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## How to Contact your Utility's Representatives and Senators

### NACWA Guide for Public Agency Members

Meeting with your members of Congress, both in Washington D.C., or in your home district, is a great way to engage directly with your elected representatives about the issues that are most important to you, acquaint them with the services your utility provides, and establish a relationship that will be mutually beneficial in the future.

NACWA encourages its members to invite representatives on a facility tour. Having them see your facilities in person, is the best way to educate Congress about your local needs and those of the clean water community in general.

#### Find your Representatives

- Look up your Congressman using a zip code [here](#). Keep in mind you may have more than one Congressman if your utility serves a range of zip codes. Please make sure to look up all Congressmen that represent your utility's service area.
- Look up the two U.S. Senators from your state [here](#).

#### Schedule a Meeting

- In your District: Call the Washington, D.C. office location and ask to speak with the Scheduler that handles local meetings in the district to arrange a facility tour or to request a meeting. You may be redirected to a Scheduler or Assistant in a local office.
- In Washington D.C.: Call the Washington, D.C., office and ask to speak with the Scheduler to request a meeting with the Member of Congress. If the member is unavailable, request to speak to the Environmental Legislative Assistant (LA).

When scheduling a meeting, ensure the Congressional staff knows you are a constituent and your utility services their district.

You can find NACWA Factsheets on key issues of importance to the Clean Water Community in NACWA's [Congressional Toolbox](#).

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