

THE POWER OF ONE VOICE

- **The next General Election will be Tuesday, November 2, 2004.** You have the opportunity to vote for President, U S Senator, U S Congressperson, Missouri Governor, MO Senator and/ or State Representative, local county officials, judges and ballot initiatives and/or amendments.
- Polling places are open in Missouri from 6:00 AM to 7:00 PM. If you are in line before 7:00 PM they have to allow you to vote.
- If you were registered by postcard (like GRO) you need to bring a form of identification with your current address on it when you go to vote. Types of identification acceptable include a driver's license, the letter from the county clerk stating where your polling place is, a Missouri photo identification card.
- If you are registered to vote and bring identification (driver's license, MO ID, voter identification card) and the polling place ***does not have your name*** in the voting book there the Election judge must call the clerk to verify. If they cannot verify at that time, YOU DO have the right to vote by casting a provisional ballot. (That means that they have to allow you to vote and determine if you are registered there later).
- If you are temporarily or permanently disabled or will be out of the county on Election Day, you may apply for an absentee ballot. Absentee voting begins 6 weeks before the election up to the Monday before the election at the County Clerk office. If you apply to vote by ***mail – you will need access to a notary for out of county absentee and the deadline to request any ballot by mail is Wednesday prior to election or October 21.***
- You don't have to vote for all candidates or ballot issues in order for your ballot to count. Vote for who and what you want to vote for.
- If you make a mistake on your ballot, ask the election judge (poll worker) for another. You may use as many ballots as necessary until you can get it right.
- If you don't know where to vote call your county clerk.
- If you are registered and move within the county, you may file address changes up until the day of the election November 2, 2004.
- If you need assistance at the polling booth you have the right to bring somebody with you or ask an Election judge at the polling site for help.
- If you need a ride to the poll please call GRO – Grass Roots Organizing 573-581-9595 or 573-443-4476.