

ONLINE TOOLS AND RESOURCES FOR ORGANIZING AND EDUCATING VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES

REV UP: Register, Educate, Vote, Use your Power

The REV UP network is composed of state and national coalitions organized through the American Association of People with Disabilities that works to advance the Disability Vote. REV UP’s mission is to foster civic engagement and protect the voting rights of Americans with disabilities. Their “Community Organizers” webpage provides resources for building a local REV UP Coalition, organizing voter registration campaigns, and educating voters on their rights and how to exercise them. REV UP also provides online training and tools for organizing National Disability Voter Registration Week events.

Community Organizers Page: www.aapd.com/advocacy/voting/community-organizers

Resources for Voter Registration Organizers: www.aapd.com/advocacy/voting/voter-resource-center

National Disability Voter Registration Week – July 13-17: www.aapd.com/advocacy/voting/national-disability-voter-registration-week

Get Out the Vote: Tools for Building a Winning Campaign

This downloadable publication of The Campaign Workshop is a step-by-step guide for creating a Get Out the Vote Campaign, organizing volunteers, conducting the campaign, and analyzing the data.

www.thecampaignworkshop.com/sites/default/files/GOTV_Tools%20for%20Building%20a%20Winning%20Program.pdf

Nonprofit Votes Count GOTV Toolkit

This webpage of Nonprofit Vote provides an online toolkit for guides, templates, factsheets and other resources for building an internal campaign for staff and volunteers of your not-for-profit organization.

www.nonprofitvote.org/nonprofitvotescount/gotv-toolkit

Easter Seals Voter Checklist for People with Disabilities

Organizers can use this Votercomprehensive checklist of voter rights and resources for individuals with disabilities and a downloadable resource card for voters to take to the polls.

www.easterseals.com/explore-resources/living-with-disability/people-with-disabilities-voting-checklist-at-polls.html

Vote Smart Political Factcheck ToolPolitica

is a non-profit, non-partisan research organization that collects and distributes information on candidates for public office in the United States. It covers candidates and elected officials in six basic areas: background information, issue positions (via the Political Courage Test), voting records, campaign finances, interest group ratings, and speeches, and public statements.

justfacts.votesmart.org

Disability Rights New York Protection and Advocacy for Voting Access (PAVA)

Disability Rights New York's Protection and Advocacy for Voting Access (PAVA) program provides ongoing advocacy to improve access to the electoral process for individuals with disabilities. The "Litigation" section of their website also provides information about the disposition of voter rights actions filed by or on behalf of individuals with disabilities.

www.drny.org/page/pa-for-voting-access-pava-26.html

Including People with Disabilities in Your Political Campaign

This downloadable publication by the National Council on Independent Living can be provided to candidates and their campaign staff to help them understand the importance of and ways of including individuals with disabilities in their political campaigns.

www.ncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/4-13-18-Resource-for-Campaign-Staff-on-Disabled-Volunteers.pdf

Vote411

A project of the League of Women Voters, this website provides details on all national, state and local elections including who is running and details on what else is on your ballot, including information on propositions and proposals. Candidates in all of these elections are identified and each is invited to submit background and platform information.

www.vote411.org/new-york

Rock the Vote

Rock the Vote is a nonpartisan nonprofit dedicated to building the political power of young people. Their website offers downloadable toolkits for Voter Registration Drives and organizing local VoteFests, and digital tools for registration drives.

www.rockthevote.org