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## STRIKE A BLOW FOR DEMOCRACY!

Help get Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzalez  
on the ballot in New York

Your fellow New Yorkers deserve the chance to vote for Nader/Gonzalez in November. But it doesn't just happen—it takes time and effort. To be precise, six weeks time and as much effort as you can muster.

The two major parties are petitioning right now, but petitioning for Third Party / Independent candidates is only allowed from **July 8** and ends **August 19**. We need 15,000 valid signatures, with at least 100 in each of half the Congressional districts in the state, to get Ralph Nader on the ballot.

For practical purposes, we will shoot for 30,000 signatures or more to make our petition unchallengeable. WE CAN DO IT — working together as a team, all moving toward the same basic goal.

The campaign needs volunteers to collect as many signatures as possible during that very brief six-week period.

We are also looking to hire a number of Part Time / Full Time petitioners. If you are a student, retired, or a freelancer with some time-flexibility, then you may be in a good position to be a full-time petitioner.

Please come see our team at the Ballot Access table tonight for more information, and to sign up for a training session we will be holding:

**Wednesday, June 25th 6:00 - 8:00pm in Room 4**  
**Saturday, June 28th 2:00 - 4:00pm in Room 1**  
AT

**Studios 353**  
**353 West 48th St, 2nd Floor**

BY SUBWAY:  
A, C, E trains to 50th St./8th Ave.  
1 train to 50th St.  
N, R, W to 49th St.

If you've never done ballot access petitioning before,  
this training will be invaluable.

### MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK

Even if you can gather only a few signatures from friends, relatives, co-workers they all count toward that goal of 30,000.  
(Of course, if you CAN gather more than a few,  
no one will discourage you!)

## SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

### RALPH NADER

RALPH NADER IS A CONSUMER ADVOCATE, LAWYER, AUTHOR, AND HAS BEEN NAMED BY TIME MAGAZINE AS ONE OF THE 100 MOST INFLUENTIAL AMERICANS IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY. FOR OVER FOUR DECADES RALPH NADER HAS EXPOSED PROBLEMS AND ORGANIZED MILLIONS OF CITIZENS INTO MORE THAN 100 PUBLIC INTEREST GROUPS TO ADVOCATE FOR SOLUTIONS. HIS EFFORTS HAVE HELPED TO CREATE A FRAMEWORK OF LAWS, REGULATORY AGENCIES, AND FEDERAL STANDARDS THAT HAVE IMPROVED THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR TWO GENERATIONS OF AMERICANS.

HIS GROUPS WERE INSTRUMENTAL IN ENACTING THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION (OSHA), THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA), THE CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION, AND THE SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT. IN THE PAST DECADE, NADER HAS DEDICATED HIMSELF TO PUTTING PEOPLE BACK IN CHARGE OF AMERICA'S DEMOCRACY, LAUNCHING THREE MAJOR PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGNS. BECAUSE OF RALPH NADER WE DRIVE SAFER CARS, EAT HEALTHIER FOOD, BREATHE BETTER AIR, DRINK CLEANER WATER, AND WORK IN SAFER ENVIRONMENTS.

### CARL MAYER

CARL MAYER DEDICATES HIS LAW PRACTICE, WRITING AND ELECTORAL EFFORTS TO ENDING THE TYRANNY OF CORPORATE POWER OVER AMERICAN CITIZENS. HE HAS WRITTEN IN LAW JOURNALS OPPOSING EFFORTS BY CORPORATIONS TO USE THE BILL OF RIGHTS INTENDED ONLY FOR AMERICAN CITIZENS TO SHIELD CORPORATIONS FROM ACCOUNTABILITY AND LEGAL SANCTION. HE IS ALSO THE AUTHOR OF SEVERAL BOOKS INCLUDING "SHAKEDOWN" AND "PUBLIC DOMAIN, PRIVATE DOMINION." MR. MAYER WORKED ON THE NIKE V. KASKY CASE IN THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT THAT SUCCESSFULLY PREVENTED NIKE FROM USING THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO CONTINUE DECEIVING CONSUMERS ABOUT SWEAT-SHOP LABOR USED IN NIKE PLANTS. HE IS A FORMER LAW PROFESSOR AND SERVED AS SPECIAL COUNSEL TO THE NEW YORK STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

### JOHN POWERS

JOHN POWERS HAS BEEN A NYC HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH TEACHER FOR THE PAST 13 YEARS. OVER THE YEARS, HE HAS PERFORMED EXTENSIVE TEACHER STAFF DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS ACROSS ALL FIVE BOROUGHS AS WELL AS AUTHORED NUMEROUS CURRICULUM PROJECTS THAT ARE USED IN NYC PUBLIC SCHOOLS. EARLIER THIS YEAR, HE TRANSFERRED TO LIBERATION HIGH SCHOOL IN BROOKLYN WHERE HE TEACHES ENGLISH AND SOCIAL JUSTICE CLASSES AND CONTINUES TO CREATE CURRICULUM WITH STAFF MEMBERS. HE IS ALSO ABOUT TO COMPLETE HIS FIRST YEAR AS A UNITED FEDERATION OF TEACHERS CHAPTER LEADER (UNION REP). JOHN HAS WORKED ON THE PROPOSED PRIVATIZATION OF HIP AND GHI. HE BECAME A MEMBER OF THE COALITION AGAINST PRIVATIZATION (CAP) THIS PAST APRIL.