Meet The Democracy Movement

**Key Organizations**

**Common Cause**
addressing partisan gerrymandering with community participation along with other key reforms

**Moral Mondays**
200+ organizations and 2M+ people building a coalition of “fusion” politics

**Democracy Matters**
students organizing across the country for democracy reforms

**Democracy Initiative**
60 partners, representing 40M people from labor to the environment advocating for democracy reforms

**Successes on the Ground**

- 13 states have moved the power to draw voting district lines from legislators to independent bodies
- In 2016, 14 pro-democracy ballot initiatives passed across the country
- Maine passed ranked-choice voting for US Senate and House races in addition to governor and state Senate and Assembly elections
- Oregon passed Automatic Voter Registration along with 7 other states plus Washington DC
- In more than 100 cities since 1994 democracy reformers have helped raise the minimum wage

**Why it Matters**

- Public financing of elections increases the number of and diversity of those that run for and win elections
- Democracy reforms are especially helpful to low-income people; and if they voted at the same rate as those earning $100,000 annually, the electorate would grow by 11.5 million voters
- 70% of Americans polled support the National Popular Vote approach and so far, 11 states (165 electoral votes) support it—putting us 60% of the way there

Check out Daring Democracy and the Field Guide to the Democracy Movement for ways to get involved!