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- ★ **MAKE TRUE MULTI-YEAR GRANTS**
Civic engagement work is long-term
- ★ Support non-partisan **VOTER REGISTRATION, EDUCATION + MOBILIZATION**
- ★ **MAKE GENERAL SUPPORT GRANTS** to c3 groups engaged in issue advocacy and ballot campaigns
- ★ Support appropriate **CANDIDATE FORUMS + VOTER GUIDES**
- ★ **UNDERSTAND THE GOALS + STRATEGIES** of your civic engagement grantees

DON'T



- ★ Use c3 dollars to **SUPPORT OR OPPOSE CANDIDATES** for public office
- ★ **EARMARK GRANTS FOR LOBBYING** unless you are a public foundation working within lobbying limits
- ★ Use unnecessarily **RESTRICTIVE LANGUAGE** in grant agreements
- ★ **WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE** to make election-related grants (late dollars are deeply-discounted dollars)