



- TEMPLATE - Email Citizen to Candidates and/or Representatives

Subject: A Call to Leadership: Support the Principles for Trusted Elections

Dear [Candidate/Representative Name],

As your constituent, I care deeply about the health of our democracy – and in a moment of growing distrust, your leadership matters.

That's why I urge you to <u>sign the Principles for Trusted Elections</u>: a cross-partisan pledge to uphold the values that make elections fair and trustworthy. Publicly supporting these Principles is a powerful way to lead by example, reinforce civic trust, and show that integrity, transparency, and peaceful participation still unite us.

- Honest Process Elections should reflect honesty, impartiality, and equal access under the rule of law.
- **Nonviolent Campaigns** Participation must be free from threats, intimidation, and political violence.
- **Secure Voting** Election systems must safeguard both security and accessibility for all eligible voters.
- **Responsible Oversight** Oversight should be transparent, respectful, and grounded in clearly defined roles and responsibilities.
- Trusted Outcomes The legitimacy of certified results must be respected, with disputes resolved peacefully and lawfully.

These are not partisan issues, they are the pillars that uphold our democratic republic. By signing the Principles, you're not just making a pledge, you're showing voters what it means to lead with integrity.

I invite you to add your name to the growing number of public servants who have committed to these values. And just as importantly, to live them out in your campaign, your public statements, and your leadership.

Sincerely,

[Your Name] [Your City or ZIP Code]