

January 2019- AFGE “Don’t Veto Me” Social Media Guidance

Fast Facts:

- ⇒ 800,000 federal employees are furloughed or working without pay during the partial government shutdown that began at midnight on December 22.
 - ⇒ Workers at agencies which fall under the following appropriations bills are furloughed or working without pay:
 - Homeland Security
 - Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies
 - Interior, Environment and Related Agencies
 - Financial Services and General Government
 - Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies
 - Transportation, Housing and Urban Development and Related Agencies
 - State, Foreign Operations and Related Agencies
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Sample Social Media Posts

Help AFGE and our partners spread the word about what’s happening to federal workers and our government. Follow AFGE on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#) – share our content and post the sample content below from your social media accounts.

Social Posts for AFGE members

The American people depend on the services I provide. Tell the @WhiteHouse to let me do my job. #DontVetoMe

The longer the #shutdown goes on, the longer the American public go without the services they deserve. We want to work. #DontVetoMe

800,000 federal employees are wondering how we'll be able to pay our bills without a paycheck. Tell the @WhiteHouse to STOP this shutdown and pay federal workers. #DontVetoMe

American taxpayers want the government open! Tell the @WhiteHouse to STOP this shutdown and put America back to work. #DontVetoMe

800,000 working people don't know when we'll be paid again. It's time to end the shutdown now. #DontVetoMe

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