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## People United for Medical Marijuana

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Working for the ill everyday in Florida

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### Dear Kim,

We have collected \$13,070 and an estimated 38,000 signatures. We are growing rapidly, but still need your help. Please, keep spreading the word.

### Patient Spotlight

By Cyndi

"He was disabled in an on-the-job accident several years ago, and has had two surgeries for upper body injuries, including a double discectomy with fusion of his cervical spine. He was left with chronic pain and stabbing neuropathy. He also has gastrointestinal issues, and between the pain, the stress and the nausea/vomiting. Nothing the doctor prescribes helps as much as marijuana."

### Medical Marijuana March - May 8

In St. Petersburg, we will be protesting the laws against medical marijuana. I have been invited to give a speech and our volunteers will be out there collecting signatures. We will be at Williams Park on 2nd Ave. N. from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. in band shell one. Please come, help out and show your support.

### Money Bomb Update

Last month, we had our first money bomb of the campaign. We raised \$720!

A big thank you to all of those that participated. This was just enough money to pay for booths at Earthday Birthday and Central Florida Earth Day. We were also able to buy some t-shirts, which helped to raise \$680 in contributions.

This is just one example of where your money goes. Remember, nobody is getting paid, we are all volunteers, and your money goes directly towards marketing the campaign. Please continue to contribute every month and

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### Events

May 8 Medical  
Marijuana March St.  
Petersburg

May 15 Heat Wave  
Ybor City

May 21-23 Orange  
Blossom Jamboree

There are many  
more events going  
on all around the  
state during the  
month. Visit our  
chapters page to get  
involved.

### Stories

We need your stories  
on medical  
applications of  
marijuana and your  
testimony to how  
well it works on your  
disease.

watch us grow.

[Contribute Now by Clicking Here](#)

## Get Involved

We collected 945 signatures at Central Florida Earth Day and 2,510 signatures at Earthday Birthday.

We need your help organizing and participating in signature collecting events. We have teams all over the state ready to help, but need some negotiators that can get us affordable event fees.

What connections do you have? You never know until you start trying. Start the conversation. Tell people you are trying to get medical marijuana legal in Florida. Ask if they know anyone willing help.

[Get involved with a chapter](#)

We are always making improvements to the website. I have updated the blog page, so you can keep informed on what we are doing. Please check it out often.

Many thanks for all you do!

**Sincerely,**

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