

Template to request a meeting with your MP

Dear <name>,

I am a local resident in your electorate and I am deeply concerned about climate change because <insert your personal reason here>. <For groups: As well as a constituent of yours, I'm an active member of ACF Community XX – a group of volunteers committed to taking action as part of the Australian Conservation Foundation community.>

With hundreds of other volunteers across the country, I've been out surveying the community in <electorate name> over the last few weeks. I've found overwhelming support for stronger action on climate change by your constituents.

I would like to meet with you, during the winter break (preferably some time the week commencing July 16) to share the views I've been collecting. I also want to hear your views on climate change and to ensure that you are doing everything you can to help strengthen your parties policies before the next federal election.

I'm <describe yourself mention of any community roles (e.g. sports clubs, associations) or experiences that show you're in touch with the local community>.

[for a Government MP] I'm deeply concerned about the lack of climate action by the current government, and believe your policies are not representative of what the broader community wants to see.

[for an Opposition MP] I believe that a future ALP Government wants to do the right thing and build a strong national response to climate that is wide ranging and effective, but I'm concerned that at present your policies are not representative of what the broader community wants to see.

Can your office please contact me to arrange a suitable time for a meeting? I plan to attend along with some of the other constituents who have been joining me in collecting survey results.

Yours faithfully,

Name Address | Email | Phone Number