

Action Alert

September 3, 2020

Election Day is just over two months away and some citizens will begin voting in two weeks. Our Democratic members are working hard and executing vigorous campaigns. Thank you for all that you are doing because your work will reap great benefits for Democrats up and down the ticket.

Today, I am urging each state and local chapter to quickly assemble a petition with hundreds of names of supporters urging our universities and colleges to encourage students to apply to be poll workers. These institutions should give these students an excused absence for November 3 so that they can work the polls. This needs to happen immediately.

The number of polls that will be open for citizens to utilize will depend on the number of poll workers that are available to work. We must encourage these young people to step-up and take these poll worker positions during this time that older Americans are staying home because of the pandemic. If our polling locations have long, daunting lines, many citizens will leave without voting. We must make sure that our citizens can cast their votes during this critical election.

Another way to help our candidates is phone banking from your home using your own computer. The Biden Campaign and our Democratic candidates for Congress have computer programs that you can log into and easily follow their script and then record the outcome of your phone call.

Planning a voter registration drive? NFDW Chair of Women In Blue Estell Lloyd is suggesting that you use the name "Women In Blue" to help bring awareness to this important program.

Thank you again. We have a great opportunity to take back the White House, the U.S. Senate and many state legislative seats. With your help, we can make this happen.

Your Democratic Sister,

Cindy Janks