

Washington, DC -- **On Tuesday, January 13, 2009**, U.S. Rep. Michael A. Arcuri (D-Utica) will meet with local seniors and members of the AARP to reaffirm his commitment to health care reform and economic recovery in the 111th Congress.

**Event:** AARP Divided We Fail Pledge  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 13, 2009  
**Time:** 9:00am  
**Location:** Conference Room, 10 Broad St, Utica, NY  
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More than 2,700 signed Divided We Fail pledges from residents of the 24th Congressional District will be presented to Arcuri urging the new Congress to work to solve the nation's health care and economic security crises.

The AARP's Divided We Fail initiative is a national movement to bring health and financial security to every American. Divided We Fail will present to lawmakers more than 1.6 million pledges signed by supporters from across the country.

To date more than 360 Members of Congress, including Arcuri, have committed to working in a bipartisan manner with the new administration and Congress to take action on the nation's broken health care system and financial crisis

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