

*To effectively advocate for reinstating **Discovering Amistad** in the Connecticut state budget, it's essential to contact your specific state legislators.*

For personalized information or to confirm your specific legislators, you can use the Connecticut General Assembly's "Find Your Legislator" tool: [Connecticut General Assembly](#)

When reaching out, consider using the sample message provided below to express your support for Discovering Amistad. Personalizing your communication can make a significant impact.

Sample letter to CT state legislators

Subject: Please Reinstate Discovering Amistad in the State Budget

Dear [Representative / Senator Last Name],

I am writing as a concerned Connecticut resident to respectfully urge you to reinstate **Discovering Amistad** in the state budget.

Discovering Amistad plays a critical role in our communities by educating students and the public about the Amistad story and its legacy of justice, freedom, and human rights. Its programs foster dialogue, inspire civic engagement, and bring important, often overlooked history into classrooms and neighborhoods across the state.

Removing funding for Discovering Amistad undermines our shared commitment to education and historical truth. This organization offers unique, hands-on learning experiences aboard the Amistad replica ship and through community programming that has touched thousands of lives.

Please stand with us in supporting this essential work. I urge you to restore Discovering Amistad's funding in the state budget and ensure that this invaluable resource remains accessible to future generations.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,
[Your Full Name]
[Your Town/City]
[Optional: Phone or Email]