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#### CONCEPT OF "REAGAN ROUNDUP"

PURPOSE:

Register Reagan/GOP Voter

Campaign Presence in 50 States

Mobilization of volunteer work force

TARGET:

Neighborhood Canvassing of selected/targeted precincts statewide using door-to-door effort (in states allowed)

buses to satellite locations

(where required by

by law)

man satellite locations w/Reagan

deputy registrars (in states allowed)

for purposes of registering new supporters

GOAL:

100,000 new registrants

200,000 Reagan Volunteers recruited

TIME-FRAME: Second week in June -(June 9% through June 16)

(After primaries and before National Convention)

Allows maximum time to provide pre-screening of

unregistered to assure a "most likely" Reagan/GOP

voter.

#### SCHEDULE:

May 7 - June 8

--Reagan/GOP volunteers recruited

--Individual groups recruited and mobilized for one (1) week effort of neighborhood

blitz (see attached list).

June 9

Saturday 1:00 p.m. -- Teleconference with President

using private homes

Reagan-Bush Headquarters

GOP Headquarters

Holiday Inns

Combinations of all of the above

depending on size of state

2:00 p.m. -- Immediately following teleconference,

5:00 p.m. volunteers teamed to participate in door-to-

door blitz in targeted precincts

6:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m. Neighborhood blitz

June 10 Sunday

"Voter Registration Sunday" in 200 key churches for mass registration efforts using major cities for impact

	1:00 5:00	_	Neighborhood	Blitz/targeted	precincts
June 11 Monday	5:30 8:30	_	Neighborhood	Blitz/targeted	precincts
June 12 Tuesday	5:30 8:30	_	Neighborhood	Blitz/targeted	precincts
June 13 Wednesday		_	Neighborhood	Blitz/targeted	precincts
June 14 Thursday		_	Neighborhood	Blitz/targeted	precincts
June 15 Friday	5:30 8:30	_	Neighborhood	Blitz/targeted	precincts
June 16 Saturday	1:30 5:30	_	-	Blitz - Week-e d precincts	nd Warriors w/YR's
	7:00	p.m.	_	Blitz Parties IEVED - RESULTS	OF BLITZ WEEK RELEASED

Promotional Aids to complement the one (1) week of Neighborhood Blitz should include:

--2 weeks prior to Blitz Week--radio spot announcements
--30 sec. T.V. spots

--Media overlay during Blitz Week

--Public service announcements on right/duty/privilege to register & vote sponsored by local civic clubs/business firms

Volunteer kits prepared for campaign blitz week to include:

campaign literature
bumper strips/button
volunteer recruitment cards
voter registration pledge cards

Door-Hangers prepared for use in blitz week to be left at home where there is no answer; hangers to have motivational letter urging the crucial need to register and instructions on where to register. If mail state, a voter registration affadavit can be left for signatur and mailing by individual.

#### Recruitment process to include:

- Direct mailings to individual groups to be mobilized (see attached list)
- 2. Direct mailings to GOP and Reagan-Bush organizations
- 3. Direct mailings to Volunteers listed on "Volunteer Plan" under Reagan Finance operation
- 4. Telephone recruitment calls by state and local GOP and Reagan Headquarters to party activists
- 5. Telephone recruitment calls to individual (state) memberships of groups e.g. realtors

  Pro-Life network

  Trade associations

  National Rifle Association
- 6. RNC to direct mail on contributors' list
- 7. NRSC and NRCC to direct mail on finance list
- 8. Co-Ordinator assigned to incorporate Senatorial and Congressional campaigns' work force of volunteers for this week's blitz
- 9. All direct mailings to have a return response card to allow for a count.

Note: The above process should be on-going from May 7th to June 8th in order to provide the volunteer work force to implement a successful "Nationwide Neighborhood Blitz Week" REAGAN ROUNDUP

#### Groups to Mobilize to develop Reagan Roundup:

Fundalmentalists
Hispanics/Asian Americans/Ethnic/Heritage Council (RNC)
Business Groups

- ---Trade Associations
- ---Professional Societies
- ---Chamber of Commerce
- ---Realtors

GOP Federated Women

- ---National Retailers
- ---National Homebuilders
- ---National Wholesaler/Distributors

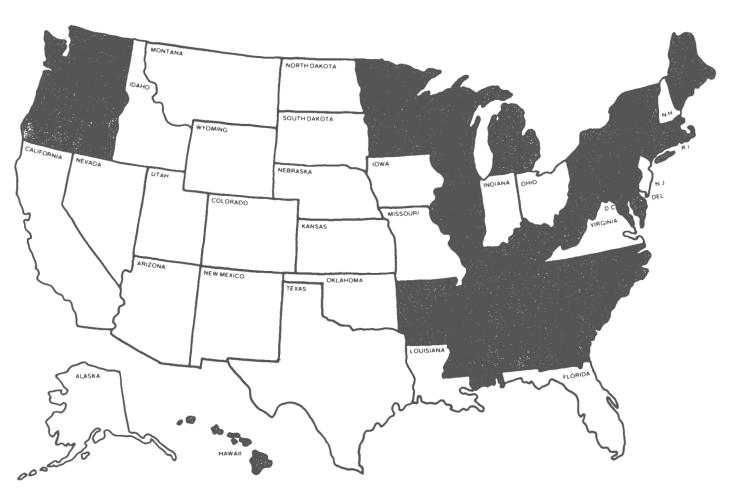
JayCees
Pro-Life Network
Farm Bureau
National Rifle Association members
Students
Senior Citizens
Auto Dealers
Financial/Banking Institutions
Unions
State & County GOP organizations
Young Republican Clubs

### GOP VOTER REGISTRATION 1984

AN OVERVIEW

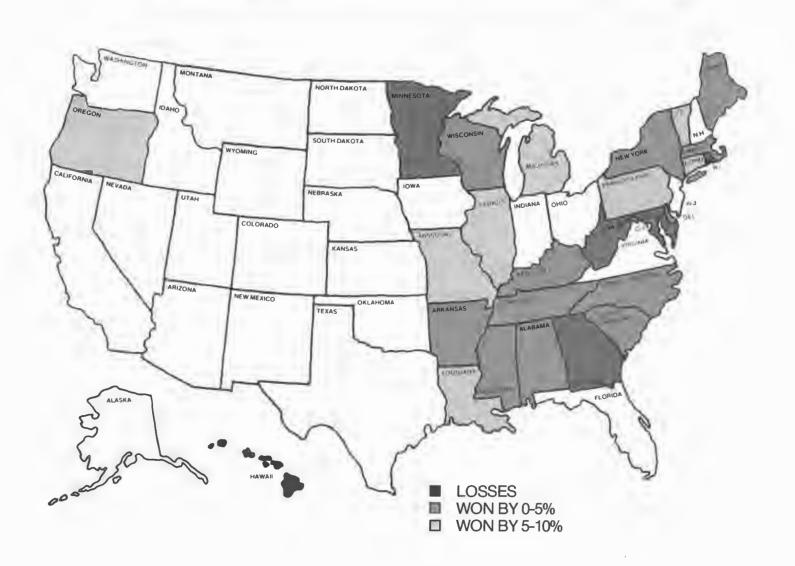
Helen Cameron Reagan-Bush '84 February 22, 1984 I. The Challenge Ahead

# **REAGAN 1980: LESS THAN 50%**



276 ELECTORAL VOTES

# **REAGAN 1980: LOSSES AND CLOSE WINS**



### RONALD REAGAN'S MARGIN OF VICTORY IN 1980

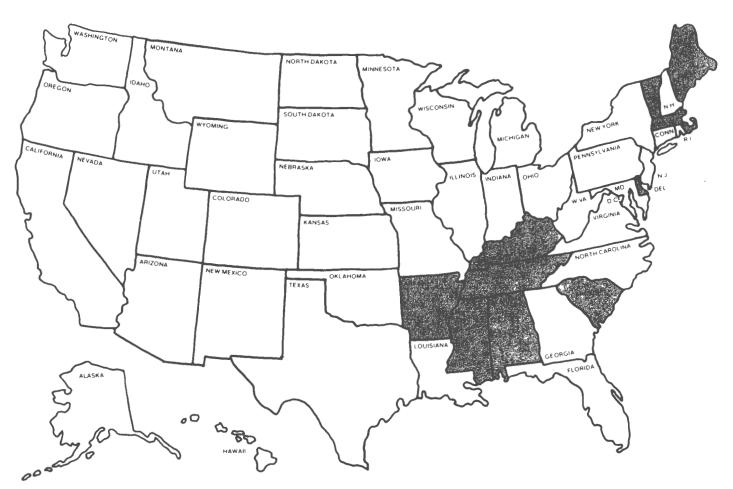
# (% Difference between Reagan and Carter vote)

1.	Utah	53.1%	
2.	Idaho	42.2%	
3.	Nebraska	40.1%	
4.	North Dakota	38.6%	
5.	Nevada	36.9%	
6.	Wyoming	35.6%	
7.	Arizona	33.2%	
8.	Alaska	31.8%	
9.	New Hampshire	29.7%	
10.	South Dakota	29.2%	
11.	Oklahoma	25.8%	
12.	Kansas	25.1%	
13.	Montana	25.1%	
14.	Colorado	24.7%	
15.	Indiana	18.6%	
16.	New Mexico	18.5%	
17.	California	17.3%	
18.	Florida	17.2%	
19.	Texas	14.0%	
20.	New Jersey	13.6%	
21.	Virginia	13.0%	
22.	Iowa	12.9%	
23.	Washington	12.7%	
24.	Ohio	10.8%	
25.	Oregon	10.0%	
26.	Connecticut	9.7%	
27.	Illinois	8.0%	
28.	Pennsylvania	7.2%	
29.	Missouri	6.9%	
30.	Michigan	6.6%	
31.	Vermont	6.1%	
32.	Louisiana	5.5%	
33.	Wisconsin		
34.	Maine		
<b>3</b> 5.	New York	2.7%	
36.	Delaware	2.4%	

# RONALD REAGAN'S MARGINS (continued)

37.	North Carolina	2.1%
38.	South Carolina	1.6%
39.	Kentucky	1.4%
40.	Mississippi	1.4%
41.	Alabama	1.3%
42.	Arkansas	.6%
43.	Tennessee	.3%
44.	Massachusetts	.1%
45.	Hawaii	-1.9%
46.	Maryland	-3.0%
47.	Minnesota	-4.1%
48.	West Virginia	-4.5%
49.	Rhode Island	-11.0%
50.	Georgia	-15.0%

# REAGAN 1980: WINNING MARGIN OF 20,000 VOTES OR LESS



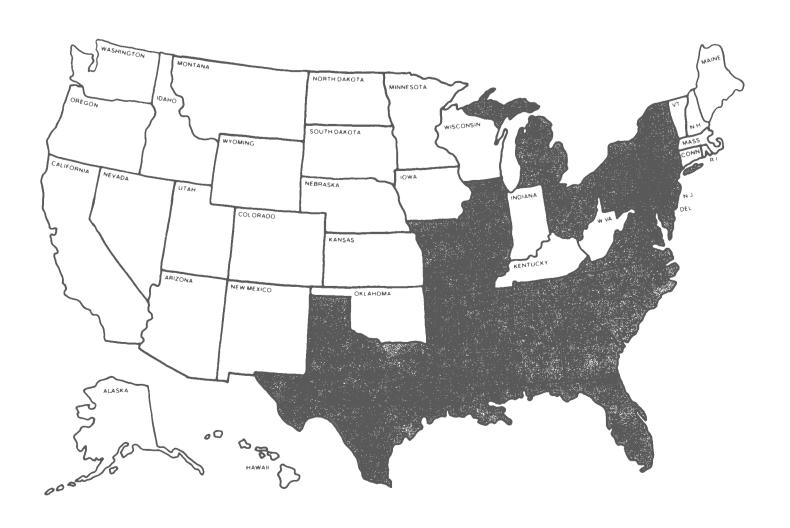
# REAGAN 1980: STATES WITH WINNING MARGINS OF 20,000 VOTES OR LESS

Massachusetts	2.000 votes
Tennessee	4,000 votes
Arkansas	5,000 votes
Delaware	5,000 votes
South Carolina	11,000 votes
Mississippi	12,000 votes
Alabama	13,000 votes
Vermont	13,000 votes
Maine	17,000 votes
Kentucky	18,000 votes

### STATES WHERE UNREGISTERED BLACKS EXCEED RONALD REAGAN'S 1980 MARGIN

<u>State</u>	Number of adult blacks	Number of unregistered blacks	RR 1980 Margin
New York	1,631,000	894,000	90,672
North Carolina	897,000	506,000	39,383
Virginia	714,000	331,000	237,435
South Carolina	625,000	292,000	11,057
Alabama	644,000	272,000	17,462
Louisiana	813,000	256,000	84,400
Tennessee	479,000	158,000	4,710
Mississippi	541,000	131,000	11,808
Arkansas	233,000	85,000	5,123
Massachusetts	149,000	64,000	3,829
Kentucky	176,000	62,000	17,857

# **BLACKS: TOP 20 STATES**



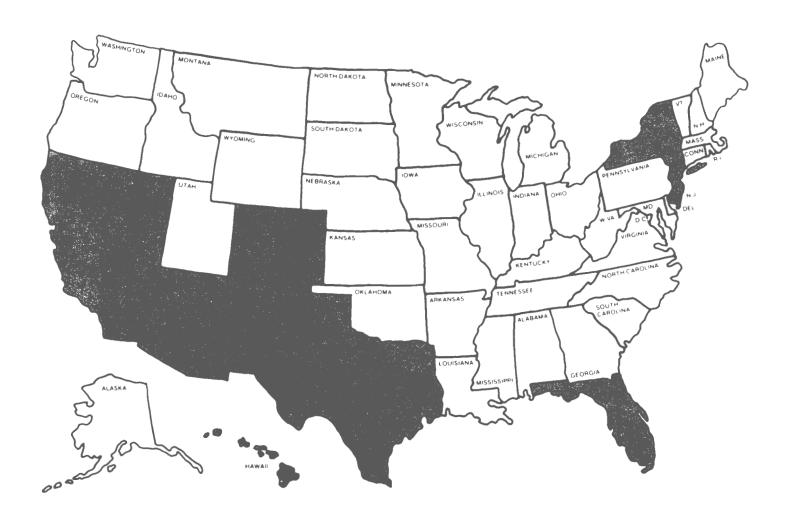
### TOP TWENTY STATES

#### Blacks

Percentage of population		tion	Ag	gregate number	(millions)
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1.	Mississippi	35%	1.	New York	2.40
2.	South Carolina	30%	2.	California	1.81
3.	Louisiana	29%	3.	Texas	1.70
4.	Georgia	27%	4.	Illinois	1.67
5.	Alabama	26%	5.	Georgia	1.46
6.	Maryland	23%	6.	Florida	1.34
7.	North Carolina	22%	7.	North Carolina	1.31
8.	Virginia	19%	8.	Louisiana	1.23
9.	Arkansas	16%	9.	Michigan	1.19
10.	Delaware	16%	10.	Ohio	1.07
11.	Tennessee	16%	11.	Pennsylvania	1.04
12.	Illinois	15%	12.	Virginia	1.01
13.	Florida	14%	13.	Alabama	.99
14.	New York	14%	14.	Maryland	.95
15.	Michigan	13%	15.	South Carolina	.94
16.	New Jersey	13%	16.	New Jersey	.92
17.	Texas	12%	17.	Mississippi	.88
18.	Missouri	10%	18.	Tennessee	.72
19.	Ohio	10%	19.	Missouri	.51
20.	Pennsylvania	9%	20.	Indiana	.41

- ullet According to the 1980 Census, 26.4 million blacks live in the United States.
  - ullet Blacks comprise  $\underline{12\$}$  of the nation's population.

# **HISPANICS: TOP 10 STATES**



## TOP TEN STATES

## Hispanics

Pe	rcent of popul	lation	Aggregate number	(millions)
1.	New Mexico	37%	1. California	4.54
2.	Texas	21%	2. Texas	2.98
3.	California	19%	3. New York	1.66
4.	Arizona	16%	4. Florida	.85
5.	Colorado	12%	5. Illinois	.63
6.	Florida	9 %	6. New Jersey	.49
7.	New York	9 %	7. New Mexico	.47
8.	Hawaii	7%	8. Arizona	.44
9.	Nevada	7%	9. Colorado	.34
10.	New Jersey	7%	10. Michigan	.15

ullet According to the 1980 Census, <u>14.6 million</u> Americans are of Spanish origin, <u>6%</u> of the total population.

II. The Opportunity

# PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN POPULATION, 1970-80

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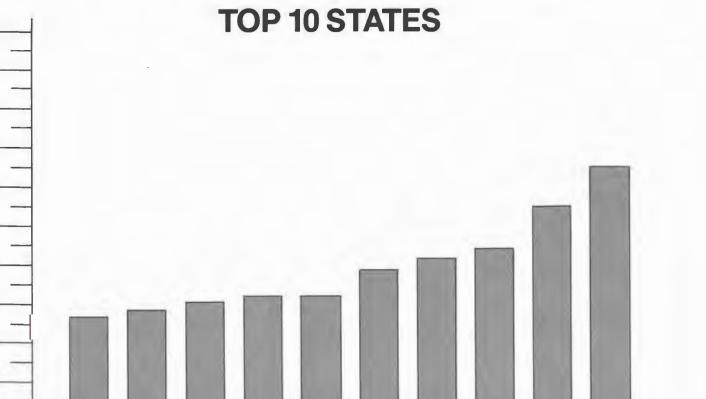
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Alaska

Idaho

Texas New Mexico Colorado

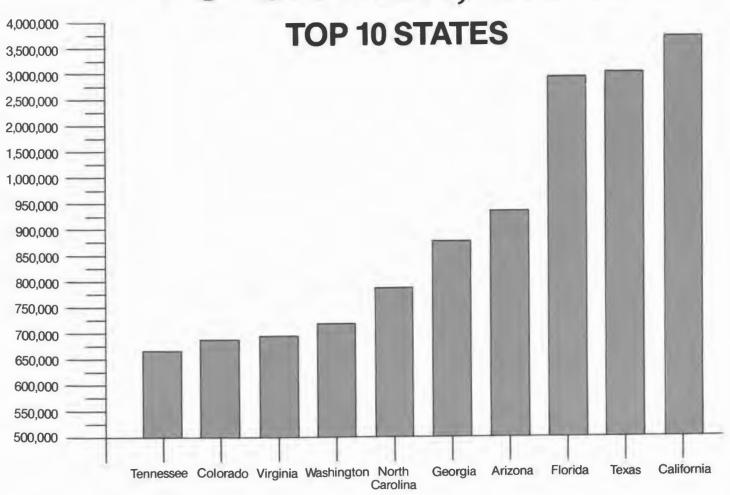
Utah

Wyoming Florida

Arizona

Nevada

# **ACTUAL INCREASE IN POPULATION, 1970-80**



# REGISTERING VOTERS: STATE RULES OFTEN VARY

- 27 states have partisan registration
- 24 states require registering to vote in person, away from home
- 9 states allow door-to-door registration of voters
- 4 states allow Election Day registration
- 20 states allow some form of mail-in registration

#### STATES THAT ALLOW PARTISAN VOTER REGISTRATION

Alaska Massachusetts

Arizona Nebraska

California Nevada

Colorado New Hampshire

Connecticut New Mexico

Delaware New York

Florida North Carolina

Hawaii Oklahoma

Iowa Oregon

Kentucky Pennsylvania

Louisiana South Dakota

Maine West Virginia

Maryland Wyoming

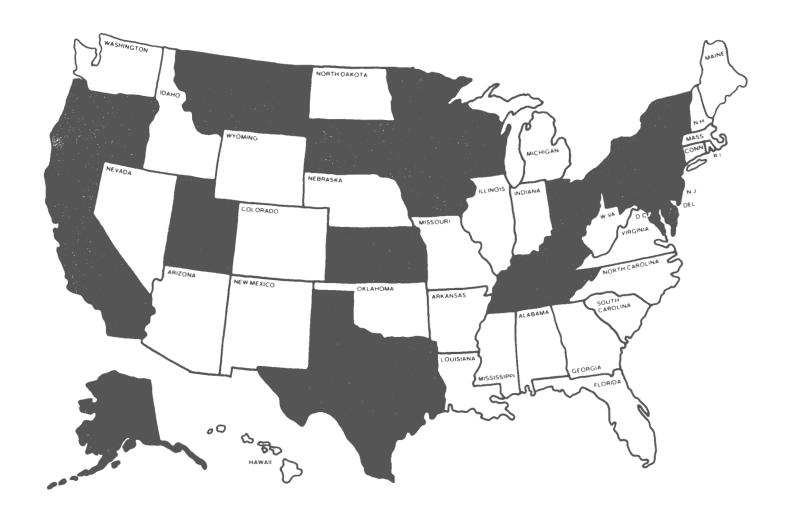
District of Columbia

### STATES THAT ALLOW ELECTION-DAY REGISTRATION

North Dakota Minnesota

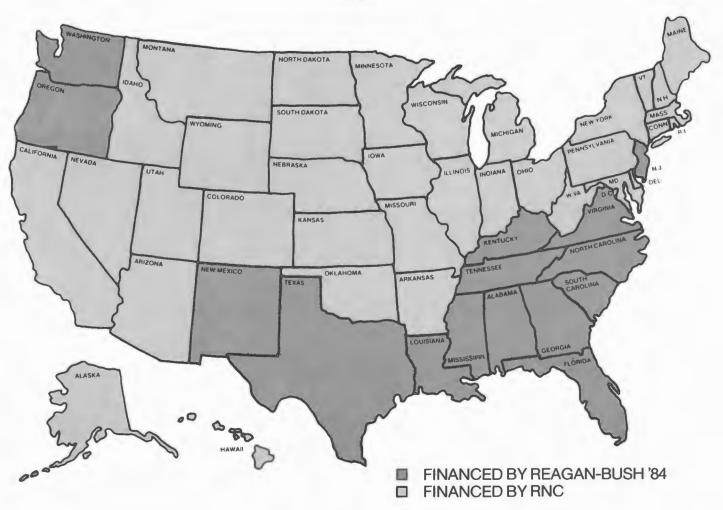
Wisconsin Maine

# **REGISTRATION BY MAIL**



III. The Plan

# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM 1984



#### PRIORITY STATES

Republican National Committee Reagan-Bush '84 Program

Arizona Alabama

California Florida

Colorado Georgia

Connecticut Kentucky

Delaware Louisiana

Illinois Mississippi

Iowa New Jersey

Michigan New Mexico

Missouri North Carolina

New York Oregon

Ohio South Carolina

Oklahoma Tennessee

Pennsylvania Texas

Virginia

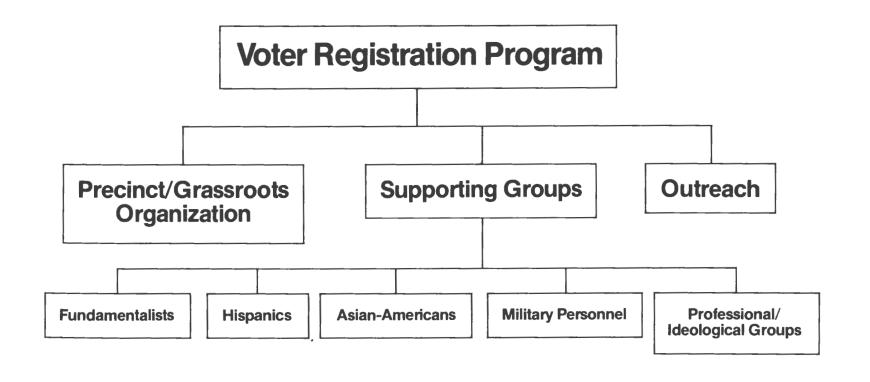
Washington

**Voter Registration Program Budget** = \$8 million

Reagan-Bush '84 Share = \$4 million

Republican National Committee Share = \$4 million

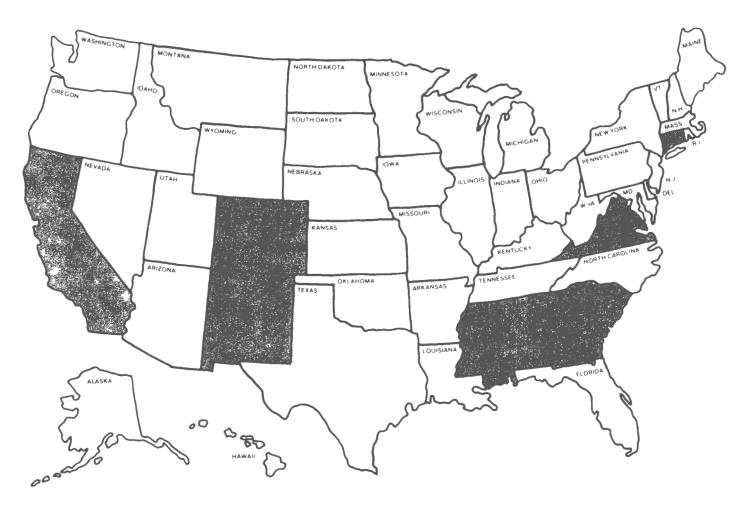
# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM: ORGANIZATION CHART



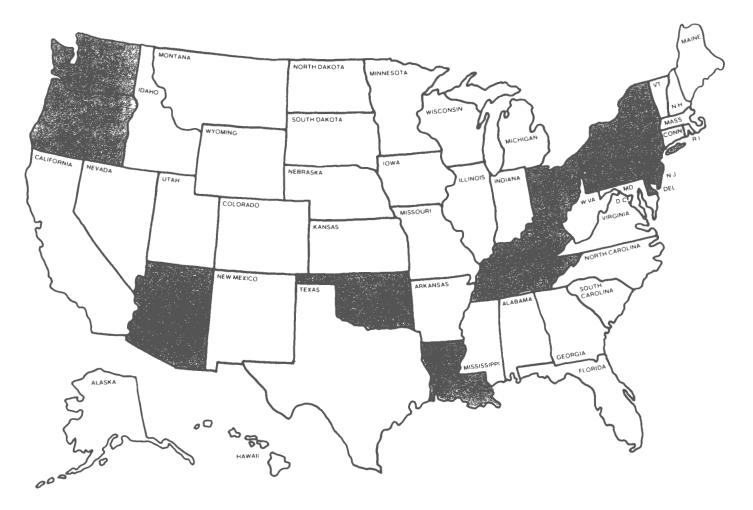
# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM ALREADY UNDERWAY



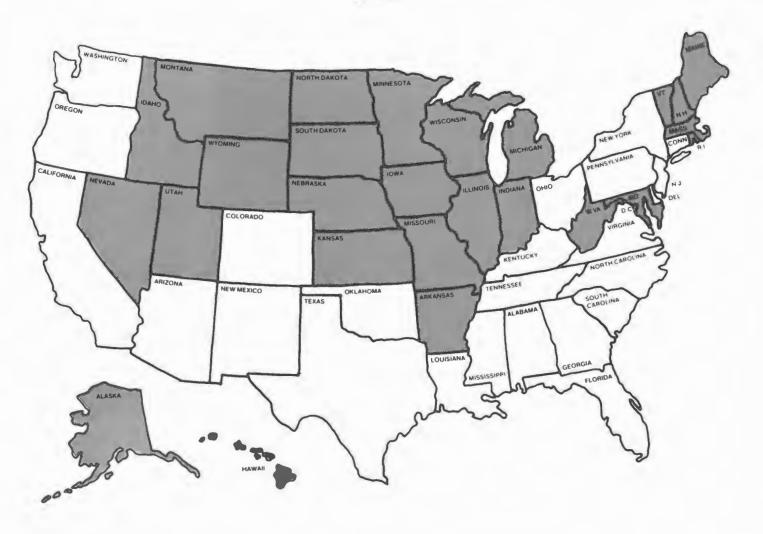
# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM MARCH



# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM APRIL



# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM MAY



#### TARGETED STATES FOR SUPPORTING GROUPS

### Hispanics (6 states)

California

Florida

Illinois

New Jersey

New Mexico

Texas

## Christian Movement (12 States)

Alabama

Florida

Georgia

Louisiana

Mississippi

Missouri

North Carolina

Oklahoma

South Carolina

Tennessee

Texas

Virginia

#### Asian-Americans (7 states)

California

Florida

Illinois

Missouri

Oregon

Texas

Virginia

#### Military Personnel (8 states)

California

Florida

Georgia

Hawaii

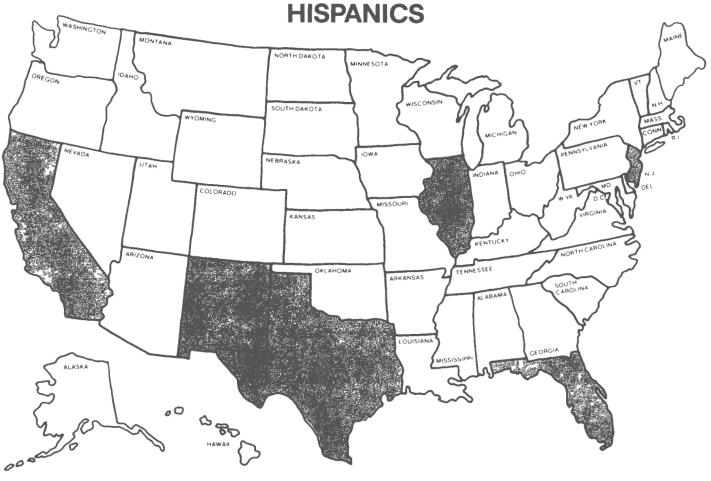
North Carolina

South Carolina

Texas

Virginia

# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM/ TARGET STATES



# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM TARGET STATES CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT



# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM TARGET STATES ASIAN-AMERICANS



# VOTER REGISTRATION PROGRAM TARGET STATES MILITARY PERSONNEL



IV. The Goals

# THE BOTTOM LINE: VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION

# Today:

91 volunteers on the street in Lee County, Florida

169 volunteers on the street in Palm Beach County, Florida

200 volunteers on the street in Dallas County, Texas

118 volunteers on the street in Harris County, Texas

In November: Get-out-the-vote operation already in place

#### RESULTS OF CURRENT VOTER REGISTRATION EFFORTS

#### Florida

Palm Beach County 11,915

Lee County 3,309

Florida Total 15,224

voters registered

(all Reagan supporters)

#### Texas

Preliminary data only is available from Dallas County.

Results from one weekend's efforts:

302 voters contacted

129 voters registered

Number of Reagan supporters identified in 12 targeted counties:

17,422

Will register to vote 12,869

# NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION GOALS

Reagan-Bush '84 and = 1 million new voters RNC efforts

**Supporting Groups** = 1 million new voters

Vote Goal for 1984: 2 million new voters

# THE BIG PICTURE

55.3 million unregistered voters in the U.S.

Democrats' Goal: 3 - 5 million new voters

Our goal: 2 million new voters