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Victory for Working Families

SEIU Healthcare Wisconsin Statement on Tonight's Election Results

Tonight's results were a victory for the working people of Wisconsin and the nation. Voters chose President Obama and Tammy Baldwin to lead us forward to a broadly shared economic recovery that rebuilds the middle class and puts millions of Americans back to work. Under their leadership, our country's best days are ahead of us.

In this election, the choice was clear for working families. That's why SEIU Healthcare Wisconsin members have been in the streets knocking doors since June fighting to reelect President Barack Obama and Tammy Baldwin on November 6. We had more volunteers in the field than any other election in our history. Thousands of homecare workers, state workers, nurses, and healthcare providers invested their time to help elect champions like President Obama and Tammy Baldwin. Through our members' efforts, we were able to reach out to thousands of voters in every corner of the state.

Along with SEIU, we:

- Knocked on 3.7 million doors in battleground states – over 250,000 in Wisconsin alone
- Knocked 100,000 doors per day over GOTV weekend nationwide – 150,000 doors in Wisconsin over Get Out the Vote weekend
- Made contact with over 45,000 voters in Wisconsin, receiving over 10,000 vote pledges
- Made 13 million phone calls nationwide, of which 4.5 million went to SEIU members

“Tonight was a tremendous victory for the people of Wisconsin, but our fight for working families doesn't end with one election,” said Dian Palmer, president of SEIU Healthcare Wisconsin. “The working people of Wisconsin will continue to fight 365 days a year, including during the Lame Duck session of Congress, until we have a country with good jobs, where the rich pay their fair share, and invest in vital services like healthcare and education.”

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