**Email to Personalize and Send to your MN Senator and Representative:**

Dear [Senator/Representative Name],

My name is [Your Name] and I live in your district. I am a [Girl Scout/Girl Scout advocate]. Throughout Minnesota, Girl Scouts River Valleys serves more than 28,000 girls, with the support of over 9,000 adult volunteers. I am asking you today to support SF 400/ HF 292, which provides access to critical experiences and support for girls in Minnesota (also known as the Girl Scout Bill).

This bill appropriates $1.4 million from the General Fund to the Department of Education for a grant to support Girl Scouts’ outreach programming throughout Minnesota. The funds will provide leadership and life skills programming to 3500 girls from underrepresented and under-resourced communities.

You can find out more about the Girl Scout Bill [here.](https://girlscoutsrv.box.com/s/85bhk7eu7g6ywr78pji52p6eiju5c8ya)

I see the impact Girl Scouts makes in my community. Girl Scouts plays an important role in fueling the female leadership and workforce pipeline. [Insert your brief Girl Scout story here.]

The Girl Scout Bill needs a hearing in both the Senate and House Education Finance Committees, and we need you to reach out to Senator Carla Nelson/ Representative Jim Davnie to hold a hearing on the Girl Scout Bill and include it in the Omnibus Education Finance Bill.

Senator Carla Nelson: [sen.carla.nelson@senate.mn](mailto:sen.carla.nelson@senate.mn); 651-296-4848

Representative Jim Davnie: [rep.jim.davnie@house.mn](mailto:rep.jim.davnie@house.mn); 651-296-0173

As my legislator, I am asking for your support on SF 400/HF 292, to invest in critical leadership and life skills development for girls, while working to close the achievement gap in Minnesota.

I would be happy to meet with you in your office this month to talk more about our legislation.

Thank you for your service to Minnesota, and I look forward to hearing back from you.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]