DON'T JUST COSPONSOR, DO MORE.

THE ASK

Signing on to H.R. 3069, the National Improved Medicare for All Act, is a good first step. Ask your representative to do more.

IF YOUR REPRESENTATIVE HAS SIGNED ON

Is your representative one of the 117? Say you are lucky enough to live in one of the 117 congressional districts whose representative has cosponsored H.R. 3069. To cosponsor a bill is to formally add your name to it as a supporter. That's great. But signing the bill is not enough.

WHAT MORE THEY CAN DO

Thank them for signing on. Then ask for more.

1. **Show their support on their website.** Ask them to say plainly, on their official website, that they back National Improved Medicare for All.
2. **Speak about the bill in the media.** Newspapers, radio, television, and online news all reach people who have not yet heard of H.R. 3069.
3. **Hold local town halls.** These are public meetings in the district, where neighbors can learn about the bill and ask questions.
4. **Give Special Order Speeches.** These are speeches on the floor of the House of Representatives that reach a national audience.
5. **Help improve the bill.** We know the bill, great as it is, could be better. Ask your representative to help strengthen it.

SPECIAL ORDER SPEECHES

Sometimes shortened to "SOS."

WHEN **After the day's business**

Once all lawmaking business is finished, the House sets aside time called the Special Order period.

WHAT **Any topic, up to 60 minutes**

During this time, a representative can give a speech on any subject, lasting as long as an hour.

WHO HEARS IT **A larger audience**

Speeches given on the House floor are broadcast on C-SPAN, the television network that covers Congress. They also become part of the Congressional Record, the official published record of what is said there.

Tell your representative about Special Order Speeches, and ask for one on H.R. 3069.

START WITH THANK YOU

Then bring them the list.
A signature is only the beginning.

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