

DEBBIE MUCARSEL-POWELL sample script:

[Voter's name,] I'm writing to urge you to vote for Congresswoman Mucarsel-Powell— a fighter for healthcare, the environment, and reducing gun violence. Please Vote-By-Mail and stay safe. [your name]

More info about Debbie:

Debbie Mucarsel-Powell is a Democrat. In 2018, she became the first South American immigrant to be elected to the U.S. Congress. She came to this country at age 14, started working at a donut shop to help her family make ends meet, and put herself through college. Debbie spent 20 years working for nonprofits in Miami, helping provide health care for thousands, protecting coral reefs and lowering the cost of college.

What has she accomplished in Congress?

Healthcare: Debbie has worked to reduce the cost of health care, particularly prescription drugs. She helped sponsor a bill to lower drug prices by ending the monopolies that drug companies use to charge thousands of dollars for a single prescription. She supports making it easier for Medicare to negotiate directly with pharmaceutical companies in order to lower prices and to expand access to generic prescription drugs. She also passed legislation requiring insurance companies to cover patients with pre-existing conditions.

Gun Violence: As the daughter of someone killed by a criminal with a gun, Debbie Mucarsel-Powell has helped lead the fight to reduce gun violence. She voted for universal background checks for gun purchases.

Immigration: Debbie is leading the way to end Donald Trump's policy of separating migrant families. In August of 2019 her advocacy led to the closure of the Homestead Migrant Children Detention Center. Debbie also co-sponsored and passed the Dream and Promise Act to provide a pathway to lawful permanent residence status, and eventual citizenship – for certain Dreamers and TPS/DED holders.

Environment: Debbie previously worked with the Coral Reef Restoration Foundation, and climate issues are incredibly important to her. She understands the unique risks that climate change poses to our communities in South Florida. She recently secured 200 million in federal funding to protect and restore the Everglades. She has pledged that she will never allow offshore drilling near Florida.

How Has Debbie Supported Her Community During the COVID-19 Crisis?

Debbie wrote the bill requiring Medicare Advantage to cover the cost of treatment for the coronavirus, covering over 84,000 people in her district. As the virus emerged, she secured the very first drive-thru testing site for her community in South Florida, and she led the effort to pass the economic stimulus that gave most Americans a \$1,200 check, made bold investments in small businesses, and funded our frontline heroes.

What is Debbie's stance on the Black Lives Matter movement?

Debbie supports the Black Lives Matter movement. She is an original co-sponsor of the Justice in Policing Act that promotes civilian oversight and allows federal funding to go toward Civilian Review Boards.