

DRIVE 2 VOTE

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Warren Buffett to personally drive 10 people to the polls to vote this November!

Omaha, NE, August 1, 2016 –Warren Buffett, chairman and CEO of Berkshire Hathaway, announces a new Drive 2 Vote campaign, which aims to mobilize voters in Nebraska’s District 2.

This campaign will target District 2 voters in Nebraska to raise awareness of the opportunity to impact the outcome of the presidential election. Buffett would like to see every registered voter in the district vote. He is leading the campaign and has pledged to drive at least 10 voters to the poll who wouldn't otherwise be able to get there. The campaign will also solicit volunteer drivers to assist those that request a ride to the polls through the website drive2vote.org (<http://drive2vote.org>).

“We heard at one of the conventions that democracy is not a spectator sport and that rang true to me,” said Buffett. “People complain about government and grumble, but they shouldn’t do it from the stands.” Buffett is asking folks to promise to vote, ask for a ride if they need one, and pledge to drive others to the polls if they are able. This campaign will work to remind voters of their commitment to vote and educate voters on Nebraska’s importance in the electoral college. Nebraska is unique in how it splits its five electoral votes. District 2 has the opportunity to decide how its electoral vote is cast. Maine is the only other state to divide electoral votes.

Interested parties can learn more about Drive 2 Vote by visiting the Drive 2 Vote website at drive2vote.org (<http://drive2vote.org>). Visitors to the website will be able to sign up for a ride, volunteer to give rides and make a promise to vote. There will also be helpful links to get people registered, find their polling place, request absentee ballots for early voting, and more to support the campaign.

If interested parties do not have access to a computer, they may request assistance in registering to vote or to get a ride by calling the Heartland Workers Center 402-933-6095. Residents may register at any DMV or at the Douglas County Commissioners office by October 28, 2016.

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