



Lifting Lives Through the Law

Summer 2026 Update from Timpanogos Legal Center



***“Now I have confidence
in moving forward.”***

- TLC Legal Clinic Client

When this client first came to TLC, they were unsure how to navigate the legal system on their own. Over time, they returned to the clinic for help understanding their options,

responding to developments in their case, and learning how to advocate for themselves.

"I wouldn't have known what to do without you guys. The first time I came in, I was so afraid of being seen that you took me aside so I could tell my story. Since then, I've learned how to respond and how to move forward. Learning how to fight for myself have been huge. Every time I come in, I learn something new. Now I have confidence in moving forward because of the assistance I've received at the clinic."

Stories like this show what accessible legal help can mean over time. Sometimes it isn't one conversation or one appointment. It's having somewhere to turn as a case changes, questions arise, and someone gains the confidence to keep moving forward.

You are receiving this quarterly update because you've connected with TLC as a supporter, volunteer, partner, or community member. We will share a brief update four times a year highlighting our work and ways to stay engaged.

Upcoming Events & Ways to Help

Join us on the Golf Course



TLC's first golf tournament is coming this fall, and we would love to have you join us.

Thursday, October 15, 2026 | Thanksgiving Point Golf Club, Lehi

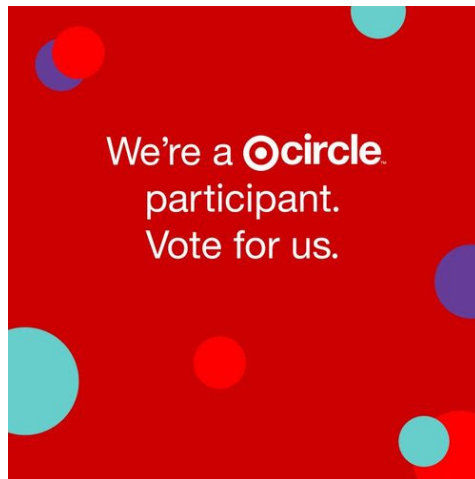
We're grateful to the organizations already helping make our first tournament possible, including **Farrsight Foundation (our lunch sponsor)**, and **Moxie Law Group (our Golf Cart Sponsor)**.

We've also received generous support for tournament prizes from community partners including **Perk Energy, RubySnap, the natural History Museum of Utah, the Utah Museum of Fine Arts, and Sculpted Peaks.**

There is still time to get involved! **Golf registrations and select sponsorship opportunities are still available.** Join us for a day on the course while helping TLC continue providing free legal services to Utahns statewide.

[Register or Become a Sponsor](#)

Vote for TLC Through Target Circle



TLC is participating in the **Target Circle Community Giving Program through Sept. 30!**

Target Circle members can use the votes they earn through eligible Target purchases to help direct Target's charitable giving to Timpanogos Legal Center.

There is no additional cost to participate, and every vote helps TLC receive a larger share of the available funding.

[Vote for TLC](#)

Help Your Community Get to Know TLC

One of our goals this year is simple: help more Utahns know TLC exists.

When someone is navigating abuse, divorce, custody, housing instability, or another difficult legal situation without an attorney, knowing where to turn can make a significant difference. Greater awareness also helps TLC build the community of volunteers, donors, and partners needed to keep these services free.

This summer we began hosting small **Get to Know TLC** gatherings where community members can learn about our work and the need for accessible legal services across Utah.

Another gathering is being planned for Utah County this September. More information will be coming soon.

Interested in Hosting a Future Gathering?

You provide a small gathering space and invite friends, family members, colleagues, or neighbors. TLC will bring the information and speakers and help make the gathering easy to host.

To learn more or explore hosting a gathering, contact: Rachel Ekman, Development Director at 801-609-5565 or Rachel@TimpLegal.org

Expanding Access to Support

Legal Help in Your Language

TLC has long been able to work with interpreters to provide our legal services to clients who speak languages other than English. What hasn't always been easy is knowing **how to connect with TLC and request that language support**.

We recently added new language access resources throughout our website to make that process clearer. Visitors can find information in more than 20 languages explaining how to contact TLC and access our free legal services with interpreter support when needed.

If you work with individuals or families who could benefit from TLC's services but may face a language barrier, we encourage you to bookmark and share this resource.

[Language Access Resources](#)

Weekly Legal Clinics

TLC clients may now be referred for **free virtual therapeutic support** provided pro bono by Nancy Florence, a UK-trained psychotherapist and executive coach.

This short-term support may be helpful for clients navigating anxiety, low self-esteem, relationship trauma, or the emotional impact of abuse, separation, custody issues, or other major family transitions.

For more information or to ask about a referral, **contact Lani Harris** at Lani@TimpLegal.org.

Building Stronger Communities

Connecting Advocates Across Utah



TLC continues to host monthly **Advocate Connect** meetings via Zoom in collaboration with the Utah Office for Victims of Crime and Utah Crime Victims Legal Clinic.

These statewide conversations give victim advocates an opportunity to learn about community and legal resources, share strategies, and connect with others working to support survivors throughout Utah.

Strong relationships among service providers make it easier to connect someone with the right resources when they need them.

[Register Here](#)

TLC in the Community

TLC staff have been connecting with attorneys, advocates, and organizations working to improve access to justice this summer.

Recent activities have included the **Utah Minority Bar Association's Juneteenth Celebration**, the **Restoring Ancestral Winds Conference**, and the **Equal Justice Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina**.

These opportunities help TLC strengthen partnerships, learn from others doing this work, and make more people aware of the free legal resources available to Utah communities.

What's Ahead at TLC

Free Virtual CLEs Return This Fall

TLC's **free virtual Continuing Legal Education series will return this fall**, with new trainings for attorneys and legal professionals across Utah.

Our CLEs focus on practical topics relevant to family law, victim services, and access to justice. Most are offered virtually at no cost, making it easy to participate from anywhere in the state.

We are currently finalizing the 2026-2027 schedule and will begin sending registration information soon.

Interested in presenting or sponsoring a future CLE?

TLC is also accepting topic proposals and presenting sponsorship inquiries for the upcoming calendar. Contact Corttany Brooks, People and Engagement Director & Staff Attorney, at Corttany@TimpLegal.org for more information.

[Learn More About CLEs](#)

Save the Date: Live PC Give PC



Timpanogos Legal Center has been selected to participate in **Live PC Give PC on November 6.**

While TLC services Utahns statewide, Summit County residents accessed our free legal services **84 times from July 2025 through June 2026**, primarily through our Legal Advice Hotline. We're excited for the opportunity to highlight this work and connect more Summit County residents with free legal support.

[Learn More](#)

Around TLC

Welcome, Anabel!

Welcome to TLC!

Anabel Francucci
Legal Assistant



This summer, TLC welcomed **Anabel Francucci** as our new Legal Assistant.

Anabel supports client communication, screening, scheduling, and other work that helps connect Utahns with TLC's legal services. We're excited to have her on the team as TLC continues responding to the need for free legal assistance statewide.

Stay Connected with TLC

Volunteer With TLC

TLC's work is strengthened by volunteers with a wide range of skills and backgrounds.

Attorneys and legal professionals can provide limited-scope legal advice through our virtual and in-person clinics. Volunteer attorneys are especially important to helping TLC meet the growing demand for free legal services statewide.

Attorneys licensed outside Utah and Utah attorneys on inactive status may also qualify to provide pro bono services through TLC under Utah's special pro bono rule.

Students and community volunteers may assist with clinic note-taking, community outreach tables, events, fundraising activities, and other projects based on current needs.

[Explore Volunteer Opportunities](#)

Support Free Legal Services

TLC never charges clients for services. Donations help ensure Utahns can receive legal information and guidance regardless of their ability to afford an attorney. Even small gifts can help provide direct legal assistance:

- \$14 helps provide a Legal Advice Hotline service
- \$23 helps provide an in-person legal clinic appointment
- \$76 helps provide document preparation, review, or coaching

TLC is also now able to accept gifts through **Donor-Advised Funds (DAFs)**.

[Support TLC](#)

Share TLC with Someone Who Needs Help

One of the simplest ways you can support TLC is by helping someone know where to turn. If you know someone navigating a divorce, custody issue, protective order, housing problem, or other civil legal matter without an attorney, please share TLC's services with them.

And if you know someone who may want to volunteer, partner with us, or support this work, please forward this newsletter to them.

[Find Free Legal Help](#)



Stay Connected

Whether you've partnered with TLC in the past or are simply following our work, we are grateful you're part of this community. If you'd like to stay engaged, by making a gift or sharing TLC's services with someone who may benefit, please explore the links below.



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