

## Prepare your own pro-poverty wage testimony!

1. Adjective
2. Occupation - Plural
3. School Subject
4. A Restaurant Supply
5. Food - Plural
6. State Besides Washington
7. Natural Disaster
8. Number
9. Something Fragile - Plural
10. Name Of National Chain
11. Type Of Relative
12. Number Greater Than Thirty
13. Insult
14. Something Toddlers Do
15. Adjective Ending In -Est
16. Number Greater Than One Hundred
17. Number Less Than Twenty-Five
18. Extremely Large Number
19. Adverb Ending In -Ly
20. Adjective Ending In -Er

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Raising the minimum wage may sound \_\_\_\_\_, but I just know that higher wages hurt more \_\_\_\_\_ than it helps. It's \_\_\_\_\_ 101: if you increase the cost of \_\_\_\_\_ supply \_\_\_\_\_, it means fewer \_\_\_\_\_.

Already, we've seen communities bordering \_\_\_\_\_ that look like they were hit by a \_\_\_\_\_ . It's no coincidence that our minimum wage is basically \_\_\_\_\_ times more than theirs. Then consider paid sick leave, equal pay, and laws protecting \_\_\_\_\_. It's a miracle \_\_\_\_\_ hasn't already picked up and moved all their locations there!

And let's think about young people like my \_\_\_\_\_. I don't understand why \_\_\_\_\_ than thirty \_\_\_\_\_ -year-olds should be supporting their families in these jobs when we have \_\_\_\_\_ kids who still need to learn basic skills like how to \_\_\_\_\_.

Let's be clear: we are already talking about the \_\_\_\_\_ minimum wage in the nation. If that's so great, why not \_\_\_\_\_ dollars? Why not \_\_\_\_\_ thousand? Why not \_\_\_\_\_?

Higher wages may be popular, but I \_\_\_\_\_ ask for your opposition to raising people out of poverty.

Otherwise I may have to get a           Adjective ending in -er           job myself.