

Template – State Legislator Visit Request

Dear [MEMBER or STAFF],

As a [PERSONAL AFFILIATION] and strong supporter of Second Harvest Food Bank of North Central Ohio, I've seen how critical our work is to neighbors in our region—and how much public policy is vital to our ability to meet the rising need for food assistance in our communities.

I invite you to visit Second Harvest to see firsthand how nutrition programs help provide healthy food to our neighbors impacted by inflation and the high costs of living. Your strong support is requested for the investments in the Ohio Food Program and Ohio Agriculture Clearance Program, which are essential to our efforts to source the healthiest food available to ensure Ohioans sustain their health and well-being and helps us maintain vital partnerships with the Ohio agriculture community.

During your visit, you'll have the opportunity to view current food inventory levels in our Nordson Distribution Facility, discuss food insecurity across our region, and learn more about the challenges impacting the local food system and nutrition programs.

I'd be happy to work with Second Harvest to set a meeting that would work around your schedule. I look forward to hearing from you.

Thank you for your time and leadership.

Sincerely,

[SIGNATURE]

[PRINTED NAME]

[ADDRESS]

[CONTACT INFORMATION]