

# CONTACT YOUR LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

If you are interested in contacting your local representative you can follow these steps to figure out where to start.

## SAMPLE PHONE CALL SCRIPT

You: Hi, this is [your name], and I live in [your city]. I am a constituent of [the representative's name], and I'd like to speak to the staffer who works on [issue or bill information].

Staffer: Hold on, please, while I check if that person is available. (pause)  
I'm sorry, they are not available right now. Can I take a message?

You: Yes, I'm calling about [issue or bill information]. [Draw on facts and information about how the issue/bill affects your life to clearly articulate why the representative should support or oppose this issue/bill.]

Staffer: Thanks for your message. Can I get your full name, address, and telephone number or email to follow up on the issue?