

“But I don’t know what to say!”

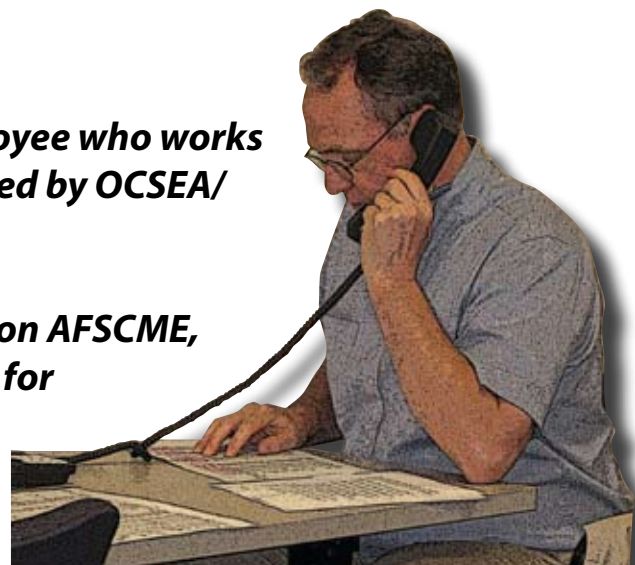
If you would like to have an impact on the upcoming presidential election as it relates to your job, volunteering for phone banking is an easy way to talk to other union members about the value of voting for pro-labor candidates.

Here is a sample script that you can use as a guide:

Hi, may I please speak to _____.

Hi, _____, my name is _____ and I’m a state employee who works in AGENCY. I am also a union member represented by OCSEA/AFSCME Local 11.

As you may know, OCSEA, our International Union AFSCME, and the AFL-CIO, have endorsed Barack Obama for President. We believe that Senator Obama represents the values of working people like us and will work to make sure that the middle class gets a fair shake.



Unlike McCain, Barack Obama is a pro-labor candidate. He believes in our right to form a labor union. His health care plan will provide coverage for all, which will also help reduce costs.

Most of all, Obama will help turn this country around. Ohio has lost hundreds of thousands of jobs under the Bush administration. We need a President who makes jobs, health care and the values of working families his top priority.

Will you join me in supporting Barack Obama for President?

