



CELEBRATING OUR 75TH YEAR OF SERVICE TO IOWA

2010 marks the 75th Anniversary of the founding of the ACLU of Iowa (initially the Iowa Civil Liberties Union) – the fifth ACLU affiliate to be organized in the U.S. In recognition of this “diamond” year, we invite you to celebrate with us on:

May 1 – our Annual Dinner in Iowa City. This “super-sized” event will take place at the University Athletic Club and will feature guest speaker, Anthony Romero, Executive Director of the national ACLU.

New this year:

- A special reception where those who choose to attend can “meet and greet” both Anthony...and the recipients of this year’s Louise Noun Award – the successful plaintiffs in the ‘Varnum’ case (2009 IA Supreme Court decision regarding same-sex marriage in Iowa).
- Option of making a “table reservation” for ten!
- Student/low income dinner option.

2010 NOUN AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Since 2004, the ACLU of Iowa has annually honored people who have contributed to the defense of civil liberties in Iowa with the Louise Noun Award. It is our pleasure to announce that this year’s Noun Award will be presented to the ‘Varnum’ plaintiffs – six couples who courageously challenged Iowa’s “Defense of Marriage” Act and ultimately last year won marriage equality for all.

The Noun Award will be presented to this year’s honorees at the Annual Dinner.

Reservations for this event are requested by April 26. Choose your preferred way to make your reservations.

- Visit <https://www.avinsandinc.com/calendar/view.asp?CalendarID=4712> to make your reservations online
- Print the reservation form from the web at <http://www.aclu-ia.org/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=HTVhgunWcpg%3d&tabid=36> and mail it to ACLUF of Iowa, 505 – 5th Ave, #901, Des Moines, IA 50309
- Call 515.243.3576, x13

You won’t want to miss this very special evening...and hearing from our renowned national ACLU executive director. We hope you will consider attending and help welcome our well-deserved Noun Award honorees!