

SAMPLE WIND PHONE REQUEST LETTER 1

WWW.MYWINDPHONE.COM

STREET
TOWN, STATE, ZIP
DATE

Dear _____,

Thank you for creating the beautiful [ADD THE LOCATION NAME](#). [ADD A SENTENCE OR TWO WITH ANY THOUGHTS ABOUT THE LOCATION](#).

For example, this is what I added to a request ...my family and I spend a lot of time in Sea Isle every year. I visit this beautiful and peaceful garden weekly, listening to the waves and remembering wonderful times we shared as a family before my 25-year-old daughter, Emily died in April of 2020. She loved Sea Isle.

Have you heard of the Phone of the Wind and the Japanese gardener who installed a phone in his garden in 2010, not wired to anything so that he could continue having conversations with his cousin who died of Cancer? He wanted his thoughts to be carried on the wind. After the 2011 earthquake and tsunami destroyed his town and swept many out to sea, he moved his phone to a public place so that others could go talk to the people they lost and begin to move forward. Thousands of visitors visit the phone each year.

It's a simple concept, yet so profound; placing a rotary phone that is not connected to any earthly system in a peaceful place where anyone who wants to talk to someone can do so. It's a place where grievers can say I love you – I miss you – and feel connected to someone they love who has passed.

I would like to ask that the commission consider installing a Wind Phone in the [ADD THE LOCATION NAME](#). I can think of no other place as perfect. There is no one way to create and install one. The website www.mywindphone.com has a gallery of pictures, information and a locator tool that shows numerous Wind Phones across the US and abroad; a Wind Phone at [ADD THE LOCATION](#) can be added on the site after it's installed. The past few years, we've all been challenged with daunting personal and collective grief. Creating a Wind Phone in an already perfect place of solace would be a gift to all. It would complement so beautifully the beautiful [TRAIL/PARK/LOCATION](#).

You might enjoy listening about Wind Phones of This American Life
<https://www.thisamericanlife.org/597/one-last-thing-before-i-go-2016/act-one>

I would love to meet with you and discuss this further. I appreciate your time and consideration.

Fondly,

YOUR NAME
YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

SAMPLE WIND PHONE REQUEST LETTER 2

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Dear Park Rangers,

Thank you for providing and maintaining [ADD THE LOCATION](#); it has been my favorite place to hike with my family and our dog for several years.

Have you heard of the Phone of the Wind? A Japanese gardener installed a phone in his garden in 2010, not wired to anything so that he could continue having conversations with his cousin who died of Cancer. He wanted his thoughts to be carried on the wind. After the 2011 earthquake and tsunami destroyed his town and swept many out to sea, he moved his phone to a public place so that others could talk to the people they lost and begin to move forward. Thousands of visitors visit the phone each year. It's a simple concept yet so profound; placing a rotary phone that is not connected to any earthly system in a peaceful place where anyone who wants to talk to someone can do so. It's a place where grievors can say I love you – I miss you – and feel connected to someone they love who has passed.

I want to ask that the commission consider installing a Wind Phone in [ADD THE LOCATION](#). There is no one way to create and install one. I can think of no other place as perfect. After reading about the Wind Phone in Japan, I became intrigued; you can learn more about them by visiting www.mywindphone.com and also see their locator tool that lists close to one hundred installations. There are also pictures of the various styles of phones under the gallery or on Facebook and Instagram [@mywindphone](#).

Over the past few years, we've all been challenged with daunting personal and collective grief. Creating a Wind Phone in an already perfect place of solace would be a gift to all.

You might enjoy listening to the story of the original Wind Phones of This American Life <https://www.thisamericanlife.org/597/one-last-thing-before-i-go-2016/act-one>
I would love to discuss this idea further with you. I truly appreciate your time and consideration.

Thank you,

YOUR NAME
CONTACT INFORMATION