

CALL SCRIPT

WHAT TO SAY WHEN YOU CALL YOUR LEGISLATORS

A phone call is the most effective way to contact a legislator when advocating on a specific issue or bill. It is helpful to prepare beforehand.

TIPS FOR CALLING LEGISLATORS

- » Be conscientious of what time you are calling a legislator.
- » Keep conversations **short and respectful** of a legislator's time.
- » If you would like to have a longer conversation, ask to set up a meeting.
- » If they do not answer, leave a brief message with your name, the town in which you live, and your phone number.
- » **Senators** have a staff person who answers their phone.
- » **Representatives'** phone numbers are their personal numbers, so sometimes a family member will answer the phone. Politely ask to leave your name and number with them.

SAMPLE CALL SCRIPT

Hello Representative/Senator _____.

My name is _____ and I live in your district in the town of _____.

I am calling to ask you to support/oppose [Bill #, issue] _____
_____.

[Key bullet points – *brief* advocacy message]

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Thank you for your time and consideration on this issue.



FINDING LEGISLATORS' CONTACT INFORMATION

Scan the QR code for information on finding your legislators.

