerly CAIR Coalition)</i>	
Asian Pacific American Legal Resource Center	
Ayuda	
Bread for the City Legal Services	
CARECEN	
Catholic Charities Immigration Legal Services	
Catholic Charities Legal Network	
Children’s Law Center	
Christian Legal Aid of D.C.	
D.C. Access to Justice Foundation	
D.C. Affordable Law Firm	
D.C. Bar Foundation	
D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center	
D.C. KinCare Alliance	
First Shift Justice Project	
Human Rights First – D.C. Asylum Legal Representation Project	
Kids in Need of Defense (KIND) – D.C. Office	
Legal Aid DC	
Legal Counsel for the Elderly	
Mid-Atlantic Innocence Project	
Mil Mujeres Legal Services	
Mother’s Outreach Network	
Neighborhood Legal Services Program	
Open City Advocates	
Quality Trust for Individuals with Disabilities	
Rising for Justice	
Safe Sister’s Circle	
School Justice Project	
Second Look Project	
Tahirih Justice Center	
Tzedek D.C.	
U.D.C. Summer Law Public Interest Fellowships	
University Legal Services (including Disability Rights DC)	
Volare <i>(formerly NVRDC – Network for Victim Recovery D.C.)</i>	
Volunteer Legal Advocates <i>(formerly D.C. Volunteer Lawyers Project)</i>	
Washington Area Lawyers for the Arts	
Washington Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights & Urban Affairs	
Washington Legal Clinic for the Homeless	
Whitman-Walker Legal Services	

*\*Note: For 2024 and moving forward, all amounts donated to the DC Access to Justice Foundation may be fully counted towards donation totals and benchmark qualifications.*

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Law Firm Name (please list firm name as you'd like it to appear in campaign listings and materials)

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Name of Individual Completing Form

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Title

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Signature

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Address 1

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Address 2

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City, State, Zip

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Phone Number

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Email

**Signed forms should be submitted via e-mail by **February 27, 2026** to:**

**Vesna Vidovic  
EY  
vesna.vidovic@ey.com**

Please address any questions about completion of this form or about the Campaign to Diana Sisson at [diana.sisson@dcaccesstojustice.org](mailto:diana.sisson@dcaccesstojustice.org).