SIX WAYS TO USE OUR DEMOCRACY TO STIR UP GOOD TROUBLE

Democracy is a government that is of, by, and for the people. That means us! There are so many ways for people to have our say over the policies that impact our lives and the people that represent us. Especially now, with the elections coming up, it is more important than ever that we say loud and clear that all people in America deserve a chance to thrive so that our candidates and elected officials know the type of governing we need.

1. **GET OUT THE VOTE:** Knock on doors, make phone calls, make donations. Check out a race where you can make a difference in your community at bit.ly/jointheleagueofheroes.

2. **PROTECT ELECTIONS:** If you see or experience intimidation or any form of suppression at the polls, call the election protection hotline: 866-OUR-VOTE (866-687-8683).

3. **WORK THE POLLS:** It’s not too late to sign up to be a volunteer on Election Day. Sign up online at the U.S. Elections Assistance Commission!

4. **VOLUNTEER WITH A GRASSROOTS ORGANIZATION:** Across the country, there are local organizations that bring people together to organize their communities. Together, we have more power to make a difference. See if there’s a Center for Popular Democracy affiliate in your community.

5. **VOTE:** There are so many ways to have our voices heard — and casting a ballot is one of them. Don’t forget to vote on November 6!

6. **INVEST IN THE MOVEMENT:** Support our work as we continue to create a world where communities have the freedom to thrive with the dignity and respect they deserve: populardemocracy.org/donate.

The Center for Popular Democracy is a national network of more than 50 community organizations dedicated to achieving racial and economic justice through local grassroots organizing. CPD trains and supports leadership, staff, and members to grow base-building organizations to scale and leverage that strength to win cutting-edge policy victories at the federal, state, and local level.

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