



## **Steyer Campaign First to Open Office in Spirit Lake**

*Tom Steyer, with over a decade of successful organizing experience, grows campaign capacity to mobilize Iowans to act urgently on climate and break the corporate stranglehold on our democracy.*

**(Des Moines, IA, Dec. 29)** On January 3, as a part of his “People Over Profits” bus tour, presidential candidate for the Democratic nomination Tom Steyer will join his team in Dickenson County to open a new office in Spirit Lake. TeamTom will be the first campaign to have an office in the area, adding to the more than a dozen offices the campaign now has across Iowa.

Steyer has been organizing in Iowa since 2014, and his wife, Kat Taylor, daughter Evi, and eldest son Sam have all knocked doors with TeamTom Iowa. The momentum that TeamTom Iowa is seeing every day comes from the growing grassroots movement working every day to connect with Iowans committed to addressing the climate crisis, making our government accountable to the people, and creating an economy that works for all people. Iowa Organizing Director Keshevan Shridhar said this about the campaign’s commitment to grassroots organizing:

“Tom’s experience organizing on climate, mobilizing young people, and turning out the vote has made grassroots organizing central to this campaign. He was able to take on corporate power in California by taking the fight straight to the people, showing that people power and direct democracy is the only way to break the corporate stranglehold on our democracy.”

**Press interested in hearing more about TeamTom’s momentum on the ground in Iowa should reach out to [leah.haberman@tomsteyer.com](mailto:leah.haberman@tomsteyer.com)**