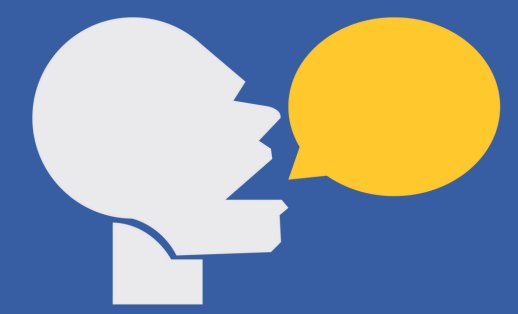


# Sample Letter to an Official



Full Name  
Address  
Phone Number

Date

The Honorable (Official's name here)  
Role of the Official  
Office Mailing Address

Dear (Elected Official's Name):

I am writing on behalf of my community organization. Recently we are seeing significant amounts of trash being discarded in front of our community center in your legislative district. We are concerned that people passing by will continue to do so if New Jersey does not take a harsher stance on littering.

Our community center is very important to the local community. Children attend day care and summer camps here. Elderly residents enroll in swimming classes and chess tournaments. Trash being left outside is not only an aesthetic issue, but a threat to the health of our community members.

As you may know, littering is a petty offense in New Jersey. On behalf of my community organization, I urge you to call for the amendment of New Jersey Statute Title 13, which addresses the penalties for littering in this state.

Sincerely,  
Full Name