



Contacting NC General Assembly Legislators and Scheduling Meetings



Scheduling the Meeting

Look up your NC General Assembly Representatives (<u>ncleg.gov</u>)

□ Search by using your **address**.

- □ Search for an **individual legislator by name**.
- □ Search for an entire **county delegation**.

Schedule the meeting

- **Call legislator's office and/or email legislator** and CC the Legislative Assistant (LA)
- □ **Identify yourself** as a constituent and request a meeting.
- □ Outline the topics to be discussed and who will be attending.
- □ Be friendly, respectful, and grateful, but also persistent. It may take a few tries.
- □ Offer to meet in-person or online as needed. Be as accommodating as possible.
- □ Try to schedule between 9am and 1pm for June 7th meetings in Raleigh.
- □ Tell us about your meetings: <u>Legislative Appointments (artsnc.org)</u>

Follow up 3-5 business days before the meeting

- □ Confirm the meeting date and time, especially if it was tentative.
- □ Email attachments or provide links to materials. Do not count on screen sharing.
- □ **Restate the topics to be discussed** and who will be attending.