

## State Farm® Laptop Donation Official Rules

**NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT OF ANY KIND IS NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. A PURCHASE WILL NOT IMPROVE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.**

**ALL NATIONAL, FEDERAL, STATE, LOCAL, AND MUNICIPAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS APPLY.**

**Sponsor.** National Volunteer Fire Council (“**NVFC**”), 712 H Street, NE, Ste. 1478, Washington, DC 20002 (“**Sponsor**”).

**Provider.** State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, 1 State Farm Plaza, Bloomington, IL 61710 (“**Provider**”).

### **1. Eligibility**

The State Farm Laptop Donation (the “**Opportunity**”) is open only to an “**Eligible Fire Department**” or an individual acting on behalf of the Eligible Fire Department. An “**Eligible Fire Department**” is a fire department that is located in the 48 contiguous U.S. states and legally organized under state law; Alaska and Hawaii are ineligible. Department must provide a physical address for shipping. Departments are responsible for purchasing any necessary software, such as productivity applications (e.g., Microsoft Office) and antivirus protection as the donated laptops are hardware only and do not include operating systems, software, or technical support. Laptops must be used exclusively for department purposes; they cannot be used for personal reasons, redistributed, or sold. Each department is allowed only one entry, and any additional entries from the same department will be disqualified.

If you enter this Opportunity on behalf of an Eligible Fire Department, you represent and warrant that you are an authorized agent with the authority to enter on its behalf and bind said Eligible Fire Department. The Opportunity is not open to residents or Eligible Fire Departments located in any jurisdiction outside the 48 contiguous United States, or any jurisdiction where the Opportunity would be restricted or prohibited by law.

By participating in this Opportunity, entrants agree to be bound by these official rules (“**Official Rules**”) and by the decisions of the Sponsor, which shall be final in all matters relating to the Opportunity. Entrants that do not meet the stated criteria will be disqualified from the entry process.

### **2. Opportunity Entry Period**

There is one entry period for the Opportunity commencing on March 4, 2025, by 03:00:00 pm ET to March 31, 2025, at 11:59:59 pm ET (“**Entry Period**”). Entry Period dates are subject to change. Sponsor’s computer is the official timekeeping device for the Opportunity.

### **3. How to Enter**

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY AND NO ENTRY FEE, PAYMENT OR PROOF OF PURCHASE IS NECESSARY TO PARTICIPATE.

During the Entry Period, visit [www.nvfc.org/statefarm-laptop](http://www.nvfc.org/statefarm-laptop) and follow the instructions to complete the online entry form and submit your entry. Each Eligible Fire Department will receive one (1) entry into the Opportunity during the Entry Period using this method, regardless of whether multiple eligible entrants from such Eligible Fire Department submit an entry.

Entries generated by script, macro, mechanical or other automated means are void. Multiple entries received from any person or on behalf of any Eligible Fire Department in excess of the stated limitation will be void.

Compliance with the entry requirements will be determined by Sponsor in its sole discretion. Submissions that violate, as determined by the Sponsor, in its sole discretion, these entry requirements will be disqualified from the Opportunity.

### **4. Winner Selection and Notification**

After the entry period ends, 100 entrants that meet the criteria will be randomly selected by Sponsor to receive five previously owned laptops each (the “Prize”) from Provider. The selection process will be nondiscriminatory. Sponsor will announce all winners before May 31, 2025. Sponsor will notify the winners via the e-mail address listed in such entrant’s entry form. Winners will be contacted directly before the public announcement is made.

Eligible Fire Departments selected to receive the Prize are subject to verification. If a winner (i) is determined to be ineligible or otherwise disqualified by Sponsor, (ii) fails to respond to Sponsor’s first winner notification message within 30 days of notification or after three (3) attempts (whichever occurs first), (iii) fails to timely provide any information requested by Sponsor (e.g., information needed by Sponsor to deliver the prize) or timely execute and return any documents required by Sponsor, the winner will be disqualified and forfeit the prize in its entirety. Sponsor reserves the right to select a substitute winner.

### **5. Prizes and Prize Claims**

100 winners will receive five previously owned laptops each.

**The prizes carry no warranty. Sponsor and Provider have neither made nor is responsible or liable for any warranty, representation, or guarantee, express or implied, in fact or in law, relative to items purchased with the prize, including but not limited to quality or condition for a particular purpose. Winners agree to look solely to the manufacturer for any such warranty, representation, or guarantee.**

The right to receive the prize cannot be transferred or assigned. Non-cash prizes cannot be redeemed for cash. No prize substitution is permitted, except at the sole discretion of

the Sponsor. All prizes are subject to availability and if the prize or component of any prize package cannot be awarded for any reason, Sponsor reserves the right in its sole discretion to substitute a prize (or any prize component) with one of comparable or greater retail value.

Prize winners are solely responsible for all federal, state, local, or other applicable taxes associated with the acceptance and use of the prize. Prize winners agree and acknowledge that Sponsor may be required to withhold and remit a portion of prize value to comply with applicable tax laws. Prize winners also agree to provide Sponsor with all information Sponsor may require in connection with applicable tax reporting or withholding requirements or other laws or regulations.

All costs and expenses associated with prize acceptance and use not specifically provided herein are the responsibility of each winner.

## **6. Publicity**

Except where prohibited by law, by accepting a prize, the winner hereby grants Sponsor, Provider, and its representatives an irrevocable, perpetual, worldwide, royalty-free, non-exclusive and sub-licensable right and license to use, distribute, and publicly display the winning Eligible Fire Department's name, any content posted by the winning Eligible Fire Department in connection with the Opportunity, and information about the prize award, in any way, at any time, in any and all media, including without limitation, for use in advertising and marketing, without any additional approval or consideration. By accepting a prize, the winning Eligible Fire Department represents and warrants that it has the right to grant the foregoing license.

## **7. Limitations of Liability**

The Sponsor and Provider assume no liability. By entering the Opportunity you hereby waive and release the Sponsor and Provider from, any actions, claims, damages, losses or injuries of any kind (collectively "**Actions**") arising in connection with the Opportunity and/or the receipt, use or misuse of any prize, including without limitation, Actions relating to: (i) the malfunction of any computer, telephone, mobile device, network, satellite, hardware, software or communications line; (ii) unauthorized human intervention; (iii) incorrect, delayed or inaccurate transmission, winner notifications, prize claims or other information or communications relating to the Opportunity, or the failure to capture or transmit any such information; (iv) damage to any person's computer or mobile device; or (v) any errors in these Official Rules, winner notifications or other announcements or communications relating to the Opportunity. In the event of any ambiguity or error(s) in these Official Rules, Sponsor reserves the right to clarify or modify these Official Rules however it deems appropriate to correct any such ambiguity or error(s). If due to an error or for any other reason, more legitimate prize claims are received than the number of prizes stated in these Official Rules, Sponsor reserves the right to award available amount or quantities.

**LEGAL WARNING: ANY ATTEMPT BY AN INDIVIDUAL, WHETHER OR NOT A PARTICIPANT, TO DELIBERATELY UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF**

**THIS OPPORTUNITY IS A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS, AND SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, SPONSOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES AND PURSUE ALL OTHER REMEDIES AGAINST ANY SUCH INDIVIDUAL TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW.**

Sponsor may prohibit an entrant from participating in the Opportunity or winning the prize if, in its sole discretion, it determines that said entrant is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Opportunity by cheating, deception, or other unfair playing practices (including the use of automated quick entry programs) or intending to annoy, abuse, threaten, or harass any other entrants, Sponsor, or Provider.

#### **8. Sponsor's Reservation of Rights**

If the Opportunity or any related contest is not practically capable of running as planned for any reason outside the control of the Sponsor, including without limitation, due to a force majeure event or infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, government orders, natural disasters, the effects of any pandemic or any other causes which corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity, or proper conduct of the Opportunity, Sponsor reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to modify, suspend, or cancel the Opportunity or any affected contest.

#### **9. Governing Law**

All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Official Rules, the rights and obligations of entrants and winners, and the rights and obligations of the Sponsor in connection with the Opportunity, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of Washington DC, without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law rules. Sponsor's failure to enforce any term of these Official Rules shall not constitute a waiver of that or any other provision. If any provision of these Official Rules is held to be invalid or unenforceable, such provision shall be struck, and the remaining provisions shall be enforced.

#### **10. Privacy**

Any personally identifiable information collected during an entrant's participation in the Opportunity will be collected and used by Sponsor and its designees for the administration and fulfillment of the Opportunity and as otherwise described in these Official Rules, applicable announcements, and Sponsor's privacy policy available at <https://www.nvfc.org/privacy-policy/>.

If provided by entrant, entrant's e-mail address may be used to send entrant newsletters regarding Sponsor's products and other information which may be of interest to entrant.

#### **11. Winner List**

For the names of the winners of the Opportunity, send an email to [\[nvfcoffice@nvfc.org\]](mailto:nvfcoffice@nvfc.org). Requests must be received no later than sixty (60) days after the end of the applicable contest.