

Did you know August is NARFE Grassroots Advocacy Month?

NARFE members are encouraged to take advantage of August's congressional recess to take action to defend their earned pay and benefits! Unsure where to start? Use NARFE's Advocacy Hopscotch Worksheet to check off actions as you complete them. Every NARFE member should start at square one, and decide how far to proceed based on their own comfort level with the succeeding box. Be sure to work with fellow NARFE members to streamline efforts in your congressional district/state. Please complete a new worksheet for each of your legislators (one House Representative and both Senators).

Drop off a copy of the latest *narfe* magazine at the local congressional office.

Use NARFE's [Legislative Action Center](#) to send a letter to your legislator opposing harmful proposals included in the FY18 Budget, opposing the Postal Reform Act and supporting the TSP Modernization Act.

Attend community events like your local Labor Day parade!

Attend your legislator's town hall meeting. Check [here](#) for a list of congressional town hall meetings in your area.

Host your legislator at your chapter or federation meeting or event. Learn more [here](#).

[Request a meeting](#) with your legislator or his/her staff. Review the "Know Before You Go Checklist" [here](#) before your meeting.

Plan a town hall event with your legislator in the fall.

Share your advocacy activity with NARFE by completing the "Congressional Meeting and Event Feedback Form" on NARFE's Legislative Action Center! For questions about NARFE's Grassroots Advocacy Month, please contact leg@narfe.org.