

Advocacy: join an online town hall meeting

Tuesday, August 13, 7pm EST

CRT users are leading the way in efforts to get vital legislation passed that will protect Complex Rehab Technology. Recognizing the need for CRT users to be at the center of advocacy efforts, the new initiative #Unite4CRT was formed.



Led by Kyle Romano, Bobbi Kay Lewis, and Jenny Siegle, #Unite4CRT is asking everyone to join in the first of a series of online meetings. During the meeting, you'll be provided with the tools to confidently and comfortably portray CRT's vital role.

Help make a difference: meet with us online! Learn more here.

"I always wondered why somebody doesn't do something about that. Then I realized I was somebody."

- Lily Tomlin (actress/comedian/writer, born 1939)



Summer Review

• More on Advocacy: Check out our advocacy resources post on the blog <u>here</u>. (And, hey, that guy in the photo is running for President now!)

• Staying Cool: <u>Learn more</u> about Ride's cushions, designed to help alleviate heat and moisture.

Fun Finds / Resources

• **Travel**: "I realized that the travel industry is in what you might call the mullet stage of their accessibility makeover. That's right—stuck in the 80s," concludes Denise Brody in Forbes. Read her article, "People with disabilities want to help make over the travel industry," <u>here</u>.



• **Stellar performance:** "To show not only young people with a disability what they can do, but mainly able-bodied people, what people with a disability can do. That's what I'm most proud of." <u>Watch</u> Dylan Alcott complete a tennis Grand Slam at Wimbledon earlier this month. Dylan has also presented a TED talk about "Mainstreaming Disability" available <u>here</u>.

Thanks for reading, Your friends at Ride Designs



P.S. If you somehow missed the last newsletter... the most-viewed item was a video demonstrating just how important it is that Congress and other policy makers take action to protect, not compromise, access to complex rehab technology (CRT) for those who rely on it. To help advocate for continued access to CRT, visit <u>www.protectmymobility.org</u>.

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