Rhode Island PBS Foundation Policy on Donor Lists

The Rhode Island PBS Foundation shall comply with the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, which is codified at 47 U.S.C. § 396(k)(12) with respect to the lists of all donors, contributors and supporters of the Foundation and WSBE-TV. Specifically the Rhode Island PBS Foundation will not:

- (A) Sell, rent, lease, loan, trade, give, donate, transfer or exchange any donor, contributor or supporter names to, with or from any candidate for Federal, State or local office, political committees, or political parties for any purpose whatsoever, except as otherwise required by law or judicial process; or
- (B) Disclose donor, contributor or supporter names, or other personally identifiable information, to any nonaffiliated third party unless-
 - (i) The Rhode Island PBS Foundation or WSBE-TV clearly and conspicuously discloses to the donor, contributor or supporter that such information may be disclosed to such third party;
 - (ii) The donor, contributor or supporter is given the opportunity before the time that such information is initially disclosed, to direct that such information not be disclosed to such third party; and
 - (iii) The donor, contributor or supporter is given an explanation of how the donor, contributor or supporter may exercise that nondisclosure option.

The Rhode Island PBS Foundation and WSBE-TV will periodically remind donors, contributors and supporter that it does not sell, rent, lease, loan, trade, gift, donate, transfer, or exchange of their names and/or personally identifiable information, and does offer a means by which the names and other personally identifiable information may be suppressed upon request; and suppress the names as requested, except as required by law or judicial process.

This policy has been adopted and implemented November 7, 2012

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