



*Aape Life Services and Women's Clinic*

### **SECURITY WATCH VOLUNTEER COMMITMENT**

*The Pregnancy Center Security Watch Project is a crime prevention program that assists in identifying and reporting suspicious activity against and around pregnancy centers. The Security Watch Project is similar to a neighborhood watch program. It does not advocate watch members taking action when observing suspicious activity at the centers. Instead, when suspicious activity is observed, participants in the Security Watch Project must immediately notify local law enforcement, who has been advised of the security watch being undertaken at the pregnancy center.*

*Security Watch Project volunteers serve as extra "eyes and ears" and must immediately report their observations of suspicious activities to local law enforcement. Trained law enforcement should be the only ones to take action; volunteers should **never** try to take action on those observations. The goal is to decrease opportunities for criminals to commit crimes rather than attempting to change their behavior or motivation.*

*The pregnancy center is grateful that you are willing to volunteer for this Security Watch Project. Please read the below and sign your agreement.*

### **Agreement**

*The below-signed individual is volunteering in the Pregnancy Center's Security Watch Project. As such, I agree to act according to all laws and guidelines set forth by local law enforcement and the center's policies. I understand that I shall not engage in aggressive confrontations with any criminals or suspicious individuals but shall contact law enforcement regarding such and observe from a safe position.*

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_