

DVP UPDATE FOR CAMPAIGNS #2

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STAY INFORMED

- Campaign updates contain unique information. Please take time review [prior updates](#).
- Inform us of changes to your contact information and additions to your campaign staff.
- Seattle Municipal Code and Commission Rules are now posted on a single page for your reference:
 - [Rules and Procedures](#) - Scroll down to "Elections Code"

CAMPAIGN REPRESENTATIVES

A person who is collecting any type of democracy voucher must be a named Campaign Representative. Before a person can collect on your behalf, send the name(s) in an email to our office. See the [2024 Candidate Toolkit](#) for regulations.

SUBMITTING YOUR QUALIFYING CONTRIBUTIONS AND SIGNATURES

Use the [2024 Qualifying Contribution and Signature Tracker](#).

New this year! You may submit contributions and signatures in batches.

- Batch 1 - Contains at least 100 contributions and 100 signatures each.
- Batch 2 - Contains another 200 of each.
- Batch 3 - Contains the remainder of what you need to have 400 qualified contributions and signatures.

REQUEST THE SEATTLE VOTER FILE

Send us an email to request a Seattle voter file directly from our office. It will contain all active and inactive Seattle voters. The newest voter file is from March. You will need the Seattle voter file to complete the following:

- Fill out the qualifying tracker to ensure you have valid contributions and signatures.
- Complete the bottom portion of the Campaign Replacement Form.

CAMPAIGN REPLACEMENT FORMS

- View the [Candidate Toolkit](#) for rules and regulations.
- Be sure to use the 2024 Campaign Replacement Form. Request a fillable form to post on your website or request paper copies by emailing democracyvoucher@seattle.gov.
- Campaigns may post Campaign Replacement Forms on their websites but please ensure the "Signature" portions are modified to be "Drawn-in" only. If not, they will be rejected by King County Elections and your campaigns will not receive those funds. Here is a quick [video tutorial](#) to "Drawn-In Signatures".
- Only the candidate and their named campaign representatives are allowed to collect Democracy Vouchers, of any kind. Additionally, a person cannot be compensated when collecting Campaign Replacement Forms per [Rule 16-J](#).
- Rule 16-J also states, "collectors shall disclose their role in writing via a conspicuous and legible sign, placard, or badge stating, 'DV campaign replacement form collector for [Candidate].'"

