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Many Challenges, Take ONE Action. Budgets are choices. It's time for politicians to choose Illinois children, families, and communities.

Illinois doesn't have to make the deep cuts proposed in the Governor's budget - **we have a choice!** Instead of painful cuts to vital programs for our children, families and communities, lawmakers and the Governor must choose revenue.

Act NOW! Tell lawmakers to choose to stand up for Illinois families and communities and prevent cuts by choosing new revenue to close the budget hole.

Here's how you can participate:

1. Call your lawmaker toll free **1-844-311-CUTS** (1-844-311-2887) and tell them to choose new revenue to prevent cuts to children, families, and communities.
2. Use this link to [email your lawmaker and Governor](#) simply by entering your zip code.
3. Use these [sample tweets and Facebook posts](#) on social media. Be sure to use the hashtags **#chooserevenue**, **#nocuts**, and **#twill** and to follow RBC on Twitter **@RespBudgetIL**.



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