

ROLL OUT BALLOT RETURNS

Leadership Meeting
OCTOBER 13, 2022



MEETING AGENDA

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Welcome

Attendance

GOTV Reports: International, AP, DACN

GOTV Planning for October: Info, Comms, Events

Motions and New Business

SEPTEMBER WORK

GOTV - every day, every way!

State Teams Meetings & MTC Events

DPCA Meetings

AP Regional Meeting

AP Comms Catch Ups

DA Comms Calls

September 11th Memorial

Voter 4-1-1

Crouching Tiger, Hidden Caller

Tacobout It Tuesdays

DACN Meeting

ECCC Steering Meetings

ECCC Climate Cafe

GDC Steering Meetings

Disability & Seniors Caucus Social

ProDA Meet the Candidates

ProDA Party (Call-a-Thon)

GWC Reproductive Freedom Event

Delivering Democracy - Voter Assistance

Ballot Day Rally Watch Party

Intercom, CallHub, Social Media, Member Emails, Wiki





DEMOCRATS
ABROAD
China

DEMOCRATS ABROAD CHINA



Volunteer Vacancies

- CAUCUS CHAIRS
- COMMITTEE LEADERS
- MEMBER-AT-LARGE
- TREASURER
- VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR

CONTACT US

TAKE ACTION

GET INVOLVED

Register to vote and return your ballot!

Encourage your friends, family, and any US citizens to register to vote

Become a member of Democrats Abroad

Get in touch with DACN on WeChat for ways you can help

Attend or help plan an event

Follow, like and share DACN, Democrats Abroad and Vote From Abroad messages on social media

Learn how to call other DA members to help them vote

Learn how to help other US citizens abroad register to vote and return their ballots

Join a State Team to get out the vote in a specific battleground states (even if you don't vote in that state)

Questions? Write to us at: info-China@democratsabroad.org, or find us on WeChat: **Lizconsin**

TAKE ACTION

VOLUNTEER

Train Up:

Confidentiality Agreement

GDPR

Voter Assistance Training

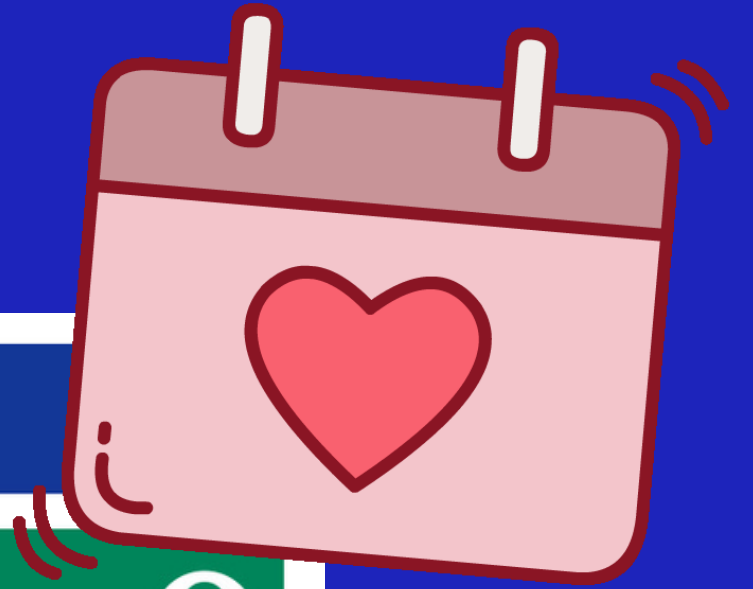
Phone Bank Training

Train to Train Phone Bankers

Intercom Training



OCTOBER EVENTS



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- DACN Event
- DPCA/DNC Event
- Global Caucus Event
- Global Event
- Global Webinars
- Important Voter Updates!
- Regional Events
- Training Events



Event Planning

OCTOBER

GOTV - we need your help!

Voter 4-1-1

Tacobout It Tuesday

Book Club

Crouching Tiger, Trained Caller

GOTV: Dial-a-Dem

Political Power Hour

ECCC Event

Motivating Movies

DACN Board Meeting

Halloween Helpdesk

Watch Parties/Discussions



11.05 AM

100%

Phonebank Training

Incoming Call



Remind me



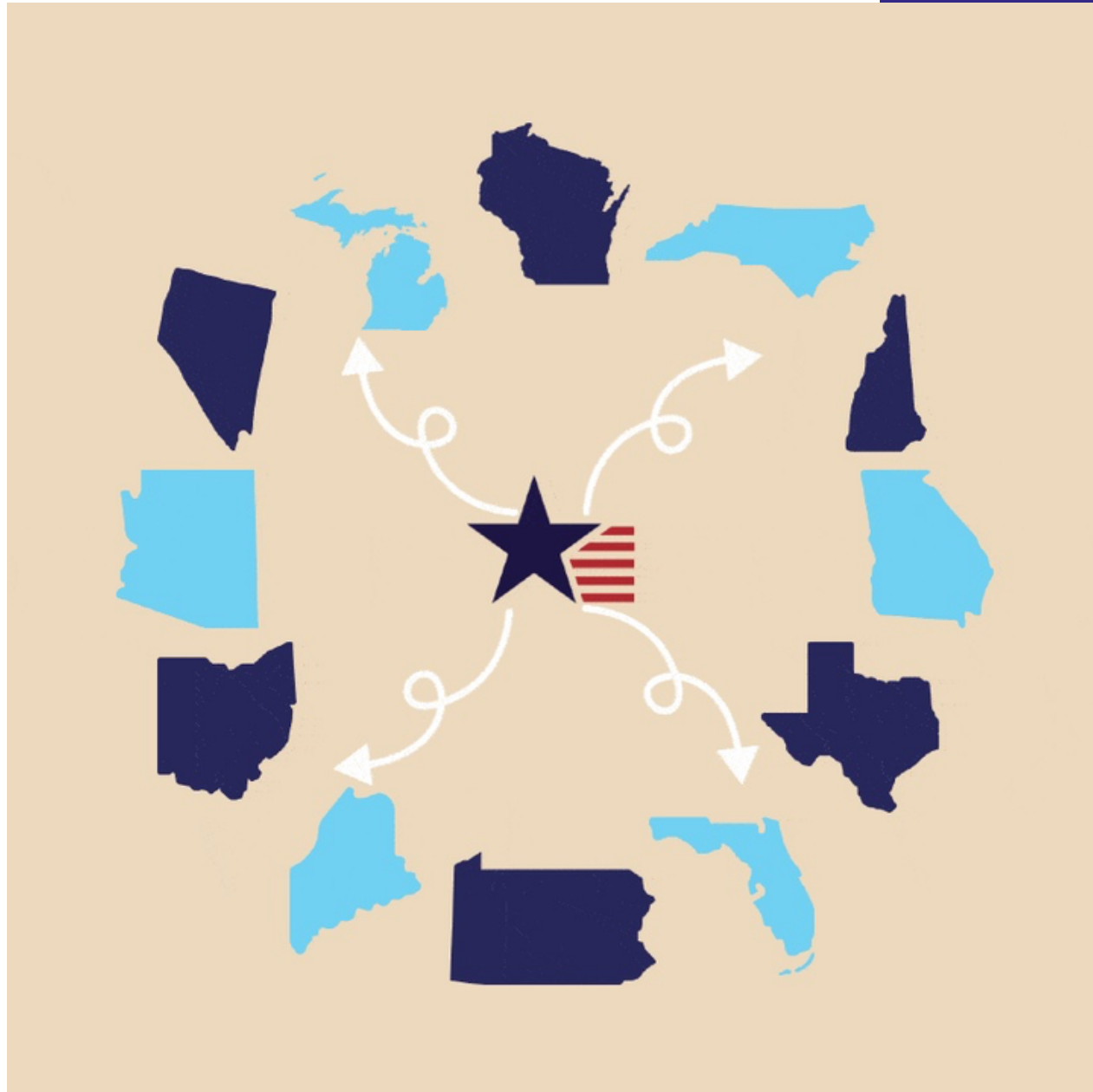
Message



Decline



Accept





2022 VISION

There are many aspects to GOTV that have proven successful. DACN leaders need to rise to the occasion and carve out time to ensure we see as many voters return ballots as possible!

Newsletters & E-blasts

Our Communications Team creates content members want to read! Every Caucus, Committee and Board member should contribute a quote, idea, picture, or action through the year.

Phone Calls

Proven to be the most successful method of converting interested parties into voters, we must make calls. Join call banks!

Answer

We respond to messages via WeChat , DACN email accounts, and Intercom. We need more help answering voter questions. democratsabroad.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/Intercom/overview

Social Media

DACN content has been lifting us off the page and into regular conversation. Help ensure it reaches voters here, as well as harness speakers and major political influencers. Follow and share!

Advertising

Event advertising will expand our outreach. Help find more platforms to spread our event messaging!

VoteFromAbroad.org
Absentee Ballots for Americans

Can you please email me my absentee ballot?

Yes! Overseas voters need to request their ballot every calendar year!

American Abroad

Local Election Official

Your Overseas Absentee Ballot:

Americans living overseas have the right to vote. Before you can vote, you need to request your ballot. Ballots are emailed 45 days before the election. You must return your ballot by the deadline for your state. Complete your ballot request and learn more: votefromabroad.org/states

Request it. Receive it. Return it.



VOTE BY MAIL

AR CT GA ID IL IA KY MD MI MN MO NH NJ NY OH PA SD TN TX VT VA WI WY

Voting in these states?
You must mail your ballot.

Other states may allow email return. For the latest:
VOTEFROMABROAD.ORG/STATES

VOTE BY MAIL

Using the Diplomatic Pouch

Free mail service from embassies and consulates to a U.S. sorting facility.

BEFORE YOU GO:

- Follow the instructions for completing your ballot and securing in one (sometimes two) envelopes.

Add US postage or print out a postage-paid envelope.
fvap.gov/uploads/FVAP/Forms/fwab_envelope.pdf

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BEFORE YOU GO:

- Plan to go the embassy or consulate's business hours for ACS (American Citizens Services) between 1-3PM. No appointment necessary.

Check deadlines for ballot dropoff.

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BEFORE YOU GO:

- Bring your passport.

Be prepared:
You **must request** a tracking number or other means to confirm when your ballot was sent.

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There's a backup ballot



No ballot by early October?
The Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot
(FWAB) is your backup
Find it at [FVAP.gov](https://fvap.gov).

Send by your recommended vote-by date



October 1, 2022
on a ship at sea



October 24, 2022
outside the U.S.



October 31, 2022
stateside

Sooner is better. Now is best.
Make sure your ballot gets back on time.

DAILY DACN ROUTINE



October 13, 2022



Accomplishments

What did you do yesterday?

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- Action Content

- Graphic for Crouching Tiger, Trained Caller

- Minutes updates

- GOTV Graphic Content, schedule

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- Newsletter, Member Spotlight

- Calls

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Blockers

What are your obstacles?

- Ready for action!

- In lockdown

- Work

- School

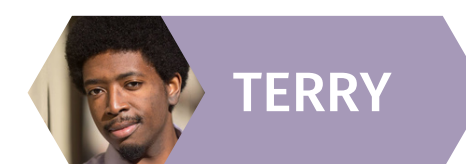
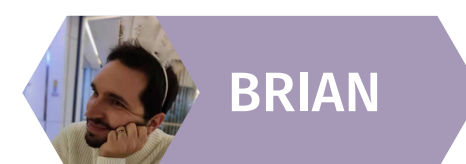
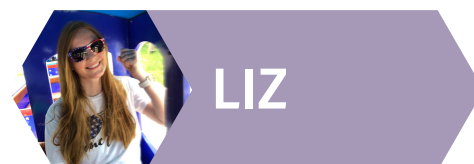
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COMMS ROADMAP



October



	Calendars			Publish: social media, on a schedule
Events		Create content & graphics, send to Liz/Charles		
			Publish: website	
Newsletters	Create content for Newsletter, Follow Ups			
		Collaborate with Liz, Board Agenda		
		Create 'News' Post Materials		DACN Admin will send Eblast & Follow Ups
Social Media	Plan			
		Create Content & Graphics		
			Launch Campaigns According to Schedule	
News & Wiki	Schedule		Create 'News' Post Materials & Wiki Content	
				DACN Admin will publish

NOVEMBER 22 ROADMAP



October

Week 1

Week 2

Week 3

Week 4

GOTV Development

GOTV Initial Announcements

Deploy VFA - Social Media & E-blast

Finalize October Comms

Call Bank Contest

Membership Verification

Ballot Drop Day Msgs

E-blast 2

Ballot Drop - Individual Replies

E-blast 2 - Individual Replies

Phone Bank States Round - all the calls!

Communications Schedule

Announcements

September Newsletter

Launch Member Spotlight

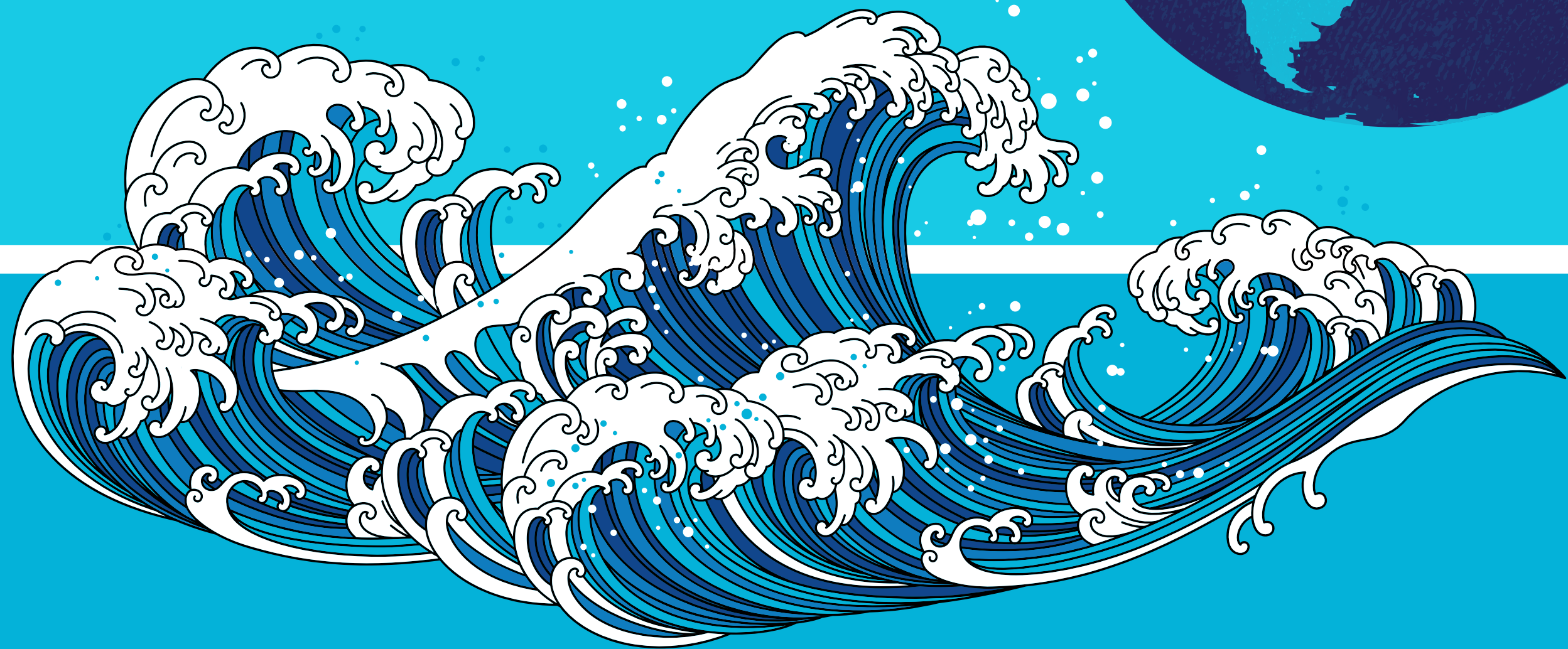
Ballot Drop Messaging x 2

Update Wiki Pages

Finalize October 2022 Schedule



**GONNA TAKE MY BALLOT DOWN TO CHINA POST
GONNA VOTE DOWN BALLOT AND SUBMIT MY VOTE**



Search 'Logos 2022" on the Wiki



Poster Template



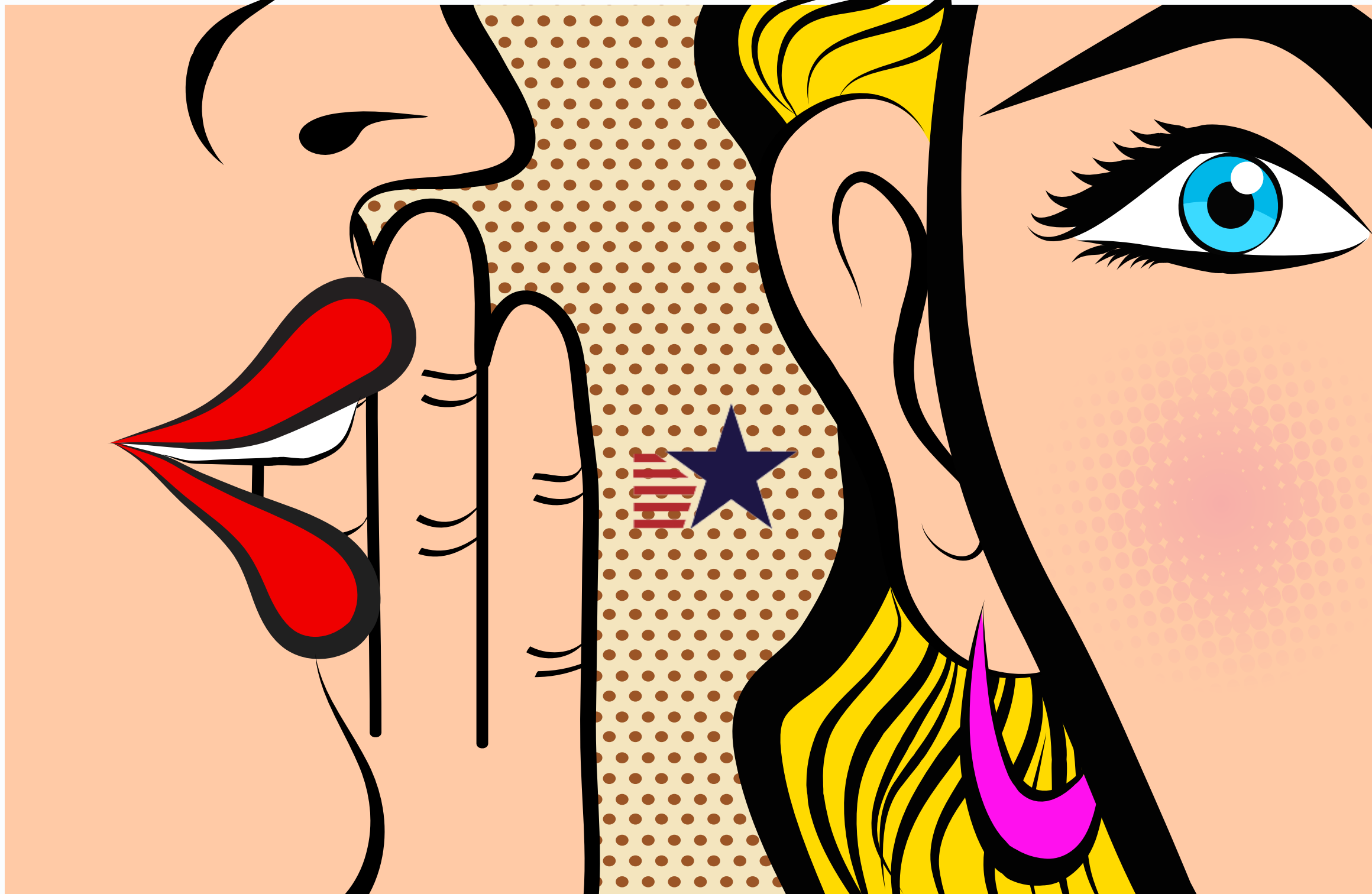
Size: Insta Vertical Poster + Facebook Ad
1080px x 1350px

1) RSVP to DemocratsAbroad.org

2) Info: WHAT & WHY
DEALS & ENTICEMENTS

3) Event Timing/Location





TELL YOUR FRIENDS!



Find Us Online!



INSTAGRAM

Share Info



FACEBOOK

Learn about Events



TWITTER

Make Waves

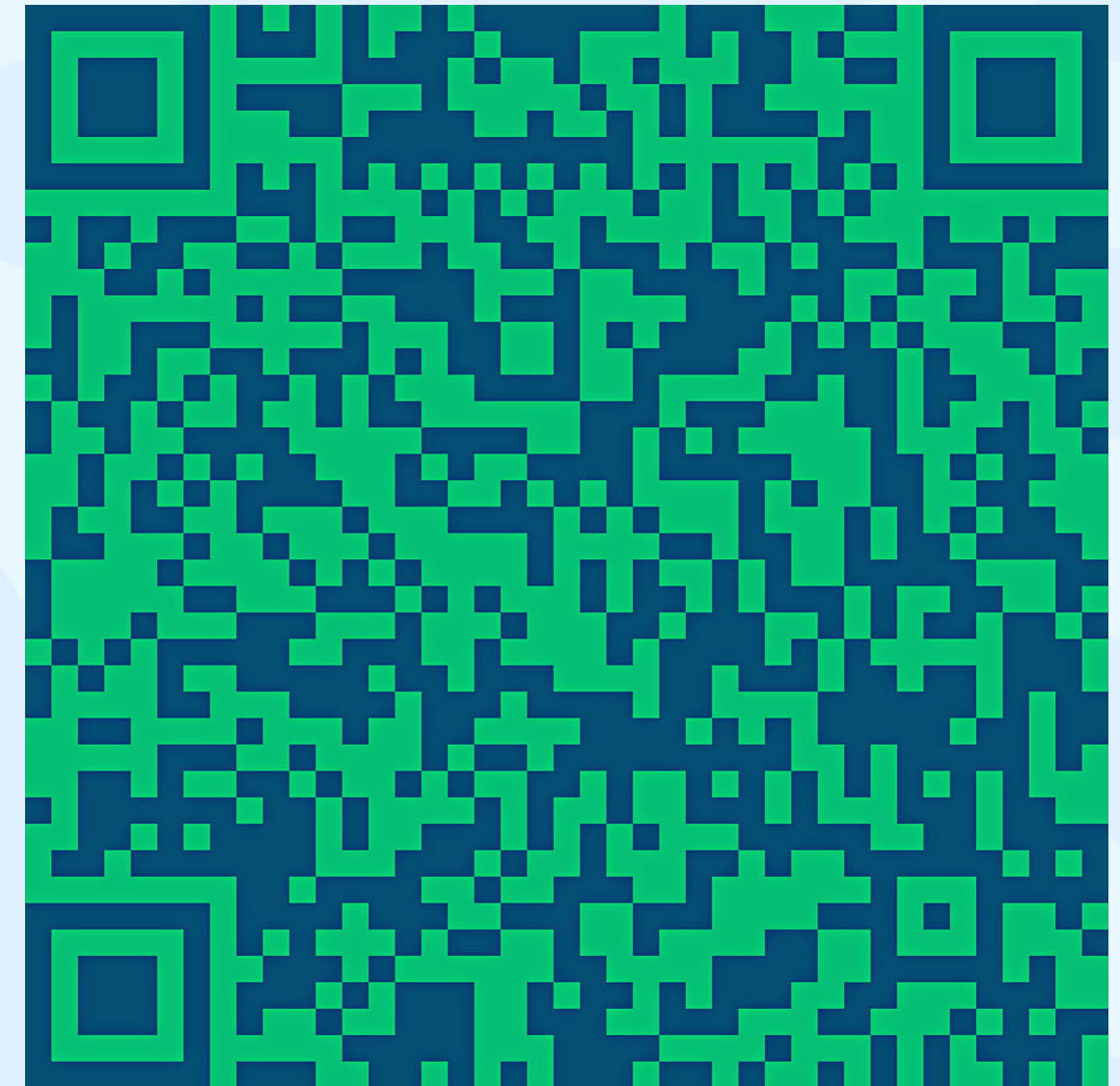
The Website

DPCA & DACN News & Events



The Wiki

DPCA & DACN Depository





#readytovotefromabroad

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[Vote from Abroad.org](http://VotefromAbroad.org)

**DON'T
QUIT!**

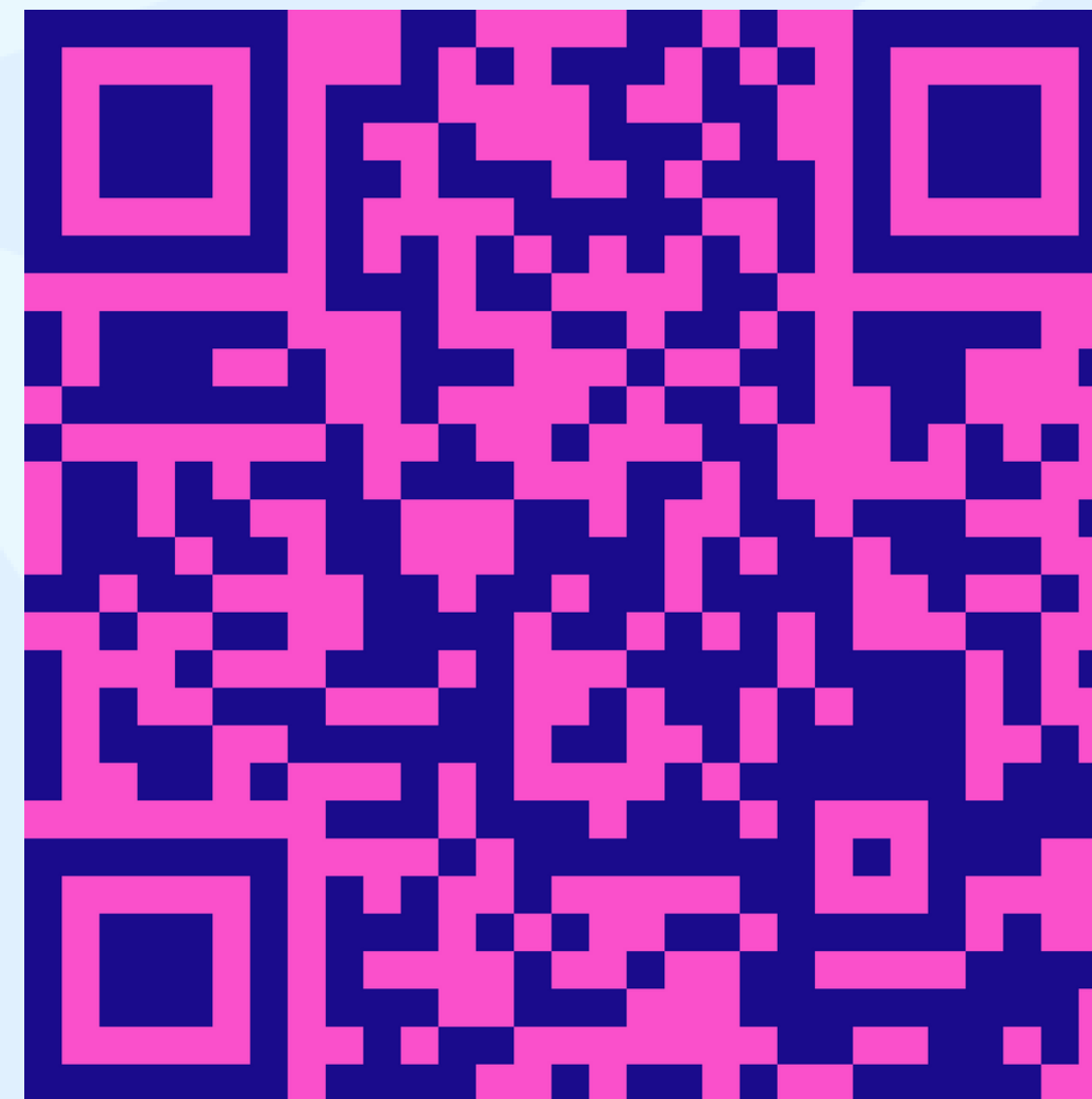
VOTE

www.votefromabroad.org



The Calendar

DACN on TeamUp



November

is coming

Vote. There is no do-over.



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LET'S GET TO  WORK!