JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Our Power: The Citizens Initiative to Transform Maine's Energy Future Position: Director

Posting Date: January 2022

<u>Our Power</u> seeks a talented and experienced campaigner and organization-builder to lead a transformational campaign for economic equity and climate justice. Our first-in-the-nation grassroots effort to transform Maine's energy future will serve as a national example for toppling corporate control of energy infrastructure and catalyzing a multi-state citizens' movement for a democratized energy future.

The Director is the top staff position and reports to the Board of Directors of Our Power. Responsibilities will include:

- Fundraising to build a strong campaign
- Designing and leading a 2022 public education program and successful ballot campaign in 2023
- Staff management and leadership development
- Building and leading a diverse statewide coalition
- Overseeing communications strategies and serving as the lead spokesperson for the campaign
- General administration, oversight of compliance with 501c3 and 501c4 requirements, etc.

The Ideal Candidate will bring:

- At least five years of experience in nonprofit leadership or campaign management
- A successful track record of fundraising for nonprofits, advocacy campaigns and/or ballot measures
- Experience designing statewide voter education and mobilization campaigns
- Skills in financial management, including budget preparation, analysis, decision making and reporting
- Ability to envision and convey the organization's strategic future to the staff, board, volunteers, public officials, and donors
- Strong writing skills and ease with public speaking
- A relentless work ethic and a collaborative spirit
- Experience with consumer protection, utility regulation, or economic democracy issues is strongly preferred.

The position is full time, based in Portland. Compensation will be at \$8,000 to \$10,000 per month, depending on experience. Our Power is an equal opportunity employer; we are committed to equity and inclusion and made stronger by the diversity of our people. We encourage applications by any individual who shares our mission.

Applications should submit a resume and cover letter to hiring@ourpowermaine.org. Interested applicants are encouraged to apply promptly and no later than February 5, 2022. Applications will be reviewed when received.