

Social Media Advocacy Tool

Social media, when used effectively, can become a great tool for advocacy. Comment on posts by local and state policymakers with constructive feedback on a policy, voice your opposition or support a piece of legislation with a retweet, send a Facebook message sharing your story with your representatives. Tag an elected official in your posts about a certain issue or topic.

You can:

- Keep up with current issues
- Communicate with your local government and elected officials
- Share your voice in a respectful, impactful way
- Remind them, we're In This Together!
[#InThisTogetherTN](#)

For example, tag Brad Turner, Commissioner of the Department of Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities on issues related to services you care about.

Here's an example > > >



We've shared social media handles for some of the leaders in state government below. Use these to communicate your needs and advocate for disability rights in Tennessee.

Bill Lee

50th Governor of Tennessee

Twitter: @GovBillLee | Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/BillLeeTN/>

Instagram: @govbilllee | Email: <https://www.tn.gov/governor/contact-us.html>



Randy McNally

Lieutenant Governor (leader of the TN State Senate)

Twitter: @ltgovmcnally | Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/randy.mcnally.7>

Instagram: @ltgovmcnally | Email: lt.gov.randy.mcnally@capitol.tn.gov



Cameron Sexton

Speaker of the TN House of Representatives (leader of the House)

Twitter: @CSexton25 | Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/cameron.sexton.5>

Email: speaker.cameron.sexton@capitol.tn.gov



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Education	<p>Penny Schwinn Commissioner, Department of Education Twitter: @SchwinnTeach Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/penny.schwinn Email: Commissioner.Schwinn@tn.gov</p>	
Issues or services for Tennesseans with Intellectual or Developmental Disabilities	<p>Brad Turner Commissioner, Department of Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities Twitter: @BradTurnerDIDD Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/brad.turner.18062 Instagram: @tndidd Email: Brad.Turner@tn.gov</p>	
Voting	<p>Trey Hargett Secretary of State Twitter: @sectrehargett Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/TennesseeSecretaryofState Instagram: @tnsecofstate Email: Tre.Hargett@tn.gov</p>	
Health care	<p>TN Department of Health Twitter: @TNDeptofHealth Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/TNDeptofHealth Email: tn.health@tn.gov</p>	
Health care and long-term supports and services through Medicaid	<p>Bureau of TennCare Twitter: @TennCareRep Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/TennCare Instagram: @tenncarerep Email: Tenn.Care@tn.gov</p>	
Vocational rehabilitation services	<p>Danielle Barnes Commissioner, Department of Human Services Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/danielle.w.barnes Instagram: @danielle.w.barnes Email: danielle.w.barnes@tn.gov Department Twitter Account: @TNHumanServices</p>	
Employment	<p>Dr. Jeff McCord Commissioner, Department of Labor & Workforce Development Twitter: @JeffMcCordTN Email: jeff.mccord@tn.gov</p>	
Transportation	<p>Clay Bright Commissioner, Department of Transportation Twitter: @TDOTCommish Email: clay.bright@tn.gov</p>	
Housing	<p>Ralph M. Perrey Executive Director, TN Housing Development Agency Twitter: @RalphPerrey Email: rperrey@thda.org</p>	