

Civil Rights Scorecard

Overview

Voting is at the heart of any good democracy. Nonetheless, we've seen countless efforts in the last year that have blocked the passage of significant once-in-a-generation legislation that would further secure our right to vote and ensure that democracy works for all. Our voting rights have been under attack, all in an effort to keep many of us from casting ballots, but we can't let that happen.

Find out how your state senators are performing based on their votes on the American Rescue Plan Act, the John R. Lewis Voting Rights Advancement Act, the For the People Act, and the elimination of the filibuster. Let them know that as representatives for our communities, they cannot afford to miss the mark.

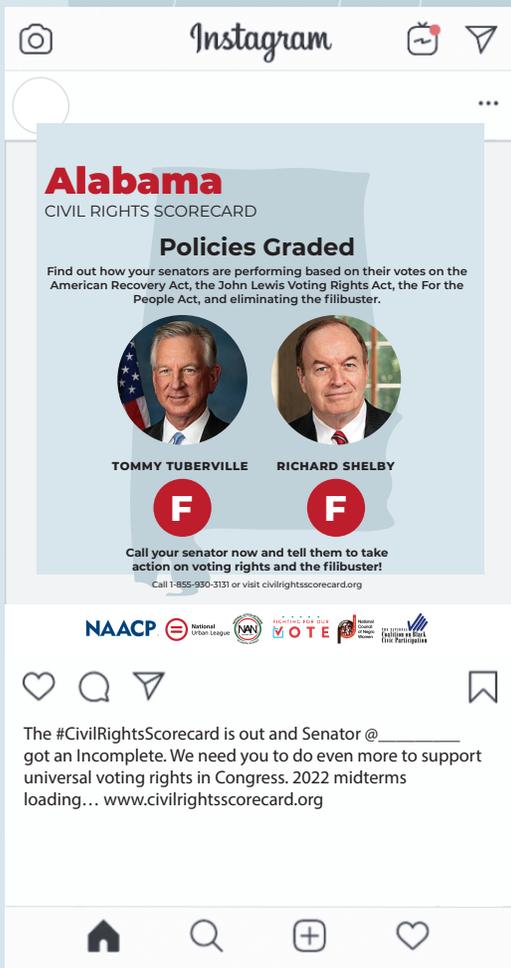
Messaging Talking Points:

- Our voting rights must be safeguarded. Congress must defend our democracy by passing voting rights legislation and putting an end to the filibuster.
- The restoration of voting rights for all people is vital to the country's future.
- Every eligible voter should be able to vote on Election Day without being obstructed or intimidated. Yet, in the absence of fundamental rights protections, voters must overcome discriminatory laws, unnecessary barriers, and dirty partisan tricks in order to be heard in our democracy.
- Voting rights protection should never be about a political party, but about the people.
- Our coalition scorecard is intended to provide our advocates' supporters with insight into their congressional delegations' voting patterns, which is representative of Senators' larger political and policy agendas.
- We must inform our communities with useful information on U.S. Senate voting rights legislation that is critically important to the Black community and that reinforces the hard-won civil rights outcomes.
- The filibuster has been used to obstruct major legislation and will have a significant impact on policymaking in the near future.

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Suggested Social Media Posts:

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The [#CivilRightsScorecard](#) is out and Senator @_____ got an A. We need more Congress members to support universal voting rights like you. This isn't a partisan issue, it's a moral issue. 2022 midterms loading... [www.civilrightsscorecard.org](#)

Our voting rights must be safeguarded. My senator, @_____ received a F for their inaction on voting rights. Hold Congress accountable to ensure voting rights for all. [www.civilrightsscorecard.org](#) [#civilrightsscorecard](#)

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