

HOW TO HOLD THE MEETING: It's easy!

Reach out to your Legislator's **district office (the local office)**. Tell them that you and 10-15 or more constituents wish to Zoom with the legislator to discuss the upzoning bills.

Get a commitment. You may need to accept a time that isn't great. Take it anyway.

Offer to set up the Zoom meeting. Get the proper emails for the legislator and staff so you can send them the zoom invitation link.

Easy basics before the meeting!

Reach out to gather 10 or more like-minded constituents, if you don't already have a group.

If necessary, expand your Zoom account to allow for more people if you expect a crowd or for the meeting to exceed 40 minutes.

Arrange for one moderator to run the meeting.

You'll likely be given a time limit by the office. The legislator may run over that time.

If possible, coordinate with your group to gather questions for the meeting

Meeting Agenda

Moderator introduces the Assemblymember and mentions good things they have done.

Moderator describes SB 9 and SB10 and why residents are so concerned.

Moderator or members read the best questions.

Be respectful but firm. Lay out concerns. Push back if not hearing what you want.

Ask if Assemblymember will vote NO on SB 9 & SB 10.

Followup is great!

Send a thank you for their time (as well as to staffers who helped).

Soon after, write or call her or him urging a NO vote on SB 9 and SB 10.

Spread the word on how it went and what the legislator said or promised