



2006 *PRO BONO* CONFERENCE

Sponsored by the National Federation of Paralegal Associations

AGENDA

Revised: April 2, 2006

Commitment, Service, and Empowerment: Let Justice Ring

Saturday – April 1st

- 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. **Registration**
- 1:30 - 1:50 p.m. **Opening Remarks**
Lori Thompson, *Pro Bono* Coordinator, NFPA
Steven B. Scudder, Committee Counsel, ABA Standing Committee on *Pro Bono* and Public Service
- 1:50 - 2:20 p.m. **New and Ongoing National *Pro Bono* Opportunities**
James Baillie, American Bar Association, Section of Business Law
Lori Thompson, NFPA *Pro Bono* Coordinator
- 2:20 – 3:15 p.m. **How to Build or Expand a *Pro Bono* Program**
Lisa Shapiro, Massachusetts Paralegal Association and Lori Thompson,
Pro Bono Coordinator, NPFA
- 3:15 - 3:30 p.m. **Break**
- 3:30 - 4:15 p.m. **Building Relationships with your State Bar**
Robert S. Hrouda, Board Advisor and Past President, Philadelphia
Association of Paralegals
- 4:15 - 5:00 p.m. **Recruiting and Retaining Volunteers**
Lisa Shapiro, Massachusetts Paralegal Association and Lori Thompson,
Pro Bono Coordinator, NPFA
- 6:00 p.m. **Dinner/Social Event**

Maggiano's Little Italy
1201 Filbert Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Sunday – April 2nd

9:00 - 9:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**

9:30 - 10:15 a.m. **Record Keeping and Recognition**
Lisa Shapiro, Massachusetts Paralegal Association and Lori Thompson,
Pro Bono Coordinator, NPFA

10:15 - 11:00 a.m. ***Pro Bono* Opportunities in Philadelphia**
Sandy Ballard, Esquire, Public Services Coordinator, Dauphin County Bar
Association
Karen Detamore, Executive Director, Friends of Farmworkers
Brian Tait, Paralegal, Philadelphia Volunteers for the Indigent Program

11:00 - 11:15 a.m. **Break**

11:15 - Noon **Ethics, Conflicts and UPL**
Lori Thompson, *Pro Bono* Coordinator, NPFA

Noon -12:30 p.m. **Overview of 2006 ABA/NLADA Equal Justice Conference Topics and
Workshops**
Lori Thompson, *Pro Bono* Coordinator, NPFA

Open Discussion

12:30 - 1:00 p.m. **Closing Remarks**
Lori Thompson, NPFA *Pro Bono* Coordinator

