

For Our Future PA

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For Our Future PA helped turn out the vote for Wolf, Casey, Lamb, Hohenstein, Williams and other key races across the state

The organization knocked on 128,000 doors in two-week Get Out The Vote effort

PHILADELPHIA (Nov. 6, 2018) – In the final two weeks leading up to Election Day, For Our Future Pennsylvania (FOF-PA), one of the largest independent progressive field operations in Pa., knocked on more than 128,000 doors across the state, advocating for progressive candidates like Governor Tom Wolf, Senator Bob Casey and Democrats all the way down the ballot. These regions included key victories such as: Madeleine Dean (CD-04), Mary Gay Scanlon (CD-05), Chrissy Houlahan (CD-06), Susan Wild (CD-07), Liz Hanbidge (HD-61), Joe Hohenstein (HD-177) and Lindsey Williams (SD-38).

With the newly redrawn congressional maps, For Our Future PA helped turn out voters for congressional candidates who helped Democrats win back the House of Representatives. Not to mention, Pennsylvania will officially be sending four women to Congress. FOF-PA also helped Democrats pick up a minimum of 10 seats in the state House of Representatives and five seats in the state Senate.

“For Our Future Pennsylvania knocked on our first door in February and we didn’t stop until the polls closed on Election Day,” said For Our Future Pennsylvania State Director Dena Gleason. “In the final two weeks leading up to the election, our canvassers knocked on 128,000 doors and were instrumental in turning out voters in key races that saw huge victories for Democrats tonight.”

Since February, FOF-PA’s team of canvassers and funded partners have knocked on more than 950,000 doors to understand which issues matter most to Pennsylvanians.

For Our Future PA is part of the America Votes Pennsylvania coalition made up of more than 50 progressive electoral and issue advocacy organizations. The coalition collectively knocked on 2.1 million doors during this election cycle and turned out a record number of midterm election voters across the state.

In addition to canvassing, FOF-PA launched a GOTV digital campaign using key models to help reach voters who are most likely to engage with digital ads in key races like Williams (SD-38), Hohenstein (HD-177) and Wolf. These ads collectively reached 750,000 people and had 1.6 million impressions.

FOF-PA set out to support progressive candidates who align with the core values of the organization and stand for the key issues concerning most Pennsylvanians. In an effort to educate voters and get out the vote in support of these candidates, we talked to voters on their doorsteps about the following newly elected and re-elected progressive candidates:

Governor:

- Tom Wolf

Senate:

- Bob Casey

US Congress:

- Madeleine Dean (CD-4)
- Mary Gay Scanlon (CD-5)
- Chrissy Houlahan (CD-6)
- Susan Wild (CD-7)
- Matt Cartwright (CD-8)
- Conor Lamb (CD-17)

State Senate:

- Maria Collett (SD-12)
- Lindsey Williams (SD-38)

State House:

- Liz Hanbidge (HD-61)
- Dan Williams (HD-74)
- Maureen Madden (HD-115)
- Joseph Ciresi (HD-146)
- Leanne Krueger-Braneky (HD-161)
- Joe Hohenstein (HD-177)

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About For Our Future Pennsylvania

For Our Future Pennsylvania Action Fund is a progressive 501(c)(4) and super PAC working to mobilize and empower people and community-based organizations to create lasting legislative change that benefits families and communities in Pennsylvania.