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Dear Affiliate CASA Directors & Staff, Board Chairs, and Sponsoring-Agency Directors:

It's nearing the first week of the legislative session and time to begin making plans for **CASA Day at the Capitol on Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>**. Please read to the end for important details. We are returning to our larger-scale event this year, and we're excited to host our drop-in luncheon and offer this meaningful opportunity to connect, share, and engage with legislators on policy and budget issues that impact children and families experiencing foster care. The **attached flyer** highlights the details and can be shared with your staff, volunteers, or board members who may be participating with you.

This year, the legislative briefing will be held in the Floyd Building, on the 20<sup>th</sup> floor in the Floyd Room. (If you've been with the network for a minute, you might recall attending CASA Day at this venue in the mid 2010s!) While we are not limiting the number of attendees, all participants should have some familiarity with the larger CASA network and be willing to speak directly with elected officials and legislative staff about CASA advocacy. You can best determine how to coordinate with your teams and share with your volunteers or others beyond the noted recipients who might like to participate. We ask that each affiliate is represented by at least one knowledgeable representative to serve as the lead. The onsite briefing will be geared towards partaking in CASA meetings with legislators and receiving additional information about our budget request and pending child welfare legislation.

CASA Day at the Capitol is a critical, organized opportunity to demonstrate the impact of our collective advocacy throughout the state and present requests for continued and increased funding support. While we're inviting all legislators to a drop-in luncheon, we ask that each affiliate request and schedule a meeting with your legislators on the 12th, before or after the legislative briefing, or at the legislators' convenience. You're encouraged to join forces with neighboring affiliates that share legislators to secure one meeting. By way of example, we attached the letter all legislators will receive next week from Georgia CASA. While you may customize and adapt this letter to use as your invitation, you can always use your regular points of contact to schedule a meeting as well. *(If you're not sure who your legislators are, the Senate and House legislator contact info spreadsheets are on the **CASA Day at the Capitol Website - [CASA Day at the Capitol 2026 - Georgia CASA](#)**).* If any of your legislators hold leadership positions in the House or Senate or serve on a budget or other committee directly related to our work, making an appointment to meet with them is imperative to continue to cultivate relationships and garner future support. We'll be in touch throughout the session to help make these important connections as needed.

There is a \$20 fee to attend CASA Day, and the CASA Day at the Capitol website contains the registration link, tentative schedule of events, lobbying tips, and will contain general talking points, budget-request flyer, and other information as we get closer to the event and move through the session. If you'd like more general information about legislative advocacy and/or details surrounding CASA Day at the Capitol, we'll be hosting our **annual informational webinar** on **Friday, February 6<sup>th</sup> @ 10 AM**, which will be recorded and posted to the website. A link for the webinar is on the website, and we will send the information out in a separate email as a reminder as we get closer to the date.

As always, use Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, or other social media to connect and share about CASA Day using **#GACASADayatCap** and plan to wear your **pop of red!**

Thank you for your continued advocacy. Please let us know if you have any questions, and we look forward to seeing you on the 12<sup>th</sup>!

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