

# Thomas O. Cash HIV/AIDS Walk

September 21, 2019

To benefit the  **TASK FORCE**  
Support, Advocacy, Prevention and Education

## PLEDGE SHEET

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I plan to walk 5K for The Southern NH HIV/AIDS Task Force. I am submitting \_\_\_\_\_ pledge forms.

I am walking with a team!!!! The name of my team is \_\_\_\_\_.

I am unable to participate, but enclosed please find my donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

Dear Potential Sponsor,

I am participating in the 2019 Thomas O. Cash AIDS Walk & Run. All proceeds will help fund The Southern NH HIV/AIDS Task Force, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. You can sponsor me for any amount that you are willing to contribute. Your contribution may be collected before (my preference) or after the Walk & Run.

Make checks payable to "The HIV Task Force". All contributions are tax-deductible as allowed by law.

Thank you!

Sponsor's Name and Address	Sponsor's Email	Sponsor Pledge	Amount Collected	Business Matching Amount	Business Name	Do not contact me (check below)
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**Participants: To reach our goal, we hope that each participant finds at least 10 sponsors. Please bring this form to the Walk on Saturday, September 21, 2019**

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## Walker Information

Our annual AIDS Walk is a fun and fit activity for all ages. The route is 5 Kilometers, please set realistic distance goals based on age and development. Beverages and snacks will be provided. Please visit [www.aidstaskforcenh.org](http://www.aidstaskforcenh.org) for additional information including Individual and Corporate Sponsorship levels, or to make a credit card donation. Pets, baby carriages, and rollerbladers are all welcome. The route is wheel-chair accessible.

Our goal is to help the fundraising committee raise \$10,000 to help fund HIV/AIDS care programs and HIV testing services at The Southern NH HIV/AIDS Task Force. We hope to make this Walk the best ever, so the more contributions you raise, the more successful we'll be at achieving our goal. Thank you very much for your participation!

## Rules

1. Walkers may start collecting pledges as soon as they receive the pledge sheets. **Reminder: Pledge sheets should be turned in on Walk/Run day, Saturday, September 21, 2019**
3. Pledges may be made by anyone. **Please ask sponsors if their company has a matching gift fund policy.**
4. **Each sponsor making a pledge should write their own name and pledge.** Walkers should collect the pledge in advance but may keep pledges and pledge form until all are collected.
5. On the day of the event, participants will walk starting at 11:00 am on our 5K route. Registration starts at **10:00 am** at the **Greeley Park Bandshell** on **Saturday, September 21, 2019**
6. At registration, volunteers will accept Pledge Sheets and monetary donations. Walkers are requested to collect outstanding pledges - **Please return outstanding pledge sheets with the money to The Task Force (77 Northeastern Blvd. Nashua, NH 03062) by Friday, October 4, 2019**
7. For the safety of our Walkers, bicycling is not permitted. Rollerblading is allowed. Participants are encouraged to wear hats and sunscreen if it's sunny, or bring rain gear if it's rainy. We look forward to all our participants having a great time! For questions or concerns, or to volunteer, **call the Southern NH HIV/AIDS Task Force at 603-595-8464.**

## Who is Thomas O. Cash?



Tom was such an integral part of the Southern NH HIV/AIDS Task Force: as a client, an HIV/AIDS advocate and public figure, and as the agency front desk volunteer receptionist, a role that earned him the Task Force's Volunteer of the Year Award in 2006. On September 15, 2007, Tom came out in the pouring rain with his Mom and sister to participate in The Nashua HIV/AIDS Walk. He was in a wheelchair and very ill, but he refused to miss a single opportunity to be with his Task Force family. He died on November 1, 2007 of AIDS related complications and liver failure. In 2008, the Nashua HIV/AIDS Walk was renamed the Thomas O. Cash HIV/AIDS Walk to celebrate his life and his dedication to the Task Force. A quote by Kahlil Gibran best summarizes who Tom was and why the walk-a-thon bears his name: *"There are those who have little and give it all. These are the believers in life and the bounty of life and their coffers are never empty."*