

Advocacy Guide

The King Day of Service is also about learning and making your voice heard! One way to do this is to assemble a project that brings together community members to learn who their local representatives are, what they stand for and how that aligns with their values.

Step 1: Who are your representatives?

Name of Rep. / Communication Contact

Position

Local:

_____/_____
_____/_____
_____/_____

Mayor
District Attorney
City Councilor

State:

_____/_____
_____/_____
_____/_____

State Rep.
Attorney General
State Senator

Federal:

_____/_____
_____/_____
_____/_____

U.S. Senator
U.S. House Rep
President



Step 2: Know what they stand for – What do my leaders stand for?

My _____ (Position Name) _____ (Name of Leader) has served me for _____ (time served). Prior to me doing my research about them, I knew that they

_____. My overall impression of them was _____ because

_____. After completing my research I found that they are a proponent of _____, _____, _____ and _____. I _____ (agree/disagree) with these positions because

_____. If I had the opportunity to talk one-on-one with them about their positions, I would say

_____.

Notes:

Step 3: Speak Up!

Tell leaders who you are and what your community needs. Feel free to acknowledge the positive work done and the fact that there is more work to be done.