

## **COMMUNITY SCREENING CHECK LIST**

## Before your screening.

- I. Order your DVD from <a href="http://www.americanblackout.org">http://www.americanblackout.org</a>. Test your DVD when you receive it.
- 2. Arrange for your screening venue.
- 3. Send out your invitations early with plenty of information about the film.
- 4. Promote your screening by notifying local newspapers, radio stations and civil rights groups.
- 5. Print out and distribute flyers about your event.
- 6. Arrange and organize volunteers in advance to help host the event, lead discussions and document the event with video and still cameras.
- 7. Print out plenty of sign in sheets, surveys and handouts.
- 8. Send out a reminder email to your guests the day before the event.

## The day of your screening.

- 9. Have plenty of comfortable seating.
- 10. Have plenty of pens and pencils on hand.
- 11. Have volunteers arrive one hour before screening.
- 12. Test your DVD and equipment.
- 13. Open door 15-30 minutes early.
- 14. Welcome your attendees.
- 15. Introduce VIPs.
- 16. Screen American Blackout.
- 17. Invite VIPs to speak.
- 18. Lead Discussion.
- 19. Organize Action Teams.

## After your screening.

- 20. Send video and still photographs to local newspapers.
- 21. Send American Blackout Team the Sign In Sheets.
- 22. Send American Blackout Team your videos and photos and stories.