

HOW TO BE AN EFFECTIVE PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRAT IN HAWAII

FOUR EASY STEPS:

1. YOU MUST BE REGISTERED TO VOTE IN HAWAII.

If you are not registered to vote in Hawai'i, have moved since the last time you voted, or have not voted in the last two election cycles, you must fill out a voter registration form which you can get from the State Elections office website, from the County Clerk or from the front page of pd-hawaii.com.

2. YOU MUST OFFICIALLY JOIN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF HAWAII BY SIGNING A PARTY ENROLLMENT CARD.

Many people consider themselves Democrats because they always vote for Democrats, or take a Democratic ballot during primary elections. The Party has no record of those things. To participate fully in Party activities, you must formalize your status as a "Democrat" by submitting a Party membership enrollment card. It is fast and easy. And it gives you a voice and a vote in internal Party decisions. You can get an enrollment form from the campaign, our website or from the Party.

3. YOU SHOULD SIGN UP WITH PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRATS OF HAWAII.

It is important that the campaign has information for contacting you in the event of important developments and to help you find your correct precinct caucus on March 7th. On Oahu, call 265-1334. Or visit us at: pd-hawaii.com.

4. ATTEND THE DEMOCRATIC PRECINCT MEETINGS ON MARCH 7TH 2006.

During Presidential election years, this is Hawai'i's Presidential Primary! But it is unlike a regular election. It is not conducted by the State or County elections offices, but by the Democratic Party itself. It will usually take place in a local school cafeteria or a public library, but often not in the same place as your regular polling place. At that meeting, during Presidential election years, somewhere between 3500 and 5000 Democrats across the State will vote for their candidate for the Democratic nomination for President. The other very important event at these meetings is the election of Democratic Party district officers and representatives to the County and State Democratic Conventions.