



# Patch Through Script

CHQ Patch Through Calls: Grassroots Lobbying At Its Best!  
Quickly mobilize constituents to express  
their views on pending legislation.

## Script:

Hello, this is \_\_\_\_\_ calling with Americans for Better Politicians. We are calling residents of Anytown about stopping the President's recent proposal to raise taxes.

Right now, Congress is getting ready to vote on a bill to raise taxes on the American people ... including an amendment to raise taxes on small businesses, the backbone of our economy!

Unfortunately, some Republicans want to cave in and pass a watered down version of this amendment that still raises taxes! And we cannot allow that to happen! That's why we urgently need you to make your voice heard by telling Senator John Doe to keep his promises and protect American taxpayers and small businesses!

Now I'd like to go ahead and transfer you to John Doe's office to tell him to vote against this tax raising legislation. There is no cost to you, and it will only take a moment of your time.

Q1: So may I go ahead and transfer now?

YES	Close 1
NO	Close 2
Refused to Answer	Close 2

Close 1 Close:

Great – thank you! I will transfer you to John Doe 's office. You may get a voicemail or a staff person may answer ... either way, let them know you want John Doe to stop the President's tax hike by voting against the proposed legislation. Most importantly make sure you say "keep your promises to protect the American taxpayers and small businesses!" Before I transfer you, I need you to let you know this call is paid for by Americans for Better Politicians. Please hold while I connect you right now ... (TRANSFER)

Close 2

Ok. Thanks for your time. This call was paid for by Americans for Better Politicians.