

VISIT BEFORE YOU VOTE

I, _____ from _____
[Legislator's Name] [district]
in _____ hereby pledge to
[State]
participate in the "Visit Before You Vote" campaign initiated by
_____ and One Voice United.
[Union Name]

By signing this pledge, I commit to:

Participating in a guided tour of a jail or state prison facility within my state before casting a vote on the corrections budget or new criminal justice policy.

Engaging in meaningful dialogue with front-line staff to better understand the realities and challenges of working within the corrections system.

Utilizing the knowledge gained from this visit to inform my decision-making process regarding policies and budget allocations that affect the safety and well-being of correctional staff and those impacted by the correctional system.

I acknowledge the critical importance of understanding the challenges faced within America's prisons and jails and recognize the need for firsthand insight before making decisions that impact the working conditions and lives of correctional staff.

Signed,

Legislator's Signature

Title/Position

Date

