One more assignment for us before we start classes: we will be cleaning up the beach after Super Storm Sandy at Jones Beach, West End Field 2 on Thursday, August 15\textsuperscript{th}.

You are entering a profession that involves a lifetime of public service. Lawyers are expected to perform a certain amount of pro bono work every year, and you are expected to help out at this event.

The storm did an enormous amount of damage over hundreds of miles of coastline and caused many people to suffer hardship. This particular beach is a public recreation area, and the only way it can be restored is through volunteer work.

Helping to do that is the first pro bono assignment of your career. I’ll see all of you there!