FAQ Answers

- **Is Helping Habit a for profit business?**
  - Helping Habit is a Public Benefit Corporation. As a Public Benefit Corporation Helping Habit has a legal duty to its stakeholders (the nonprofits) to help them in "the development of tools and resources to increase volunteerism, charitable donations, and other forms of community engagement with nonprofit organizations."
  - What does that mean? In effect, Helping Habit was founded to help nonprofits of all shapes and sizes thrive in their missions. The profits they make are used to expand both the tools they offer to nonprofits and ways to better engage volunteers to make volunteerism more engaging and prevalent.
- **Does Helping Habit collect data and what does it use it for?**
  - Helping Habit collects data to leverage new opportunities, curate opportunities for volunteers, and supply nonprofits their volunteerism statistics to help them write grants, track their needs, and adjust to volunteer's schedules.
  - HH tracks items such as volunteer hours, trends in volunteerism, the success of events, volunteer cancellations, missed events, the location and make up of volunteers for any given event, and other business related statistics to help nonprofits meet their mission
- **Does Helping Habit sell my data to third parties?**
  - No. Your data is only shared with the nonprofit you volunteered for.
- **Does HH track volunteer hours?**
  - Through location services, HH tracks can help organization automatically track their volunteer hours. At the start of an event, a geofence is created around the location set by the nonprofit. Volunteers who are signed up for the event and have the HH app running in the background will automatically be checked in.
  - For the volunteers not using the app, they can be checked and out by the volunteer coordinator online or on the app.
- **How do I sign up?**
  - Volunteers can sign up at www.helpinghabit.com or through our IOS app
  - Currently we do no have android app, but android users can use our mobile responsive web app.
- **How do I get others involved?**
  - You can share events events you're interested in or ones you already signed up for through facebook, twitter, SMS, or email.