

Dear State League Members,

I hope you are well and staying healthy.

I want to flag an item for you that was included in the **Families First Coronavirus Response Act (HR 6201)** that President Trump signed yesterday.

The bill creates substantial new sick leave and family medical leave requirements on government employers of all sizes. Unfortunately, the bill expressly prohibits from receiving the tax credits to offset the costs of providing such leave.

We are working hard to correct this in the next stimulus bill that Senate Leaders and the Administration are currently drafting. This afternoon, we sent letters to [Congressional leaders](#) as well as to [Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin](#).

We need your help now to amplify this message to Congressional Leaders and to the Administration.

Additionally, if any of you have localities who can identify the fiscal impact of this, that would be helpful for us to know and share.

Please let me know if I or my team can assist you in any way. As always, do not hesitate to contact me at 202-528-211 or diggs@nlc.org if we can help.

Talk soon,

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