

## Instructions for a letter to save a Columbus Statue:

- Letters should be addressed to the proper legislative body of the municipality or county that owns the Columbus statue in question.
- If there is a municipal or county council meeting, letters in support of statues should be addressed before the meeting takes place.
- If petitions supporting the statue's preservation have been collected, a copy of the petition should be attached to your letter.
- Letters should include, if possible, information about the statue's significance to your local community. This includes history of the statue, notable organizations who support the statue, and any other pertinent information that establishes the statue's preservation as necessary to the local community.
- Information from the [KnowColumbus.org](https://www.knowcolumbus.org) toolkit can be attached to your letter for further reading to debunk claims against Columbus that have been perpetuated nationwide.
- We ask that a copy of your letter be sent to the following address or emailed in PDF format to [info@knowcolumbus.org](mailto:info@knowcolumbus.org).

