Dear [**INSERT NAME]** MSP,

Re: Support Young Women’s Demands in The Young Women’s Movement’s manifesto

I am writing as a resident of **[NAME OF CONSTITUENCY]** to urge you and your party to take meaningful action in the fight against gender inequality by including The Young Women’s Movement’s (YWM) 6 commitments in your party’s manifesto.

The 2026 Scottish Parliament Election is a vital moment to collectively advance efforts to strengthen young women’s rights and tackle gender inequality in Scotland.

Based on engagement with thousands of young women and girls across Scotland, Young Women Demand is an evidence-based plan to advancing young women’s rights in Scotland. It is grounded in the lived experiences and the immediate needs of young women and girls. Their manifesto commitments are:

1. **Protect and promote young women’s human rights** through the introduction of a Human Rights Bill for Scotland
2. **Prevent and eliminate violence against young women and girls** by providing sustained funding for women’s and youth organisations
3. **Address online violence against young women and girls** through the robust regulation of digital technologies
4. **Tackle misogynistic and sexist views, attitudes and behaviours amongst young men and boys** through increased educational interventions
5. **Equitable** **healthcare access and outcomes for young women and girls,** particularly in mental health and sexual and reproductive healthcare, by prioritising women’s health policy as a key policy area
6. **Equal opportunities for young women and girls** to get involved in politics, democracy and decision-making processes

These are practical steps we can take now to progress gender equality. With the upcoming 2026 election, we ask that you lead by example and:

* Publicly endorse the Young Women Demand manifesto
* Incorporate all six commitments into your party’s policies
* Engage with young women and girls to challenge systemic inequality

We hope that you will implement our manifesto to improve the lives and futures of young women and girls across Scotland, no matter their background or circumstances.

Kind regards,

[Your Name]  
[Postcode]