

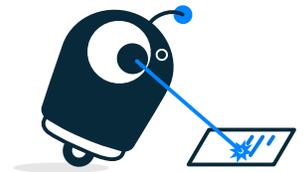
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How To Send Your First Letter

1. Find and open up your phone's texting app, it looks something like this:



2. Where you enter the phone number you want to text, type **50409**. *Yup, that's all!*
3. Send **resist** as your first text. You'll get a text back from the bot instantly. You're in!
4. Enter the keyword that corresponds to who you want to contact. **Congress**, for example, will allow you to reach your two Senators and Representative.
5. Please read the prompts carefully. The bot will need your first name, then your last name, and then your mailing address in a single text—this is to determine who your officials are. *The 'bot doesn't share or sell your information to any outside groups.*
6. Start writing your letter! Send as many texts as you need to compose it, you do not need to write it all in a single text or include your name/address. **Fewer, shorter texts work best.** *Letters do not need to be long, tell your officials specifically what you want them to do, be factual not emotional. Include a bill number if applicable. Bonus if you can say why you're writing, like a personal story.*
7. Once you're finished, send **done** as a single text. If your letter looks good, use **send** to start the delivery process.
8. Read the rest of the prompts carefully, the bot will need a few more things from you when writing your first letter, like a title.
9. The bot will have to confirm your email address the first time through. Once you input your email address, look for a message from support@resistbot.io with a six-digit code, e.g. *123456*. Enter that number back into the text conversation to continue.
10. You'll be prompted to enter a brief subject for your letter, this will help staffers respond quicker. Summarize your position in a few words. e.g. *"Vote yea on H.R.1"*
11. That's it! You may have already received an auto-reply from your officials, but they'll read your full message when they can.
12. The bot may ask you from here to take follow-up actions, like sharing your letter so more people can read it, or donating. Answer however you like! Thanks for trying the bot! You can see all the things the bot can do at <https://resist.bot>





Full Keyword Guide

Contact your Elected Officials

CONGRESS	Write or call your two Senators and Representative in the Congress
STATE	Write to your Governor and/or state legislators
SENATE	Write or call one or both of your U.S. Senators
HOUSE	Write or call your representative in the U.S. House
GOV	Write or call your Governor
LEGISLATURE	Write your state legislators
DNC	Write to the Democratic National Committee
EDITOR	Submit your last letter as a letter to the editor to your local paper
SHARE	Make your last letter an open letter
NEARBY	See open letters from your district
IMAGE	Download an image of your last letter
OFFICIALS	Print all your current officials and their phone numbers

Get Ready to Vote

VOTE	Get a personalized voting checklist
CHECK	Check your voter registration & get an alert if it changes
POLLS	Find out where to vote, either early or on Election Day
REGISTER	Register to vote
ABSENTEE	Get absentee ballot instructions
ID	Get voter ID requirements & an ID if you need one
PLEDGE	Create a vote pledge card

18 Not 18 yet? Get a reminder on your birthday to register to vote!

Get More Involved

ENDORSE Vote in my 2020 straw poll

INVITE Invite a friend to vote, check their registration, or write to their officials

DONATE Donate to keep me running

TOWN HALL Find local town halls, office hours, and more from Town Hall Project

SUBSCRIBE Become a sustaining donor and unlock more features

SWINGLEFT Adopt a Swing Left district and get their events

INDIVISIBLE Find local Indivisible groups or events

RUN Sign up to run for office with Run for Something

CALENDAR Get events on the Resistance Calendar

STAND Find a local Stand on Every Corner protest

CAMPS Find your nearest ICE or CBP station, possibly housing refugee / migrant children

Learn About the Issues

IMPEACH See your officials' statements and votes on impeachment

NET Where your officials stand on net neutrality

NRA See how much the gun manufacturers lobby has spent for/against your officials

GUNS See how gun rights and gun safety groups have spent on your officials

PREEXISTING Get the estimated number of people with preexisting conditions in your district

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TOPIC	Get the latest from my volunteers' policy blog
TRUMP	See how often your officials vote with Trump
SABOTAGE	See how much Trump's Obamacare sabotage is costing you

Manage Your Account

ACCOUNT	Make sure your information is current so I can give you the right local information / officials
ALERTS	Manage the types of alerts I send you
COMMANDS	Get a list of these commands
FEEDBACK	Tell my volunteers what you think about me
SUPPORT	If you can't find an answer on my help page you can get support in-bot
UPGRADE	Learn how get a better bot experience on Facebook, Twitter, or Telegram

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“Resistbot has an unparalleled and unprecedented power to move thousands upon thousands of people to action—instantly.”

BEN WIKLER, CHAIR, DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF WISCONSIN

“Resistbot’s GOTV program was highly cost-effective and able to generate an impressive number of net voters, surpassing the performance of many other programs in midterm election cycles. Baseline turnout was very high, at 76%; this is about 50% higher than [predicted.]”

ANALYST INSTITUTE

4.79 million

LIFETIME USERS

4.02 million

REACHABLE FOR NATIONAL ISSUES

2.19 million

REACHABLE FOR STATE/LOCAL ISSUES

9,990

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR SUBMITTED

25,000+

CONFIRMED PROTEST RSVPs

88,972

MINUTES OF CALLS TO OFFICIALS

22,693

LOOKED UP TOWN HALLS

15,673+

2018 VOLUNTEER SHIFTS BOOKED

12,002

VOTER REGISTRATIONS SUBMITTED

81,222

DONATIONS MADE

242,279

LOOKED UP POLLING SITES

586,063

CHECKED THEIR VOTER REGISTRATION

The more people join Resistbot, the more impact we can create together: both in terms of pressure on elected officials and votes at the ballot box. Join us, and tell your friends.