First Time Voters: Full Transcript
In 2016, 19 million Americans will be eligible to vote for the first time.

JOSE: I've been waiting a long time for this to happen.

OLIVIA: I know I was thinking the exact same thing.

JOSE: Hey, we should get out of here...

OLIVIA: Well, that's forward.

JOSE: No, I meant to get to the polls.

OLIVIA: “Get to the polls.” I think I get you. Yeah let's go vote our brains out.


OLIVIA: Wait, you're serious about voting? What's the point?

JOSE: Uh, education? Healthcare? Immigration? And my personal favorite, minimum wage - for now. Are you gonna come?

OLIVIA: Evidently not.

AGENT: Hey buddy, did you say you're gonna go vote?

JOSE: Yeah man.

AGENT: I've been to the polling station and there's people all around the block. So don't even go there.

JOSE: I waited six years to become a citizen, I can't wait to vote.

AGENT: Really? Did you get that hot girl's number in there? Listen buddy, there's 160 million girls in America, and only one of them likes you, and I think she's ready to have her ballot punched right now. So get back in there. No don't do that. Are you kidding me? YOU'RE RUINING YOUR LIFE!

AGENT: Hey buddy, haven't you ever posted on social media and "liked" stuff online? Well that's voting! Just do that more often.

JOSE: What are you talking about? That's like saying that chatting with a stranger on the internet is the same thing is having a real girlfriend.
AGENT: Says the man who just left a beautiful woman to stand in line with a bunch of losers.

JOSE: Alright, outta my way man.

AGENT: BUDDY!

JOSE: Not you again…

AGENT: Okay, my opinion: all politicians are the same. Why even vote?

JOSE: Come on man, the two parties have major differences on the roles of government in people’s lives. Environment, Policing, Foreign Policy.

AGENT: Where’d you hear that? Media? You know what your problem is? You’re addicted to facts. Facts have nothing to do with politics. My suggestion: go get in the line for Jeopardy, cause this line ain’t for you brother. Right?

WOMAN: Right.

JOSE: What??

OLIVIA: Um, hi. I thought about what you said earlier and I…I really…

AGENT: Wait, wait, wait, wait, wait. Now this is your first time, right? And don’t you think you should wait for the perfect candidate?

OLIVIA: Nothing in life is perfect.

AGENT: Well I’m not saying it’s gonna be perfect, I’m just saying this is an important decision, right?

OLIVIA: Is than an “I voted” sticker!?

AGENT: Yes, yes this is an “I voted” sticker. Which I got for you because then you don’t have to vote.

JOSE: I should have known: the people who shout the loudest about something being bad are always the ones doing it in secret!

AGENT: Well you know what, the truth is, one vote doesn’t make a difference.

JOSE: Oh yeah but if I get my friends, and they get their friends, power in numbers baby.
[01:03:40:05] AGENT: Well that’s assuming you’ve actually got friends.

[01:03:43:01] OLIVIA: Okay, come on, we’re up.

[01:03:45:00] AGENT: “We’re up” yeah...Everybody knows, Millennials don’t vote.

[01:03:49:00] JOSE: Listen dude. Millennials are one third of all eligible voters. 83 million of us. If we all vote, we decide on our future, man.

[01:03:57:05] AGENT: That’s a big if…


[01:03:58:06] AGENT: Yeah. So there’s 83 million of ya, living in the same mother’s basement?

[01:04:07:18] JOSE: Was it good for you?


[01:04:12:03] GFX: Nationwide, voters wait an average of 13 minutes to vote.

[01:04:17:06] GFX: From 2012 to 2015, at least 10 elections have been decided by less than 100 votes.

[01:04:24:00] GFX - Your vote matters