

1:00 pm on Tuesday Rep. Max Miller's Office (Cuyahoga County) Cannon 143, (202) 225-2015 Ask for Michael Kraan	Blue Group: Doris, Raven, Raymond and Jaylin
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Roles During Visit:

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth.</i> <i>Raven is from Cuyahoga County, which is in your district.</i> <i>Thank you for serving on the House Committee on Ways and Means Subcommittee on Work and Welfare</i> <i>Thanks also for meeting with Raven virtually earlier this year, and for proposing the Foster Youth Workforce Opportunity Act, which is now part of the Fostering the Future Act.</i> <i>This will make it possible for ETV funds to be able to be used for short-term workforce programs, apprenticeships, etc., and also to extend ETV eligibility from five years to six years.</i>
2. ETV Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>Since you care about ETV, we wanted you to know about the risk of expanding the population without increasing the funds. Here in Ohio, we would run out of funding quickly.</i>
3. Chafee Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>It's also important to note that Chafee funding hasn't increased since 1999; the cost of living today is much higher.</i>
4. Thank You For Your Time:	<i>(Give Them Folder, Ask to Take Photo)</i>

1:30 pm on Tuesday Rep. David Joyce's Office (Appropriations: Chafee, ETV) 2065 Rayburn, (202) 225-5731 <i>Ask for Ashley Roberts</i>	Red Group: Lisa, Jaye, Alexys and Alana
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Roles During Visit:

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth and ACTION Ohio.</i> <i>Thank you for serving on the House Appropriations Committee and Congressional Coalition on Adoption Institute</i>
2. ETV Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>Since you care about ETV, we wanted you to know about the risk of expanding the population without increasing the funds. Here in Ohio, we would run out of funding quickly.</i>
3. Chafee Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>It's also important to note that Chafee funding hasn't increased since 1999; the cost of living today is much higher.</i>
4. Housing Ask	<i>Tech Assistance for FYI and Nunn Act</i>
5. Thank You For Your Time:	<i>(Give Them Folder, Ask to Take Photo)</i>

* Congress funds the FYI voucher program and dictates how HUD spends its technical assistance dollars.

Legislative Carve-Outs: Congress can write specific language into the annual Transportation, Housing and Urban Development (T-HUD) appropriations bill. They can mandate that a certain percentage of FYI TA funds must go exclusively to organizations led by individuals with lived experience in the foster care and homelessness systems

3:00 pm on Tuesday Rep. Michael Turner's Office (Montgomery County) 2183 Rayburn, (202) 225-6465 <i>Ask for Jason Berardo</i>	Blue Group: Doris, Raven, Raymond and Jaylin
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Roles During Visit:

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth.</i> <i>Jaylin and Raymond are from Montgomery County, which is in your district.</i> <i>Thank you for championing the Fostering Stable Housing Opportunities Act</i>
2. BROE Overview and Recommendations	<i>Baseline Rent Optimum Escrow</i>
3. Tech Assistance Recommendations	<i>Congress funds the FYI voucher program and dictates how HUD spends its technical assistance dollars.</i> <i>Legislative Carve-Outs: Congress can write specific language into the annual Transportation, Housing and Urban Development (T-HUD) appropriations bill.</i> <i>They can mandate that a certain percentage of FYI TA funds must go exclusively to organizations led by individuals with lived experience in the foster care and homelessness systems.</i>
4. Thank You For Your Time:	<i>(Give Them Folder, Ask to Take Photo)</i>

3:00 pm on Tuesday Mike Carey's Office Office 1433 Longworth, (202) 225-2015 Ask for Ashley Roberts	Red Group: Lisa, Jaye, Alexys and Alana
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Roles During Visit:

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth and ACTION Ohio.</i> <i>Alexys and Jaye are from Franklin County, which is in your district.</i> <i>Thank you for serving on the House Committee on Ways and Means: House Budget Committee</i>
2. ETV Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>Since you care about ETV, we wanted you to know about the risk of expanding the population without increasing the funds. Here in Ohio, we would run out of funding quickly.</i>
3. Chafee Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>It's also important to note that Chafee funding hasn't increased since 1999; the cost of living today is much higher.</i>
4. Housing Ask	<i>He is a co-sponsor of the HOME for Foster Youth Act, which would streamline access to FYI housing vouchers</i>
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1:00 pm on Wednesday
Rep. Greg Landsman Office
2244 Rayburn, (202) 225-2216
Ask for Tashia Roberson-Wing

Roles During Visit:

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth and ACTION Ohio.</i> <i>Alana is from Hamilton County, which is in your district.</i>
2. ETV Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>Since you care about ETV, we wanted you to know about the risk of expanding the population without increasing the funds. Here in Ohio, we would run out of funding quickly.</i>
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4. Housing Ask	<i>He co-introduced the HOME for Foster Youth Act, which would streamline access to FYI housing vouchers</i>
5. Thank You For Your Time:	<i>(Give Them Folder, Ask to Take Photo)</i>

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TBA on Wednesday

Rep. Marcy Kaptur's Office

2314 Rayburn HOB | 202-225-4146

Ask for Adrienne Cardulla,

Roles During Visit:

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth and ACTION Ohio. (Lucas County is very active on the board)</i>
2. ETV Overview and Recommendations <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	<i>We want you to know about the risk of expanding the population without increasing the funds. Here in Ohio, we would run out of funding quickly.</i>
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3:00 pm on Wednesday

Senator Jon Husted's Office

Room 304

Russell Senate Office Building 2 Constitution Avenue, NE, Washington, DC 20510-3508

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Stop by office on **Wednesday**

Senator Bernie Moreno's Office

284 Russell Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

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9 am on Tuesday
ACF Children's Bureau ~ Ryan Hanlon

Mary E. Switzer Building 330 C Street SW DC 20201 Visitor entrance is located on C Street, between 3rd and 4th Street SW.	Meeting starts at 9:00 am, but we need to arrive early for security screening and a visitor badge. Then we will call Susan Murchison (202)369-5360 to escort us to the meeting location.
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1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth and ACTION Ohio.</i>
2. Broken Adoptions <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	
3. Life Skills <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	
4. Youth Who Self Report Abuse <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters</i>	
5. Thank You For Your Time:	<i>(Give Them Folder, Ask to Take Photo)</i>

9 am on Wednesday

HUD ~ Ryan Jones, Michelle Daniels, Molly Allen, Cecilia Carpentier

2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314
C12001 on the 12th floor

1. Introductions:	<i>Hi, we represent the OHIO YAB, which is the statewide voice of foster youth and ACTION Ohio.</i>
2. Appreciation and History <i>Overview and Timeline.</i>	
3. Overcoming Barriers to Voucher Access <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters.</i>	
4. Proposed Technical Assistance Strategy <i>From the One-Pager, paired with a personal story of why this matters</i>	
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*The potential conflict of interest regarding the Corporation for Supportive Housing (CSH) and Foster Youth to Independence (FYI) housing vouchers stems from a structural and philosophical misalignment between CSH's business model and the design of the FYI voucher system.