



2021 Leadership Summit & Lobby Day Thank You Template

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Thank you for helping us round out our successful day on the Hill with this final piece!

Dear <Person>:

Thank you for virtually meeting with me on Tuesday, September 28th for ACS CAN's annual Lobby Day. I appreciated all the time you took to review our legislative priorities.

Advocating on behalf of cancer patients and their families is important to me because -ADD PERSONAL STORY/DETAILS HERE.

This year, we are asking Congress to:

- Support increased funding for cancer research & prevention programs in the FY2022 funding bill with at least \$51.7 billion for the National Institutes of Health (NIH), including \$7.6 billion for cancer research at the National Cancer Institute (NCI); and \$559 million for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) cancer programs, including \$275 million for the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.
- Ensure that the expanded Affordable Care Act tax credits that are scheduled to expire at the end of 2022 are made permanent in the upcoming human infrastructure package.
- Cosponsor H.R. 1946/S. 1873, the Medicare Multi-Cancer Early Detection Screening Coverage Act of 2021.

Once again, thank you for your time and attention. I hope we can count on you to continue to support our efforts to ensure that the voices of cancer patients and their families are heard in Congress and across the country.

Sincerely,

Don't forget to add your name!

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