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DEMOCRACY RESOURCES AND THE CASCADE AIDS PROJECT: GATHERING SIGNATURES TO RAISE AWARENESS

Gathering signatures can do more than just put a measure on the ballot. Signature gathering can raise awareness, sway elected officials, increase issue visibility, or even open up new sources of funding for organizations as it did for the Cascade AIDS Project.

In the Spring of this year, Democracy Resources and CAP gathered 10,000 signatures from registered voters to qualify for a Charitable Check-off Box on state income tax forms, allowing Oregonians to donate money directly from their tax return to help fund AIDS awareness and support for the HIV-Positive community in the Pacific Northwest.

It was a great experience to work with CAP's wonderful staff and dedicated volunteers on this effort. The energy and motivation they displayed throughout the process was an inspiration to us. Their focus on education and visibility was the perfect compliment to our intensive voter contact program.

Whether we're helping non-profits secure additional funding, creating unique opportunities for visibility and voter engagement, or gathering signatures on ballot measures that change people's lives for the better, Democracy Resources is proud to support the Progressive community in our home state and nationwide.

