

(Dear Congressman \_\_\_\_\_, or Dear Congresswoman \_\_\_\_\_)

Dear Senator \_\_\_\_\_,

We desperately need your help!

I and my fellow Family Entertainment Center business owners were **NOT** part of the Shuttered Venue Operators' (SVO) grant program that was included in the Covid Relief Bill signed into law at the end of December. Unfortunately, our businesses, which are in the most desperate need, have been simply overlooked and left out of the Bill.

My company and our industry, as a whole, have been more significantly impacted than most due to state mandates requiring us to be completely shuttered and/or to operate at severely reduced capacities for the past eleven months.

While forgivable PPP loans are welcome assistance, they are just not enough to get us to the other side of this catastrophe. Only an expanded SVO grant program that includes out-of-home leisure and entertainment businesses will save thousands of businesses and hundreds of thousands of jobs.

Please advocate on our behalf for targeted relief, in the form of grants, for out-of-home leisure and entertainment businesses impacted by Covid 19.

Thank you for your time and attention to this important matter. If you require any further details, I would love the opportunity to discuss this urgent need with you and your talented and capable team.

Respectfully,

Your Name