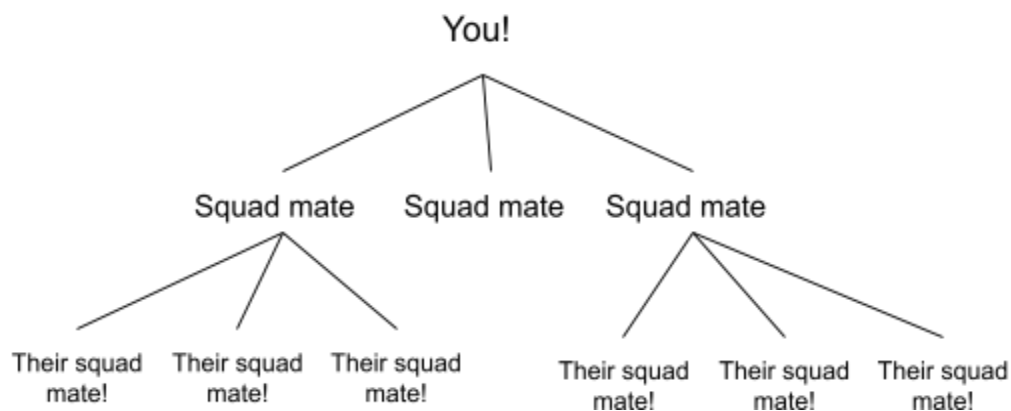




Take the Four for Ward 4 Pledge!

Due to COVID-19, nearly all of June's primary election will be conducted by mail-in ballot. To help make sure everyone has what they need to vote this year, we're asking Janeese supporters to **find three other Ward 4 voters** and **help your contacts do the following 4 tasks**:

1. **Make sure everyone is registered as a Democrat in Ward 4**
 - a. If they aren't, or want to change parties to vote in the Democratic Primary on June 2nd, they can update their registration in-person at one of the early polling centers: <https://bit.ly/earlyvotingdc>
2. **Make sure everyone requests a mail-in ballot for the June 2nd Primary by May 26th**
 - a. You can read how to [request a ballot here](#). Best to use the [Vote4DC app](#), call 202-727-2525, or complete a paper form and mail it in (these will be mailed out to every DC voter in early May. The campaign can also get you paper copies to distribute). Text your squad this link to get them started: <https://bit.ly/votebymaildc>.
3. **Get one or more of your squad members to form another squad and pay it forward!**
 - a. Send them this document to get them started. Ask them to help 3 of their neighbors/friends to get ready to vote safely. It's harder to vote this year due to the pandemic, but together we can make this an election to remember.
4. **Text your contacts reminders to make sure they mail in their vote!**
 - a. From Board of Elections: "Your voted and mailed ballot must be postmarked or otherwise demonstrated to have been sent on or before Election Day, and must arrive no later than the 7th day after Election Day."
 - b. Suggested timeline to keep your squad on track:
 - i. **May 11th-17th** - Text your squad: Did you get a ballot request form in the mail? Have you requested your ballot already (via the app, phone, or the paper request form)? Fill those out, almost time to vote!
 - ii. **May 18th-24th** - Text your squad: Did you get your official ballot in the mail yet? Have you voted? Mail those voted ballots in, it's time to vote!
 - iii. **May 25th-June 2nd** - Double check with your squad - have you mailed in your vote?



Bonus task 5: Ask your contacts to donate \$4 or \$40 to keep the campaign going till June! Send them this link: bit.ly/4forjaneese.

Formed a squad? Fill out this form to let us know! → <https://bit.ly/44WARD4>

Checklist for Four for Ward 4 Squad leaders

Ready for the Four for Ward 4 Pledge? Sign up here to let us know → <https://bit.ly/44WARD4>

Checklist / Due Date	Your name:	Squad Mate #1:	Squad Mate #2	Squad Mate #3:
Form your squad - check they're registered as a Democrat in Ward 4 Check in here → bit.ly/44WARD4 <i>Now - May 12th</i>				
Ensure squad has all requested their ballot <i>Now - 17th</i>				
Ask your squad to form their own squad <i>Now - May 12th</i>				
Ensure squad has voted Text multiple reminders! <i>May 18th- June 2nd</i>				
Bonus: ask squad mates to donate \$4 or \$40 → bit.ly/4forjaneese				

FAQ

- **I want to do this, but I don't know which of my friends/contacts live in Ward 4, or I can't find enough Ward 4 people to join my squad. Now what?**
 - [Here's a map](#) you can use to try to identify where your potential squad mates live. You can also [type in someone's address into this site](#), and it will show you which Ward they live in. Some neighborhoods that are in Ward 4: Barnaby Woods, Brightwood, Brightwood Park, Chevy Chase, Colonial Village, Crestwood, Fort Totten, Hawthorne, Lamond-Riggs, Manor Park, Petworth, Queens Chapel, Shepherd Park, 16th Street Heights, Takoma, and many others! If you need help finding other Ward 4 neighbors to join your squad, you can also reach out to david@janeese4dc.com and he can find you a list of neighbors to reach out to.
- **I don't live in Ward 4, can I still participate?**
 - Yes! Just make sure the three people you form a squad with are Ward 4 voters, and do encourage them to form their own squads as well. If you need help finding other Ward 4 neighbors to join your squad, reach out to david@janeese4dc.com and he can find you a list of neighbors to reach out to, either by email or phone.
- **Someone in my squad is having trouble getting their ballot request form, or their ballot is not showing up - what do I do?**

- The DC Board of Elections has set up a hotline → 202-727-2525, you and your squad mate can try calling that to resolve your issues. Also don't hesitate to reach out to David at david@janeese4dc.com and he can support.

Formed a squad? Fill out this form to let us know! → <https://bit.ly/44WARD4>

Sample language to use

Message someone to check on their voter registration status

- Hey [First name]! I'm helping Janeese Lewis George get elected this year for Ward 4 DC Council. Because voting is more complicated than normal this year, I'm helping 3 other Ward 4 folks I know get what they need to vote safely this year. First, are you registered to vote, in Ward 4, as a Democrat? You can check here: <https://bit.ly/votedcregister>

Message someone to check on their mail-in ballot status

- Hello! Following up to make sure my Ward 4 folks are ready to vote safely for the 6/2 primary. Have you already requested your mail-in ballot? If not, the fastest way is to download the Vote4DC app and fill out the form on your phone. Other options are here: www.janeese4dc.com/vote

Message someone to ask them to form their own squad

- Hey, glad we got the ballot requested! While we wait for it in the mail, would you be interested in paying this forward? It means finding 3 of your own Ward 4 friends/neighbors, and helping them get set to vote. It's pretty easy, here is how to get started: bit.ly/44WARD4. What do you think?

Message someone to remind them to vote

- Hey there! Just checking in, did you get your mail-in ballot in the mail yet? If so, have you filled it out and sent it back in? It's best to vote early this year, but all ballots that are postmarked on or before June 2nd will count.

Message someone to ask them to donate

- Thanks for going through this process with me! One more ask, the Janeese campaign is putting in the extra effort to get out the vote this year given the pandemic, so I'm asking all my squadmates: would you be willing to pitch in \$4 or \$40 to help the campaign finish strong? Here's a link: bit.ly/4forjaneese

Email/post about Four for Ward 4 on social media, list serv, etc

- Hey friends! I believe Ward 4 deserves stronger, more accountable leadership on the DC Council. That's why I'm supporting @Janeese Lewis George for Ward 4 in the DC Democratic primary on June 2. If you want to see new leadership in our neighborhood, I would love to talk to you about Janeese! I'm forming a Four for Ward 4 squad with my friends, family and neighbors to make sure we get through the new processes this year and get the vote out for Janeese. It's easy, you can form a squad too! Read more here and sign up: bit.ly/44Ward4