

# 2014: The year one million people rise for victims' rights



ALONE we can do so little; TOGETHER we can do so much.

- Helen Keller

NCVLI: Mobilizing to Secure Victims' Rights

Too few people can identify victims' rights; yet "an essential element in protecting human rights [is] a widespread knowledge among the population of what their rights are and how they can be defended." - Boutros Boutros-Ghali.

Take action - get informed!



# QUICKTOOLS

Each video provides basic information about victims' rights.

Watch and share.



#### VICTIM LAW LIBRARY

The Library contains cutting-edge articles on victim law.

Effective advocacy starts here.



#### THE VICTIM RESOURCE MAP

Tour a stateby-state listing of key victims'

rights or search for resources by location and topic.



### TRAINING SERIES

Be a part of the only national victims' rights conference on June 20-21 in Portland, Oregon, or join us throughout the

year at in-person and online trainings.

The more victims' rights are a part of the conversation in our courts and communities, the more they will impact justice. Spark the conversation and keep it going!



#### VICTIMS' RIGHTS SPEAKERS BUREAU

Whether you are a survivor ready to share your story or an ally interested in bringing victims' rights into your community, join our Victims' Rights Speakers Bureau.



#### NAVRA FORUM

Share best practices and resources, comment on trends, and learn from each other.

Visit www.navra.org to join the online conversation.



#### SOCIAL MEDIA

People seek out information and form views when they access social media; help ensure that victims' rights are present. We regularly post news and information about victims' rights. Like – Share – Comment!

Visit www.ncvli.org to learn more, get involved, and make a difference.

Even the most strongly worded rights are mere words if no one demands them in court and our appellate courts remain silent. We need advocates and attorneys to stand up for victims' rights.

You are not alone in your advocacy - we are here to help!

#### TAKE A CASE

As a member of NAVRA, you receive our "Call to Action" whenever a victim in your area is in need of assistance. Provide low or no cost advocacy critical to the victim becoming a survivor.



# **RIGHTS ENFORCEMENT TOOLKIT**

This one-of-a-kind resource walks practitioners through asserting victims' rights. The tools come in the form of video tutorials, flowcharts, checklists, and sample pleadings.

# LEGAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE & AMICUS CURIAE

NCVLI's Legal Team works nationally, providing expert assistance in the form of intensive legal research, writing, and strategic advice, and participating in key cases as amicus curiae ("friend of the court").