



“[...] FREEDOM OF INFORMATION IS ESSENTIAL TO PRESERVING THE VERY THINGS FOR WHICH WE ARE FIGHTING. THE PEOPLE ARE ENTITLED TO THE TRUTH.”

John S. Knight

In his 1944 acceptance speech to be president of the American Society of Newspaper Editors

A PROUD HISTORY OF SUPPORT

- **Supporter of Sunshine Week since its inception in 2006**
- **Legal support for journalists and defense of the First Amendment is one of the four key pillars of our strategy**
- **Current investments totaling \$51 million**



OUR MAJOR INVESTMENTS

- **The Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia, which strategically litigates free expression issues**
- **Pro-bono legal support for newsrooms through RCFP's ProJourn program and Lawyers for Reporters**
- **Training programs through university legal clinics to develop the next generation of media attorneys**





**HOW MIGHT WE ALL WORK
TOGETHER TO STRENGTHEN
PUBLIC RECORDS ACCESS
AND GOVERNMENT
TRANSPARENCY?**