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Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep
Issue:	Protect: Oppose Ted Cruz Amendment to Trumpcare			
Why:	<p>By working together, we can track the most current vote tally of the Trumpcare bill. Call your senator and ask his or her stance and let us know with the buttons below. This legislation is too critical to be kept in the dark.</p> <p>Senate Republicans have released yet another draft of the Better Care Reconciliation Act (BCRA), their Affordable Care Act (ACA) repeal plan. The nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office predicted that the original draft of this bill would leave 22 million additional people uninsured by 2026, cut Medicaid funding by over a quarter by 2025 and by 36% by 2036, and increase healthcare spending by driving up deductibles and reducing covered benefits, all while delivering tax cuts to insurance executives and wealthy Americans.</p> <p>The new BCRA draft fixes almost none of the old draft's shortcomings. While it does eliminate some of the bill's original tax cuts to the wealthy, it retains the original draft's cruel cuts to Medicaid. The new BCRA draft includes a Ted Cruz-authored provision that lets insurers offer exchange plans that don't meet ACA standards as long as they offer at least one ACA-compliant plan. This change will effectively create a two-tiered insurance system in which sicker people will overwhelmingly choose the ACA-compliant plans while healthier consumers choose skimpier plans, leading to an unfavorable risk distribution that could create a death spiral in the individual market.</p> <p>Help us track who is fighting back against this unacceptable bill by calling your senator, asking if they support the BCRA, and *reporting their stance using the buttons below the script - YES, NO, or UNDECIDED*.</p> <p>We'll be updating the tracker in real-time as things change, so keep calling to find out your Senator's latest position, especially if your Senator is an undecided vote.</p>			
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling about the Senate healthcare bill, the BCRA (AHCA in the House). Do know how the Senator plans to vote on it?</p> <p>[IF YES/SUPPORTS] I'm appalled by Senator Toomey's support for a bill that is predicted to endanger the health and economic stability of millions of Americans. This bill will make health insurance inaccessible to millions of lower-income and sicker Americans, especially since it deeply cuts Medicaid spending. Shame on Senator Toomey for prioritizing a partisan victory over their own constituents' needs. I will be actively working against [his/her] re-election.</p>			

<p>[IF NO/OPPOSES] That's great news! Please thank the Senator Casey for standing up for the rights of all Americans to access affordable health care. I hope the Senator will do everything in their power to stop the passage of this cruel bill.</p> <p>[OPTIONAL: Share a story about how the BCRA would harm you or women in your life.]</p> <p>Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>

Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep	PA Secretary of State
Issue:	Oppose: Financial Choice Act Agency Defunding				
Why:	<p>After passing the widely criticized Financial Choice Act, a bill that would roll back the post-recession Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, the House is now moving to enact similar provisions through the federal budget process. The Republican-led Financial Services Subcommittee's 2018 spending bill would give Congress unprecedented control over the budget of federal financial regulators, including the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) and several other agencies that oversee credit, mortgages, currency, etc. Currently, these agencies are funded by the Federal Reserve or other sources outside of the congressional appropriations process.</p> <p>This shifting of budgetary control gives Congress greater control over these agencies, allowing them to weaken these agencies' regulatory and enforcement powers. Language in the spending bill blocks the implementation of the Volcker Rule (which bans banks from making risky investments), prevents the CFPB from regulating payday lenders, and stops the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) from developing campaign finance rules for big corporations. While the Senate may decline to vote on the House's Financial Choice Act, the 2018 spending bills are must-pass bills. By sneaking 88 pages of the Financial Choice Act into the Financial Services spending bill, the House is using a backdoor method to weaken and eliminate consumer protections. It is unacceptable for the House to undermine rules designed to protect customers from the risky investment and lending practices that led to the catastrophic 2008 recession. The congressional threat to banking regulation is especially dire given that Trump executive branch appointees like Secretary of the Treasury Steve Mnuchin are decidedly disinterested in reining in corporate greed to protect individual consumers.</p> <p>The House Appropriations Committee passed the 2018 Financial Services spending bill on July 13th. It now awaits a vote on the House floor.</p>				
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling to express my opposition to the Financial Services appropriations bill's funding changes and new enforcement limitations on the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau and other banking regulators. The Dodd-Frank was put into place to prevent another recession, and I urge myRepresentative to oppose any spending bill that undermines implementation of this necessary law. Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				

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Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep	
Issue:	Protect: Women's Health Care from 'Better Care Reconciliation Act'				
Why:	<p>Given that the Senate's ACA-repeal bill, the Better Care Reconciliation Act (BCRA), was drafted entirely by Republican men, it is hardly surprising that the bill harms women's health in myriad ways. First, the bill would stop federal funding for Planned Parenthood for a year, even though the Hyde Amendment already prohibits allocation of federal dollars to abortion care. Defunding Planned Parenthood would cause thousands of people, particularly in areas with healthcare provider shortages, to lose access to crucial preventive services like cancer prevention and prenatal care.</p> <p>The bill also contains multiple other provisions that undermine access to maternity care. The BCRA will allow states to opt out of the requirement that exchange plans must cover ten essential health</p>				

	<p>benefits, including maternity care and contraceptive access. Employers will also no longer be required to cover maternity care, as the bill eliminates the requirement that large employers offer insurance that meets specific standards. Attacks on Medicaid funding would further reduce coverage for maternity care, as nearly half of births in the US are currently paid for by Medicaid, and more than 25 million women are insured through Medicaid. The bill even allows states to impose work requirements on Medicaid recipients that would allow them to force mothers to find work within 60 days of giving birth.</p> <p>Finally, the bill prevents people from using tax credits to buy exchange plans that cover abortion services. Reproductive rights advocates argue that this provision will dissuade insurance companies from providing abortion coverage, even in employer-sponsored plans. This provision is also thought to violate the Byrd Rule, which prohibits the Senate from using the reconciliation process (i.e. a filibuster-proof voting process where legislation can pass with a simple majority) to pass any policy changes that do not directly affect the budget.</p> <p>Women are half of this country's population and deserve a healthcare bill that does not punish them for their gender.</p>
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling to urge MySenators to oppose any provision in the Better Care Reconciliation Act which would harm women by defunding Planned Parenthood, rolling back Medicaid coverage, and allowing insurers to stop covering maternity care services and contraceptive access. Women should not face financial penalties and barriers to healthcare access simply because of their gender.</p> <p>[OPTIONAL: Share a story about how the BCRA would harm you or women in your life.]</p> <p>Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>

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Why:	<p>Earlier this year, Trump established an Election Integrity Commission, chaired by VP Mike Pence, supposedly to "promote fair and honest federal elections" and address alleged voter fraud. However, the appointment of Kansas Secretary of State Kris Kobach to the commission hints at the true purpose of this group. Kobach is a lawyer with ties to white nationalism who has helped write and pass voter ID laws in multiple states, many of which have been overturned in court due to their racially disparate impact and clear discriminatory intent. In early June, Kobach was fined \$1,000 for "presenting misleading arguments in a voting-related lawsuit." It is clear that the goal of this commission is voter suppression, not election integrity.</p> <p>Now, Kobach is taking action toward widespread national voter suppression. On June 29th, Kobach sent a letter to the secretaries of state (the state-level officials in charge of elections) of all 50 states demanding they turn over their complete voter rolls, including every voter's name, address, birthday, the last 4 digits of Social Security number, felony convictions, and their voting history from the last decade. The letter did not make clear what they intended to do with this delicate information, and because of Kobach's anti-voting rights history, it is exceptionally problematic. Kobach's letter also states that all information submitted to the commission would be made public, making it possible for personal data to be used for harassment or other wrongful purposes.</p> <p>The following 27 States have publicly stated they will not comply with Kobach's request:</p> <p>Arizona, California, Connecticut, Indiana, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, and Wisconsin.</p> <p>PA Secretary of State is Pedro A. Cortés, tel: (717) 787- 6458.</p>					
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p>					

	<p>I'm calling to thank the Secretary of State for protecting citizens from Trump's Election Integrity Commission demand to turn over state voter rolls and personal information. This is clearly a push towards nationwide voter suppression and protecting our voter rights must be a priority for every state.</p> <p>Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>
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Issue:	Oppose: The House Attack on Sanctuary Cities				
Why:	<p>The House has passed both Kate's Law and the No Sanctuary for Criminals Act. These bills will now go to the Senate for consideration. It is imperative that Senators understand that the No Sanctuary for Criminals Act would infringe on the ability of local law enforcement to protect their communities, and that Kate's Law would enact extreme punishments for undocumented immigrants, even those seeking asylum from humanitarian crises.</p> <p>Following in the Senate's footsteps, the House is now bypassing legislative procedure norms to push partisan bills through Congress faster. Two House bills, H.R. 3003 the No Sanctuary for Criminals Act and H.R. 3004 Kate's Law, passed on the House floor during on June 29th, even though neither bill has undergone typical committee hearings or amendment process. Furthermore, both bills were only introduced on June 22nd, giving the rest of the House of Representatives less than a week to even read and analyze the bill text adequately enough.</p> <p>The bills themselves are also controversial, effectively serving as attacks on sanctuary cities. Kate's Law increases the minimum penalties for any immigrant who attempts to re-enter the US after being deported. Written in reaction to the death of Kate Steinle in San Francisco, the bill feeds off of the fear of illegal immigrants even though studies show immigrants are far less likely to commit crimes than those born in the US. The No Sanctuary for Criminals Act takes aim at sanctuary cities themselves, overriding their local detention policies and barring them from receiving Homeland Security and Justice Dept. grants if they don't comply. Together, these bills would increase our already sky-high prison population as well as the fear level within our immigrant communities.</p>				
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling to express my opposition to Kate's Law and the No Sanctuary for Criminals Act. These bills will jeopardize local law enforcement's ability to protect our cities and instill even more fear among our immigrant communities. I urge MySenator to oppose these anti-immigrant bills and work towards better, comprehensive immigration reform.</p> <p>Thank you for your time and attention.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				

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Issue:	Oppose: Senate Trumpcare Bill				
Why:	<p>Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell has finally released the Senate's version of an Affordable Care Act repeal plan, after it was drafted in total secrecy by a group of 13 male Republican Senators. Despite promising that the bill would substantially differ from the House repeal bill, the American Health Care Act, the Senate bill preserves many of its cruelest provisions. While a Congressional Budget Office (CBO) score on the bill is still pending, it is clear that Senate Trumpcare will eviscerate insurance coverage for millions just like its House predecessor.</p> <p>While Senate Trumpcare retains the ACA's protections for people with preexisting conditions, it allows insurers to stop covering essential health benefits like mental health services and maternity care. The bill is overtly hostile to women's health: it defunds Planned Parenthood for the next year, eliminates premium subsidies for exchange plans that include coverage for abortion care, and excludes pregnant women from enrolling in Medicaid expansion programs. The bill also maintains the House bill's rollback of Medicaid expansion; although the withdrawal of federal funding for Medicaid coverage would take place more slowly, the end result will be the same--11 million people will lose their insurance. The Senate bill not only institutes a per capita spending cap on federal funding for Medicaid but also would *penalize* states whose per capita spending exceeds the national average.</p>				

	<p>To summarize, the Senate bill hurts women, anyone relying on coverage of essential health benefits like mental health services, and poor people. The only winners under this bill are the healthcare and insurance industries, who would benefit from the bill's near-wholesale repeal of Affordable Care Act taxes. Your Senator needs to hear from you that this bill is an unacceptable attack on Americans' access to affordable healthcare.</p>
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling to urge <u>MySenator</u> to oppose the Senate version of the Affordable Care Act repeal bill. I am deeply disturbed that this bill preserves many horrible provisions from the House repeal bill, including defunding of Planned Parenthood, rollback of Medicaid expansion and implementation of per capita Medicaid funding, and the repeal of ACA taxes to benefit the wealthy. I urge you to vote against this cruel bill, which does nothing to address the ACA's problems and endangers the health and economic stability of millions of Americans.</p> <p>[OPTIONAL: Share a personal story of why the ACA is so important to you, your family, and / or your community]</p> <p>Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>

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Issue:	Oppose: Senate cuts to Prevention and Public Health Fund					
Why:	<p>Republican Senators' Affordable Care Act repeal bill was finally released to the public on June 22 after being drafted in secret by 13 men. While criticisms of the bill have understandably focused primarily on its effects on healthcare, the bill has dire implications for public health programs as well.</p> <p>Under the Affordable Care Act, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) receives nearly \$1 billion annually to fund efforts to combat bioterrorism threats, respond to epidemics like Zika and Ebola, and provide routine preventive services like cancer screening and immunizations. The Senate Trumpcare bill eliminates this funding source, known as the Prevention and Public Health Fund, starting in October of this year. The Fund currently provides about 12% of the CDC's overall budget and 40% of the CDC's immunization program budget. Suddenly terminating this crucial funding, as former CDC director Tom Frieden has noted, will put Americans "at greater risk of vaccine-preventable disease, food-borne infections, and deadly infections contracted in hospitals."</p> <p>Urge your senator to vote against Trumpcare and preserve critical funding for important public health initiatives.</p>					
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling to urge <u>MySenator</u> to vote against Senate's senselessly cruel Affordable Care Act repeal bill. I'm particularly concerned that the bill would eliminate the Prevention and Public Health Fund, which provides essential funding for states to respond to epidemics and provide preventive services like immunizations. I hope the Senator does everything they can to preserve this critical funding source for public health programs.</p> <p>Thank you for your time and attention.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>					

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Issue:	Support: A Filibuster-by-Amendment to Block Trumpcare					
Why:	<p>While the Russia-Trump scandal has distracted the nation, Mitch McConnell and an all-male panel of 13 Republican Senators have been working in secret on a healthcare bill. Nobody knows what this bill looks like or how it differs from the House's American Health Care Act, which would cause an estimated 23 million people to lose their health insurance by 2026. The GOP wants to keep it that way.</p> <p>McConnell and Republican Senators intend to submit their secret healthcare bill to the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) without any committee hearings, discussions, bipartisan debate, or public comments. They will keep the bill's contents secret until the CBO finishes scoring the legislation. This means they would only release the bill publicly mere days or even hours before the final vote, which</p>					

	<p>they plan to hold on or before June 30th (by contrast, Senate Democrats held over 30 Senate Finance Committee meetings to draft the Affordable Care Act and included their Republican colleagues in these meetings). This GOP strategy contravenes the spirit of our democratic process, and we must not stand for it.</p> <p>We can do something about this: Demand Democratic Senators block a final AHCA vote by introducing thousands of amendments during the reconciliation process, an approach known as filibustering by amendment. Further, we can urge Republican Senators to push their colleagues to draft their healthcare replacement openly and publicly. The American public deserves to know what is in their healthcare legislation, and the egregious behavior by the GOP must be stopped.</p>
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>IF DEMOCRAT Rep: I'm calling today because I'm upset about the GOP's strategy to write and pass the American Health Care Act in secret, with no Senate hearings or public debate. I'm demanding that [SEN NAME] work with other Democrats to plan a filibuster by amendment during the reconciliation vote-a-rama on the AHCA and block the passage of this cruel bill. Your constituents are counting on you to fight for their healthcare.</p> <p>IF REPUBLICAN Rep: I'm calling today because I'm upset at the GOP's strategy to write and pass the American Health Care Act in secret, with no Senate hearings or public debate. I'm demanding that [SEN NAME] urge their colleagues to hold hearings on this bill and stop bypassing our democratic process.</p> <p>[OPTIONAL: Share a personal story of why the ACA is so important to you, your family, and / or your community]</p> <p>Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>

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Issue:	Oppose: Protecting Access to Care Act of 2017, HR 1215				
Why:	<p>The Protecting Access to Care Act of 2017, HR 1215, would dramatically undermine patient protections against malpractice and medical error. Because the bill would preempt any less-stringent state laws on malpractice, it would significantly alter malpractice law in at least 47 states. The bill would limit non-economic damages for malpractice to \$250,000 and shorten the statute of limitations for malpractice suits. The bill would also ban patients from filing class action lawsuits against doctors that prescribe FDA-approved drugs or medical devices that cause them harm. This provision is particularly troubling given that a 2014 study found newly FDA-approved drugs have a 1 in 5 chance of causing adverse reactions in some patients.</p> <p>The bill's sponsors argue that it is a justifiable measure to contain healthcare costs, citing the persistent myth that malpractice claims drive the United States' astronomically high healthcare spending. However, medical negligence suits contribute to only 0.5-1% of all medical costs. The real beneficiaries of HR 1215 will be pharmaceutical companies, who have long advocated for so-called malpractice reform to minimize their liability for damages caused by hastily-approved drugs. If Congress truly wants to address healthcare spending, they must focus on the major contributors to our healthcare costs, like inflated pharmaceutical costs and high hospital service fees, instead of stripping away consumer protections.</p> <p>The House is scheduled to vote on HR 1215 the week of June 19th.</p>				
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling to express my opposition to HR 1215, the Protecting Access to Care Act of 2017. Reducing healthcare spending is an admirable policy goal, but it should not be achieved by eroding people's legal protections against medical malpractice while shielding pharmaceutical companies from lawsuits over hastily-approved drugs.</p> <p>Thank you for your time and attention.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				

Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep	
Issue:	Support: Healthcare that protects people with pre-existing				
Why:	<p>On Thursday, May 4th, House Republicans rammed through a wildly unpopular, staggeringly inadequate replacement for the Affordable Care Act, the American Health Care Act (AHCA). While this bill was passed without a score from the Congressional Budget Office (CBO), a subsequent CBO report predicted the AHCA would leave 23 million people uninsured by 2026 (largely due to rollbacks of Medicaid expansion), increase premiums dramatically for middle-class and older consumers and people with preexisting conditions, and provide tax breaks to the wealthy and to insurance company executives.</p> <p>The House version of the AHCA would be especially disastrous for people with preexisting conditions, as the bill allows states to charge people higher premiums based on their health status and segregate people with pre-existing conditions into high-risk pools when they are pushed out of their regular insurance plans. Under this arrangement, people with preexisting conditions could face astronomically high surcharges. The Center for American Progress estimated a 40-year-old with autism could pay 135% more than the standard premium cost for care, while someone with metastatic cancer could pay 3,500% more.</p> <p>As the Senate drafts their own Affordable Care Act replacement, it is critical that they preserve the ACA's protections for people with preexisting conditions. Urge your Senator not to vote for any healthcare bill that allows insurance companies to discriminate against people because of their health status.</p>				
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p> <p>I'm calling today to urge my [Senator/ Representative] not to vote for any healthcare bill that does not preserve the Affordable Care Act's protections for people with preexisting conditions. The Senator should work to repair the Affordable Care Act, not replace it with an inferior bill that leaves millions uninsured and drives up costs for millions more.</p> <p>[OPTIONAL: Share a story about why protections for people with preexisting conditions is important to you.]</p> <p>Thank you for your hard work answering the phones.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				

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Issue:	Support: Coats and Rogers refused to answer basic questions about Trump's requests				
Why:	<p>On June 7th, the Director of National Intelligence (DNI) Dan Coats, National Security Agency (NSA) Director Adm. Michael S. Rogers, Deputy Attorney General Rod Rosenstein, and Acting FBI Director Andrew McCabe testified in front of the Senate Intelligence Committee, where they were questioned about their interactions with Trump. Several news outlets previously reported that Trump personally asked both Coats and Rogers to intervene with Comey and the Russian probe and encourage Comey to back off the investigation. It was also reported that both men did not feel comfortable with Trump's request and did not act on his wishes.</p> <p>During the hearing, however, both Coats and Rogers refused to answer basic questions about Trump's requests. "I'm not prepared to answer your question today," Coats responded to Marco Rubio when asked if he had ever "been asked by the president or the White House to influence an ongoing investigation." Rogers also refused to answer questions, stating "I'm not going to discuss the specifics of discussions with the president of the United States." As multiple Senators from both sides of the aisle pointed out, these questions were not classified matters and answering them in an publicized session was not dangerous or illegal in any sense. Despite the fact that there was no legal basis for the men to refuse to answer the Senators' questions, the intelligence officers continued to stonewall. Their motive or reasoning is still unclear.</p> <p>The public has a right to know if Trump has asked our top intelligence officers to help him squash an ongoing investigation. These are not classified conversations and should be made public.</p>				
Script:	<p>Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from myTown.</p>				

I'm deeply disappointed that Admiral Rogers / Director Coats would not answer basic questions during the Senate Intelligence Hearing about conversations they had with Trump concerning Comey or the Russia investigation. The American public has a right to know if the president behaved inappropriately, and we need transparency from our intelligence leaders in order to maintain any faith in our national institutions.

I'm calling today to urge my [Senator/ Representative] to get obtain full answers on these matters.

Thank you for your time and attention.

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Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep	
Issue:	Oppose: Leaving the Paris Climate Accord				
Why:	<p>President Trump has made the decision to withdraw from the Paris climate accord despite overwhelming opposition from nearly every direction: a majority of American voters support the agreement and nearly every country in the world—195 in total—have signed the landmark accord; Elon Musk has resigned as advisor to Trump's business council; even shareholders at Exxon Mobil have called for greater and focus on the costs of climate change, signaling that investors want fossil fuel companies to move toward a low-carbon economy.</p> <p>Withdrawing from the agreement will at best damage U.S. competitiveness as other countries take the lead in the global transition to clean energy. It will also do serious damage to U.S. strategic interests around the world by alienating U.S. allies and undermining U.S. policy priorities. And all of that isn't even touching on the impact that pulling out of the deal will have on climate change.</p>				
Script:	<p>I'm calling to urge [REP/SENATOR NAME] to reject the Trump administration's leaving the Paris climate accord.</p> <p>OPTIONAL: Share a personal story or reason why this matters to you. For example:</p> <p>-- Pennsylvania agriculture depends on regular rainfall which is threatened as climate becomes more erratic swinging from droughts to devastating floods.</p> <p>-- Pennsylvania's woods are threatened by pests such as the pine bark beetles that are now able to survive in our warmer winters. Not only affecting wood land lumber, but also creating conditions for rampant fires that can destroy homes, businesses and towns, such as the Gatlinburg, TN fires.</p> <p>Thank you for your time and attention.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				

Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep	PA Governor
Issue:	Support: United States Climate Alliance				
Why:	<p>Although Trump has decided to withdraw the United States from the Paris Climate Agreement, individual states maintain their control over their own carbon emission standards and clean energy priorities. If enough states commit to maintaining the standards of the Paris Climate Agreement, the collective achievement can offset the adverse effects of the Trump-led national withdrawal. Governors Jerry Brown of California, Andrew Cuomo of New York and Jay Inslee of Washington formed a "United States Climate Alliance" immediately after the announcement of Trump's Paris Accord decision. Urge your state's Governor to join the cause and continue the fight against climate change.</p>				
Script:	<p>I'm calling because I am extremely alarmed by the Trump Administration's decision to withdraw the US from the Paris Climate Agreement, and I ask that Governor Wolf] join the United States Climate Alliance with other state leaders to maintain the climate goals set forth in the agreement. Climate change is a real threat to our safety, our health and our economy, and we must do everything we can to fight it.</p> <p>Thank you for your time and attention.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				

Call:	US Senators	House Rep	PA Senator	PA House Rep	
Issue:	Support: Public School Funding and Student Loan Protections				
Why:	<p>The Trump administration, along with Secretary Betsy DeVos, laid out their proposal for the 2018 Department of Education budget - a long list of program cuts and funding shifts that would leave public schools underfunded and vulnerable students unprotected. The \$11 billion worth of budget cuts would completely dismantle teacher training programs, after school programs (that mostly serve poor children), class-size reduction efforts, the Special Olympics, and 20 other programs designed to address bullying prevention, mental health, gifted students, as well as arts, foreign language, history and STEM education.</p> <p>Not only does the budget proposal defund a multitude of vital programs, it also devastates the entirety of the public school system. \$400 million would be spent on expanding charter and religious schools, and \$1 billion dollars spent a new grant to promote voucher or 'school choice' programs in public schools, effectively diverting funds away from already struggling public schools and into private schools. Trump and DeVos also have their eyes on overhauling federal financial aid with a proposal to kill the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program (which allows student borrowers to have their debt erased if they work for the government or a nonprofit for at least 10 years), and replace all student loan repayment plans with a single plan, a move that could give one contractor too much power and ability to abuse student borrowers.</p> <p>As if this large number of troubling changes aren't enough and DeVos's priorities aren't already clear, DeVos has also proposed cutting the Dept. of Education's Office of Civil Rights staff by 10% (complaints are on a significant rise) and increasing the budget for her own security by millions of taxpayer dollars.</p>				
Script:	<p>I'm calling to urge [REP/SENATOR NAME] to reject the Trump administration's proposed budget cuts to the education department.</p> <p>OPTIONAL: Share a personal story or reason why this matters to you. For example:</p> <p>-- I (or someone close to you) am a product of the public school system, and I think more effort should be spent on improving it, not abandoning it.</p> <p>-- I (or someone close to you) needed federal assistance to pay for higher education, and I support the programs that make it easier for students to do so and protect them from abuse by lending companies.</p> <p>-- It is important to me that my children (or young people close to you) have access to arts (or science, foreign language, etc.) education in their schools, and do not want to see those programs dismantled.</p> <p>Thank you for your time and attention.</p> <p>[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full street address to ensure your call is tallied]</p>				