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THE BILL OF RIGHTS INSTITUTE'S NATIONAL CIVICS CONTEST

Judging Rubric (In-Person)

Student Name(s):_____

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Criteria		Points earned
Project Summary	**Clearly and concisely** explains • WHAT/HOW the project was done or carried out • WHEN it was done • WHO participated (students) AND WHO/how many people it affected • BRIEF explanation of WHY this project was chosen	_____/5
Knowledge Gained	**Clearly and concisely** explains how the student grew in understanding of • the role of civic virtue • knowledge of their community • their ability to support or impact their communities	_____/5
Founding Principles	**Clearly articulates** the way the student used at least one Founding Principle(s) **as the motivation for their project design and/or outcomes** ○ Natural rights (Inalienable Rights, Liberty, Equality, Justice) ○ Consent & Republican Government (Majority Rule/Minority Rights, Consent of the Governed, Democracy, Republic) ○ Limited Government (Rule of Law, Due Process) ○ Constitutional Precautions (Separation of Powers, Checks & Balances, Federalism) ○ Bill of Rights (Freedom of Religion, Freedom of Speech/Press/Assembly, Private Property)	_____/5
Civic Virtues	**Clearly articulates** the way the student used at least one Civic Virtue **as the motivation for their project design and/or outcomes** ○ Courage, Honor, Humility, Integrity, Justice, Moderation, Prudence, Respect, Responsibility	_____/5
Community Impact	**Clearly and concisely** demonstrates a meaningful impact on the community using at least two distinct examples.	_____/10
Mechanics	Content well organized, coherent, logical, and generally free of spelling and grammatical errors.	_____/5
Persuasive Pitch	Convicting, clear and concise pitch articulates project impact and provides strong evidence showing why the solution is effective.	_____/5
Presentation Skills	Displays good public speaking skills. Engages the judges. Demonstrates Maintains appropriate volume, speed and eye contact, posture and body movements. little-to-no filler words,	_____/5
Originality	Shows a large amount of original thought. Ideas are creative and inventive.	_____/5
	Score	_____/50

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