

# Sample Door-to-Door Script: #4

## Objectives

- **Verify, update, collect voter information**
- **One month out: separate Romney from Obama voters**
- **ID truly undecided**
- **Check all registered?; Vote-by-Mail?**
- **Share & gather contact information**
- **Report back**

## Steps

- Look up Where To Vote for each District List – see MorrisPatriots.org website links
- Work in pairs, one leads conversation while the other takes notes and manages paperwork
- Introduce yourself, your role; possibly give contact card
- Verify voter information
- Share information (not opinions)
- Verify, update & collect information & their opinions
- Ask about others in household; persuasion?; unregistered?
- Get contact information
- Say goodbye & depart
- Write down results on forms

## SAMPLE

### Introduction –

*Hi, I'm \_\_\_\_\_ - I live two blocks over, on [Cove Lane]. I'm talking to neighbors today as a member of the **County Committee**. Because this is such an important election, we're going door-to-door to verify information and ask your opinions.*

### Verify Voter Information

*[Verify, from street list:] You're Mr./Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_, right?*

*And will these other family members will be voting in town in person in November?*

*[names off registration list]. [Take notes on changes – “away at school, passed away, no longer lives here, etc.”]*

### Vote By Mail ?

1. Will you, or anyone in your home, be Voting By Mail this election?  
 Yes    No    Already did. For? \_\_\_\_\_    Want Application
2. May I ask how would you vote, if the election were today?  
 Strong Obama    Weak Obama    Undecided    Weak Romney    Strong Romney  
 Declined to Answer
3. In your opinion, Would the others in your household feel the same way?  
Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_    Obama    Romney  
Child \_\_\_\_\_    Obama    Romney  
\_\_\_\_\_    Obama    Romney

4. Between Democrat candidate Menendez and Republican candidate Joe Kyrillos, for U.S. Senate, how would you vote today?

- Strong Menendez     Weak Menendez     Undecided     Weak Kyrillos     Strong Kyrillos  
 Declined to Answer

5. Is everyone in your home, who is 18 or older, **registered to vote**?

- |             |                              |                             |
|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Voter:      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Spouse:     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Child _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| _____       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

6. **How likely are you to vote** in this presidential election?

- Not Voting     Unlikely to Vote     Undecided     Likely to Vote     Absolutely Voting  
 Declined to Answer

If they balk –

*That's okay. Remember, If I can help you with any questions, please feel free to contact me.*

### **Provide Information to Them**

*You'll be receiving a Sample Ballot about 5 days before the election. It will list Where To Vote, but just so you know, that will be at \_\_\_\_\_ [from what you looked up].*

### **Get Their Contact Information**

*From time to time (not a lot) there is town or election information that I'd like to share. Would you prefer I do that by E-mail or Phone? \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Info: \_\_\_\_\_*

### **Say Goodbye**

*Thank you for taking time to speak with me. This will be an important election. Please vote! Have a Great Day!*

(Goal: 3 minutes per household)