

# Volunteer for Law Day 2014

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by **Friday March 14, 2014.**

One of our most cherished national ideals, expressed eloquently by Abraham Lincoln, is “government of the people, by the people, for the people.” It is a principle enshrined in our Nation’s founding documents, from the Declaration of Independence’s assurance that governments derive their powers from the consent of the governed, to the opening three words of the Preamble to the U.S. Constitution, “We the People.”

The right to vote is the very foundation of government by the people. For this reason, striving to establish and protect every citizen’s

right to vote has been a central theme of American legal and civic history. Much of the struggle on voting rights began decades ago, but the work is far from complete, and a citizen’s right to cast a ballot remains at risk today.

As we approach the 50th anniversaries of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the 2014 Law Day theme, “**American Democracy and the Rule of Law: Why Every Vote Matters,**” calls on every American to reflect on the importance of a citizen’s right to vote and the challenges we still face in ensuring that all Americans have the opportunity to participate in our democracy.



**As in years past, we are seeking WBA members to visit schools to teach this year’s topic. In 2013 over 55 WBA members visited 84 classrooms. We’ll supply the lesson plans and student give-aways. All we need is YOU!**

## YES! SIGN ME UP FOR LAW DAY!



To register for Law Day 2014, complete this form and return it to the WBA by mail, fax or email (see above.) Or call Iva Munk, Pro Bono Coordinator at 724-837-5539 to register. Thanks for your interest!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

School/School District Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Grade(s) Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Availability (weekdays in May) \_\_\_\_\_