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Hi y'all,

Another week, another opportunity to improve our state. Here are the actions for this week. This week's actions need to be done on Monday or Tuesday, so don't delay!

### **1. Vote on Tuesday!**

If you didn't get a chance to vote during early voting, you still have 1 day left. **Tuesday, November 5** is your final opportunity to vote. Polls are open from 7 am to 7 pm, and you'll need to check your county to find your polling location and see what's on your ballot.

**Where to Vote:** [Texas Secretary of State](#)

**Read more:** [Texas Tribune: Texas 2019 Constitutional Amendments - What Voters Need Know](#)

**The Amendments:** [Texas Secretary of State 2019 Amendment Explanatory Statements](#)

**League of Women Voters:** [Texas Election Information](#)

**A partisan recommendation:** From Reps Rosenthal and Goodwin: recommend Yes on all but #4; Maybe/No on #9

### **2. Remind your friends, family, neighbors, and coworkers to vote**

For people with very busy lives, raising kids, working multiple jobs, etc., it can be easy to miss that there is an election on Tuesday. Make sure people know their votes are important and impactful and that Tuesday is their last day to have a say in their local government.

### **3. Bring a friend to vote with you!**

For people less familiar with it, voting in Texas can feel intimidating. Invite a friend to come and vote with you, or set up something fun to get a whole group to get out and vote.

**Here are some ideas:** [Effective Ways to Peer Pressure Your Friends into Voting](#)

### **4. Volunteer for Eliz Markowitz to flip HD 28**

When John Zerwas announced his departure from his seat in the Texas House of Representatives, it opened up a window to flip the seat. Dr. Eliz Markowitz is running against a crowded field of Republicans to take the seat. Knock on some doors or make some phone calls to make sure we give her the best chance at a win as possible.

**Sign up:** [www.mobilize.us/eliz4tx](http://www.mobilize.us/eliz4tx) - Canvass or Virtual Phone Bank Monday or Tuesday!

**For more:** [Texas Tribune: Democrats Eye Texas House District 28 Special Election](#)

*Learn about Eliz:* [eliz4tx.com](http://eliz4tx.com)

**5. Call Governor Abbott at 512-463-1782 on Monday and sign up to volunteer to push back on his fearful rhetoric against the homeless**

Governor Abbott is threatening the city of Austin and enticing fear and hatred of our most vulnerable neighbors. This Monday (TOMORROW), the Governor is planning to use the Texas Department of Transportation to clear encampments under many of Austin's highways. Individuals experiencing homelessness are at risk of losing shelter and belongings. Stand up to hate and government overreach!

**Sign up:** [Homes not Handcuffs Rapid Response](#)

**For more:** [Texas Tribune: Abbott and Adler at odds as Texas readies to Clear Encampments](#)

**Say:** "Hi, I'm a constituent of Governor Abbott's, and I'm calling because I'm appalled at his action toward the homeless in Austin. Not only is his response to the issue of homeless outside of his jurisdiction (whatever happened to local control!?), but his proposed actions will likely cause harm to Texans experiencing homelessness. If the Governor is serious about solving the homeless problem, then he needs to push forward policies that provide affordable housing. The only solution to homelessness is housing. Period. My zip code is \_\_\_\_."

That's it for this week. Let's make sure we're doing everything we can to support our neighbors.

Much love,  
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