

### O'AHU DEMS DOING MORE IN 2024

Mahalo to all our Democrats who have come out to the first handful of events to build momentum into this Presidential Election year! In this newsletter, we'll recap our January and February events - plus keep an eye out for more information on the upcoming Biennial Elections on March 6, 2024 at 6 p.m.

### Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service



Throughout November, December, and January, Oʻahu Dems collected canned food donations for our first Day of Service food drive at Palama Settlement. On the Martin Luther King Jr. Day weekend, volunteers packed donation bags and then handed them out to those facing food insecurity. Thank you to everyone who played a role in making this even a success!











### Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Parade

Oahu Dems were out bright and early to honor the legacy of Martin Luther King Jr. by marching in the annual celebration parade through Waikiki.

Mahalo to the Affirmative Action, Inclusion & Diversity Committee for organizing parade participants for this event! The parade route ended at Kapi'olani Park where a Unity Festival continued commemoration.

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### We Love Our Democratic Electeds!: Valentine's Day Social, February 8

The second annual Valentine's Day Social was a lovefest of O'ahu Dems coming together to help fundraiser for Biennial Elections, service projects, parades, and other events planned for the rest of 2024! Participants talked story with State Senate and House members, snacked on heavy pupu from Diamond Sports Bar & Lounge, bid on baskets in a competitive silent auction, enjoyed board and video game competitions, and caught up with members from across the island.

Great to see everyone who joined us and if we missed you - hope to see you next year!















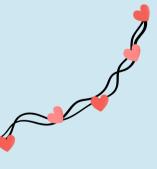




















#### O'ahu Dems Postcarders are doing it!

Help restore Democracy one card at a time.

Join the Crew today!

America Has an Anti-MAGA Majority - David Graham, The Atlantic

Democrats Flip George Santos's House Seat in Early Election-Year Test - Nicholas Fandos, The New York Times

Our postcarders Aloha outreach using targeted lists helped elect Pennsylvania's John Fetterman to the US Senate in 2022 and will continue to elect Democrats in 2024. - Roger Davis, Oʻahu Dems Postcard Manager

Red Wave, Blue Undertow - Michael Podhorzer, Weekend Reading Oʻahu Dems Postcarders are communicating directly with Anti-MAGAs & Youth around the country for voter registration.

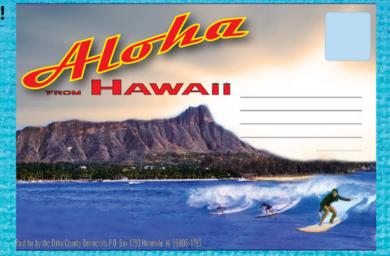
O`ahu Dems Postcarders wrote postcards to register Democrats for this NY-03 special election to help provide the baseline for this victory.

O'ahu Dems Postcard program has been churing out cards for four years to critical states around the nation.

The Blue Wave is continuing to grow with a significant Blue Undertow helping to make it happen. Each postcard gives power to the undertow for a massive Blue Wave in 2024.

Don't let the MAGA madness get you down! Be a part of the Blue Undertow. Get your pack of postcards today. They're working!

> Contact Davy Strand <u>dnstrand@gmail.com</u> to volunteer to send these *Aloha from Hawaii* O'ahu Dems postcards. Stamps provided upon request.



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### ORGANIZING FOR ELECTIONS 2024 GUIDES FOR CANDIDATES

Whether you're thinking about running for office in 2024 or trying to help an inspiring Democrat with their campaign, the Organizing for Elections 2024 team is here to help! They've put together a helpful guide with everything to get a campaign committee created to helpful tips on running during the hectic election cycle. Let's get Democrats into our elected seats up and down the ballot this year!

To request *Running to Win! A Guide for Candidates* please email Susan Young at <u>sssy@hawaii.rr.com</u>



# **BEFORE YOU GO...**

Stay in touch with us! Whether you're looking for an opportunity to get involved or want to sponsor a project with fellow Democrats, we're here to help you! Let us know at <u>oahudems@gmail.com</u>



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