



## HOW DO DEMOCRATS WIN GEORGIA BACK?

The thirteen stars surrounding the seal on Georgia's flag represent our being one of the thirteen original colonies – we have a long, proud heritage. On the seal, a man with drawn sword stands defending the Constitution, whose principles are wisdom, justice and moderation. The date 1776 denotes the signing of America's Declaration of Independence; three of its signers were Georgians. Our State Constitution was written in 1777 and has endured for over two centuries. A Democrat majority governed our state progressively for over a century, from 1868 until 2002. If you enjoy living in Georgia today, thank a Democrat – and get busy trying to save it.

### Reclaiming Our State

1. **Democrats Unite!** We ARE the Party of wisdom, justice and moderation. Communicate and promote our values – who we are what we believe. Defy labels. Frame our own issues. Convince moderate swing voters that we are truly the Party of we, the people.
2. Atlanta-area Democrats must maintain our solid base in DeKalb and Fulton, but recent elections proved that is not enough by itself. We must continue outreach and growing in exurban counties year-round. Campaign for the full two-year cycles, not just a few months before elections. Continuous communication.
3. Give time and money to our local efforts that reap direct results. If we have less time to spend, contribute the maximum possible to help financially with the work. Remember the clock is ticking; time is finite. Grassroots Republicans are working right now – we must do the same.
4. Encourage getting Democrats on the ballot – from helping pay qualifying fees, to providing campaign assistance, promotional materials, etc. To raise funds for this, our group has registered with the State and established the Dedicated Democrats Political Action Committee.
5. **Some is not a number. Soon is not a time.** We must each decide what number of dollars it is worth to us individually to bring sanity back to our State Capitol and our country. Now is the time. Please contribute as much as you can to this effort. Make your check payable to “Dedicated Democrats PAC” and mail to: Atlanta Area Democrats, P.O. Box 33682, Decatur, GA 30033.
6. Sign up for volunteer activities at [atlantademocrats.org](http://atlantademocrats.org). Be willing to also give sweat equity where possible with fellow Atlanta-area Democrats in canvassing, phoning, and other outreach activities on a continuing basis.

In summary, we must pool our resources and recognize the urgency of our efforts. You can accomplish much if you don't care who gets the credit. We must keep our eyes on the prize: reclaiming our state and country. We must all contribute time and money in our united effort to stop the Republican rampage in Georgia. The future does indeed depend on it.