

IND Cobb - Candidate Corner Updates and GREAT NEWS!!

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Good afternoon!

Welcome to our Midterm Candidate Corner!

But FIRST, I will start with the GOOD NEWS, albeit, a little late...

TED LASSO IS BACK, BABY!!

That's right! **Ted Lasso is back on Apple TV for its last and final season** - Season 4. The first 4 episodes are already out and episode 5 drops tonight!

Why does this matter?

Ted Believes in the Impossible. And Then Doing the Work.

There's a lesson in *Ted Lasso* that feels especially relevant right now: **believing in the impossible doesn't mean pretending it will be easy. It means believing it's possible enough to be worth working for.**

Ted never believed that optimism alone would win the day. He believed in people. He believed in showing up. He believed that small acts, repeated over and over, could change the outcome.

That's where we are right now.

And now back to our regular programming...

The midterms are now just **62 days away** - that's less than **9 weeks until Election Day** and less than **6 weeks until Early Voting begins!**

If you are regularly out doing the work, this newsletter is NOT for you.

It's for those who have yet to sign up to get involved in the work. The Blue Tsunami isn't coming to save us. We have to build it - one conversation, one phone call, one door, one voter at a time. What are YOU doing to build it?

What are **YOU** doing right now to make sure people actually get to the polls?

Who have **YOU** personally encouraged to vote during Early Voting?

Have **YOU** signed up for a canvassing shift? A phone bank? A text bank?

If not **YOU**, then who?

Are **YOU** simply hoping other people will do the work—or are **YOU** one of the people doing it?

How many voters could **YOU** personally reach between now and Election Day?

What are **YOU** doing to make sure your friends, family, neighbors, and community know when and where to vote?

What are **YOU** doing to protect free and fair elections this November?

Are **YOU** willing to be a poll worker, poll watcher, election protection volunteer, or help educate voters about their rights?

When we wake up the day after the election, will **YOU** be able to say **YOU** did everything you could?

Because democracy isn't protected by the people who are watching from the sidelines. What role are **YOU** going to play?

This is a **LIMITED-TIME ASK**. There is a LOT of work to be done, and we need your help if we want to bring about the change we so desperately seek. **Don't wake up on Nov 4 wishing you had done more.**

*So, again, I ask, how will **YOU** plug in this week?*



IND COBB CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<https://www.indivisiblecobb.org/calendar>



CANVASSING = THE #1 GOTV GAME CHANGER

We don't care who you canvass with as long as you are out doing the work, BUT the difference between canvassing with **IND Cobb**, and directly with **candidates**, is the universe we are targeting.

IND Cobb's universe of voters are all STRONG and LEANING Dems and No Data voters with STRONG DEM scores. In other words, ALL FRIENDLIES.

The candidates are targeting MORE PERSUADABLE VOTERS.

We are NOT trying to dissuade anyone from volunteering directly with candidates, but we DO want you to be aware of the distinction between our turfs.

The barrier to entry for first time canvassers is MUCH lower with our canvassing events. So come out and hone your skills with us and then take them to the campaign of your choice. Just come out and DO THE WORK!



IND NEIGHBOR2NEIGHBOR



N2N is relational organizing or canvass-lite. It's talking to your immediate FRIENDLY neighbors. Get started today!

<https://neighbor2neighbor.io/campaign/ooed3387-fe88-44da-bod9-5076bfd76527/form>

IND COBB CANVASSING EVENTS

 **EVERY SATURDAY** until Midterms join **IND Cobb canvassing** in:

- **EAST COBB**, 10-12p - Register [HERE](#)
- **WEST COBB**, 10:30-12:30p - Register [HERE](#)

 **Interested in weekday canvassing??** Every **WEDNESDAY** until Midterms join **IND Cobb canvassing** in:

- **EAST COBB**, 4-6p - Register [HERE](#)
- **WEST COBB**, 4-6p - Register [HERE](#)

 Walking and knocking doors is one of the most effective ways to get voters to the polls. And guess what? **It's fun. It's rewarding. It's exercise.** You'll have meaningful conversations with like-minded voters, meet your neighbors, and make a real impact. We know it's hot as hell out there, though. So, if walking isn't your thing, **sign up to drive!** Drivers are just as important to making canvassing happen.

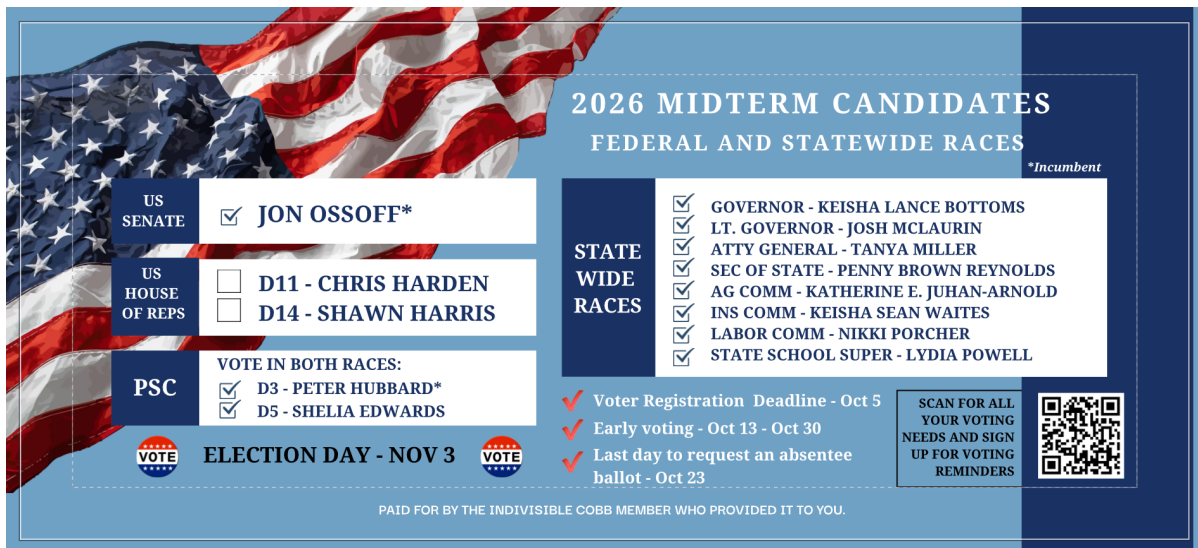
IND COBB CANDIDATE COMMUNITY CANVASSING

- **Sat Sept 12 - Candidate Community Canvass (CCC) and Lunch in EAST COBB House District 46**
 - Register [HERE](#) to canvass with Dumont Walker HD46, Chris Harden CD11 and Micheal Garza (SB Post 4).
- **Sat Sept 26 - Candidate Community Canvass (CCC) and Lunch in EAST COBB House District 45**
 - Register [HERE](#) to canvass with Michelle Schreiner HD45, Chris Harden CD11 and Kevin Redmon D3.
- **Sat Oct 3 - Candidate Community Canvass (CCC) and Lunch in EAST COBB House District 44**
 - Register [HERE](#) to canvass with Danielle Bell HD44, Michael Hettig SD32, Chris Harden CD11, and Micheal Garza SB Post 4.
- **Sat Oct 24 - Candidate Community Canvass (CCC) and Lunch in WEST COBB House District 34**
 - Register [HERE](#) to canvass with Titus Nichols HD34, Darcy Castro SD37 and Shawn Harris CD14.

JOIN THE CANVASSING SIGNAL GROUP

We will be communicating through event specific Signal Groups. Please sign up [HERE](#) for any and all canvassing updates and to stay in the know.

Universal Canvassing Lit!



2026 MIDTERM CANDIDATES
FEDERAL AND STATEWIDE RACES

**Incumbent*

US SENATE	☒ JON OSSOFF*
US HOUSE OF REPS	☐ D11 - CHRIS HARDEN ☐ D14 - SHAWN HARRIS
PSC	VOTE IN BOTH RACES: ☒ D3 - PETER HUBBARD* ☒ D5 - SHELIA EDWARDS

STATE WIDE RACES

- ☒ GOVERNOR - KEISHA LANCE BOTTOMS
- ☒ LT. GOVERNOR - JOSH MCLAURIN
- ☒ ATTY GENERAL - TANYA MILLER
- ☒ SEC OF STATE - PENNY BROWN REYNOLDS
- ☒ AG COMM - KATHERINE E. JUHAN-ARNOLD
- ☒ INS COMM - KEISHA SEAN WAITES
- ☒ LABOR COMM - NIKKI PORCHER
- ☒ STATE SCHOOL SUPER - LYDIA POWELL

☒ Voter Registration Deadline - Oct 5
☒ Early voting - Oct 13 - Oct 30
☒ Last day to request an absentee ballot - Oct 23

SCAN FOR ALL YOUR VOTING NEEDS AND SIGN UP FOR VOTING REMINDERS

ELECTION DAY - NOV 3

PAID FOR BY THE INDIVISIBLE COBB MEMBER WHO PROVIDED IT TO YOU.



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STATE AND LOCAL RACES

**Incumbent*

STATE SENATE	☐ D32 - MICHAEL HETTIG ☐ D37 - DARCY CASTRO ☐ D56 - PATRICK THOMPSON	STATE HOUSE REPS	☐ D19 - CYNTHIA STARKE-JONES ☐ D34 - TITUS NICHOLS ☐ D35 - LISA CAMPBELL* ☐ D36 - LUC NOISET ☐ D42 - GABRIEL SANCHEZ* ☐ D44 - DANIELLE BELL ☐ D45 - MICHELLE SCHREINER ☐ D46 - DUMONT WALKER
COUNTY COMM	☐ D3 - KEVIN REDMON		
COUNTY BOARD OF ED	☐ POST 4 - MICHEAL GARZA		

ELECTION DAY - NOV 3

Take this card with you to the polls and vote ALL the way down the ballot!

Voter Protection Hotline 1-866-OUR-VOTE

Ride to the Polls? Scan here:

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★ **THANKS TO THE GENEROSITY FROM A COLLECTIVE OF OUR MEMBERS,** they were able to print **10,000 pieces of canvassing literature.**

👉 **Our goal is to conduct coordinated, door-to-door canvassing, with each piece customized to reflect ALL the candidates who will appear on that voter's ballot.** They can then take this card with them to the ballot when they vote, because you can**NOT** use your phone. We will have supplemental candidate specific lit to hand them as well. Encourage them to donate locally to candidates who speak to them.

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📄 QR code on the front takes you to **IGC TurboVote** because if someone registers to vote through this link and there are issues, someone from the IGC will follow up with that voter to ensure any errors to their registration are corrected. Registering at MVP page through Secretary of State's office will NOT do this. You can also sign up for voting reminders through this code.

🚗 QR code on the back takes voters needing a **ride to the polls** to a Google Doc they complete with name, address and any accommodations they may need.

📞 IND COBB COMMUNITY PHONE BANKING

Open phone banks available to call into 7 days a week from 9a-8p.

- **General GOTV Phone Bank -**
https://www.openvpb.com/vpb_bycode/316D76N-783963
- **Indivisible National Phone Bank for Michelle Schreiner -**
https://www.openvpb.com/vpb_bycode/202D76J-305995

Many of you said you would be more inclined to phone bank if we offered a place where you could do it in community and be able to ask questions if they arise. **We listened and we've**

created opportunities in both East and West Cobb.

EAST COBB:

Someone has graciously opened their home to phone banking **SUNDAYS from 2-4p**. [Sign up now!](#)

WEST COBB:

Kirkwood Presbyterian Church has opened up their Middle Fellowship Hall for us. This offers break out rooms for quiet places from which to make your calls. Sign up for one of two or BOTH below!

SUNDAY, Aug 23, 2-4p - recurring weekly until Nov

MONDAY, Aug 24, 6-8p - recurring weekly until Nov

Register [HERE](#) for both Sunday and Monday events.

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NO EXPERIENCE necessary! Trained phone bankers will be available to train you and get you up and running quickly and confidently. We will be targeting friendlies who don't generally show up for midterms, but have DNC turnout scores of 70+.

JOIN THE PHONE BANKING SIGNAL GROUP

We will be communicating through event specific Signal Groups. Please sign up [HERE](#) for any and all phone banking updates and to stay in the know.

SIGN WAVING

Register [HERE](#) for this event in West Cobb, **11-12:30p**.

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SUNDAY VOTER REG AND LIT DROPS

NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY. Register [HERE](#) for this event in East Cobb, **11-1p**.

We will be communicating through event specific Signal Groups. Please sign up [HERE](#) for any and all phone banking updates and to stay in the know.

Midterm Election Volunteer Survey

Thank you to those who have already completed the survey. Your feedback is invaluable. We want to hear from you, so if you haven't yet, please fill out the [survey](#) below as honestly as possible. We will use this information to design a plan for engaging the most volunteers in the most effective ways in the upcoming months.



Consider making a donation to IND Cobb through our Defenders of Democracy fundraiser.



Program details can be found by clicking the link below.

DONATE to IND Cobb today!

Indivisible Silver Comet

👉 Consider making a donation to our sister organization, [Indivisible Silver Comet](#), a newly formed group working hard to get up and running. Your support can help them build the infrastructure they need to grow and make an impact in their community. 👉

🌐 STAY CONNECTED

This is not a comprehensive list of events, just a few we wanted to highlight. As always, please continue to check out our ever evolving [website](#) for a complete listing of [calendar](#) events and information. New events are entered daily.

Join one of our signal group chats:

Be sure to download the app and create an account and then feel free to join any one of our groups below for up to the minute information, to ask questions or just chat. Signal provides

end to end encryption for more private communications.

IND Cobb Main Chat - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb CTAs (Calls to Action) – click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Resources - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Announcements - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Rally/Protest Info - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Bookclub - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Marshals/Medics - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Mutual Aid - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Buy Nothing Project - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Community Service - click [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Voter Education - click [HERE](#)

***NEW* Midterm specific signal group chats:**

IND Cobb Canvassing - [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Phone banking - [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Sign Waving - [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Postcard Writing - [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Voter Registration - [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Poll Working - [HERE](#)

IND Cobb Poll Watching - [HERE](#)

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IND Cobb Ride2Polls - [HERE](#)

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Have questions or feedback? Reach out anytime — we love hearing from you.

✉ indivisiblecobb@proton.me

Thank you for all you do to hold the line and resist. See you out there.

In Solidarity,

Barbara, Stacey, Laura, Molly and Katie

<https://www.indivisiblecobb.org>

The Constitution is worth saving, the rule of law is worth saving, democracy is worth saving, but these things can and will be lost if everyone waits around for someone else. ~ Timothy Snyder, [On Tyranny](#)



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