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1. Go to <u>https://malegislature.gov/</u>



2. Hover over the icon of a person in the upper right corner and click on the little arrow pointing down. Then click "Learn more here!" on the bottom right.

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3. You'll be redirected to a new page titled "About MyLegislature." Click "Register for MyLegislature!" at the bottom of the screen.



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4. A pop-up box will appear. Fill it out with your email address and a password, or sign in through Facebook or Google+ account. If you're using your email and a password, don't forget to click "Register" at the bottom of the form.

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- 5. [*This step assumes you created an account using an email address rather than a social media account.*] Check your email for the confirmation link. Click it to get to a log-in page, and then sign in using the email and password you just created.
- 6. POOF! You're in! Fill out the basic biographical info on the initial page, and consider selecting a few "interests" as well if you want the website to suggest bills that might intrigue you. You can also add legislators to follow in this initial set-up process.



7. Want to follow a particular legislator outside of the initial set-up? Simply navigate to the legislator's page and click the star next to the person's name. Once you click, the star will turn gold. That legislator will be added to your dashboard.



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8. Want to add a bill to follow? No problem! Navigate to the bill's page and click the star. The star will turn gold. Now the bill is added to your dashboard.

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9. How do you get to your dashboard? Good question! Hover over the person icon again and click "Dashboard." From there you can access all the bills, committees, hearings, and legislators you want to follow.



10. Want to be extra nerdy? Earn <u>badges</u> and achieve some super-engaged-constituent <u>goals</u> as you follow along with the 191st legislative session!

Have a resource in mind that we should create? Please send your suggestion to the Senator via email at becca.rausch@masenate.gov!