**VIRGINIA PHONE BANK TO DA CHINA MEMBERS**

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Hi, this is \_\_\_\_\_ I’m a volunteer with Democrats Abroad China calling from Beijing. May I speak to \_\_\_\_? I’m calling because our records show you vote in Virginia and there are elections on **November 7**. [PAUSE TO ALLOW AN ANSWER.]

[QUESTION 1] **Can we count on you to vote for Democrat Ralph Northam as Governor and a Democratic House of Delegates in this election?**

The Governor and the entire House of Delegates are up for election. To vote, your Local Election Official needs to receive your voter registration by **October 16**.

[QUESTION 2] **Are you registered to vote?**

IF YES , GO TO QUESTION 3.

IF NO / NOT SURE: No problem, you can use one form to register to vote overseas *and* request a ballot for all 2017 elections. Just go to **votefromabroad.org**, fill in the form, print it, sign and send it to your Local Election Official. You can send in your form byEMAIL, FAX or MAIL**,** but your form must be RECEIVED by your Local Election Official by **October 16.** The Instructions will provide the information you need to send in your form. But if you have any questions, the website has an online chat desk or email us at: **gotv@democratsabroad.org****.** GO TO CLOSING.

QUESTION 3: **Great! And have you already requested your ballot for this election?**

IF YES , GO TO CLOSING

IF NO / NOT SURE: No problem, you can send in the form to request your ballot. Just go to **votefromabroad.org**, fill in the form, print it, sign and send it to your Local Election Official. You can send it in by EMAIL, FAX or MAIL, but your form must be RECEIVED by your Local Election Official by **October 31.**  The Instructions will provide the information you need to send in your form. But if you have any questions, the website has an online chat desk or email us at: **gotv@democratsabroad.org****.**  GO TO CLOSING.

CLOSING: Ok! I have just a little more info I wanted to give you. For this election, overseas voters who register as “intend to return” will be eligible to vote in this election. Or, if your “return is uncertain”, you can vote in state elections if you can include the address of your residence in Virginia OR the name of your (or your spouse’s or dependent’s) employer OR school overseas.

Thank you! Your vote in Virginia is going to be an important one in our fight against Trump and the Republican agenda! Good-bye!

VOICEMAIL MESSAGE:

Hi, this is a message for \_\_\_\_. My name is \_\_\_\_, and I'm a volunteer with Democrats Abroad China. I’m calling from Beijing to see if we can count on you to vote in the Virginia Elections on **November 7**. To vote, your Local Election Official needs to receive your voter registration by **October 16** and your request for a ballot by **October 31**. For more info, you can go to votefromabroad.org – there’s an online chat desk or you can email us at gotv@democratsabroad.org Your vote in Virginia is going to be an important one in our fight against Trump and the Republican agenda! Good-bye!