



We the people – not we the corporations.

Corporations are taking over America and, without accountability, they are out of control.

If government has any purpose, it is to protect regular people from abuse by powerful interests like today's corporations.

But corporations have taken over the government too, by spending hundreds of millions of dollars on political campaigns to buy elections. The result is a government that turns a blind eye to corporate crimes but harasses people when we demand change.

For more than a hundred years, corporate political expenditures were illegal, until 2010, when the US Supreme Court ruled in *Citizens United v. FEC* -- crazily -- that corporations have a fundamental right to spend limitless money on elections, enabling them to buy a government that serves them, not us.

We've got to show the Supreme Court that we, the people, not the court nor the corporations, have the ultimate voice in how America works. The only way to over-rule the Supreme Court is with a Constitutional Amendment.

Here's some good news: Representative Jim McGovern (D-Massachusetts) recently introduced the People's Rights Amendment that will overturn the *Citizens United* ruling and make clear that corporations are not people with constitutional rights.

Want to fight back against corporate power?

Here's how:

- **Call 202-225-3121** and ask to be connected to your Representative's office;
- Tell the staffer who answers that your Representative should co-sponsor **H.J.Res. 88** – the People's Rights Amendment to overturn the *Citizens United* ruling and to ensure that people, not corporations, shall govern in America.

For more information, see:

<http://j.mp/McGovernRelease> for background on Rep. McGovern's amendment.

j.mp/StoryCU for a great video explaining *Citizens United* and why we've got to take action.

Make your call and then pass this flyer along.