

IMPORTANT THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW WHEN Contacting Your Legislator

WRITING LETTERS

Make letters clear and precise

Include your name and address

Find specific addresses at www.house.gov or www.senate.gov

PHONE CALLS

Fast way to communicate your position

Find specific phone numbers for the Illinois go to www.ilga.gov

To find the contact information for members of the US Congress go to <http://thomas.loc.gov>

IN PERSON MEETINGS

To schedule a meeting call your legislator and identify yourself as a constituent.

In person meeting allow you to have in depth discussion regarding your ideas

Additionally you can bring your testimony at a General Assembly