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| Sample Letter - Inviting Public Policymakers (Date) (Public Policymaker, Title)(Address) Dear (Public Policymaker): Throughout your term(s) in office you have made a commitment to our community and its citizens. The Weatherization Assistance Program addresses local needs by investing in local businesses, training workers, saving energy, and saving money that can then be reinvested in the economy. **We invite you to attend a focused, one-hour demonstration of the technical diagnostics and measures used with the Weatherization Program at your convenience.** Weatherization works in many ways. For over 35 years, WAP has solidified a reputation as the nation's core program for delivering energy-efficiency services to low-income households. To date, more than 7.3 million households have benefited through increased energy-efficiency of their homes, more money to spend on other necessities, and health and safety gains through the Program. The Program serves every county in the nation and supports thousands of jobs.Weatherization works for our local community as well. (Agency title) has weatherized over (X) homes in the last year (or other benchmark). We have served homes in (name several local communities). Our energy-efficiency improvements have resulted in significant energy savings for each of these households and we employ (number of people) both in our offices and as on-site weatherization crews. Included in this package are materials that I hope you will take the time to examine fully. I will contact you soon to ascertain which dates and times would be most convenient for you or your staff to see our program in action. We find that these demonstrations afford policymakers a better understanding of the program’s technical approach and attention to energy, health, and safety in the home. I look forward to speaking to you soon. Sincerely, (Your Signature)(Name)(Contact Information) |