



CSE Key Votes U.S. House of Representatives' 2004 Budget Resolution Containing Full Tax Relief

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On behalf of the nearly 280,000 members of Citizens for a Sound Economy (CSE), I urge you to **vote YES** on the **House of Representatives' 2004 Budget Resolution**. Last week, the House Budget Committee reported to the House Floor a fiscally responsible budget resolution. It calls for controlling discretionary spending, which has grown tremendously over the last five years; requires all House committees to cut frivolous and unnecessary expenditures from future appropriations; and lays out a sensible blueprint to balance the federal budget in an expeditious manner. Moreover, the Budget Committee's resolution provides for significant tax relief for all Americans. Passage of the 2004 budget resolution in its current form will help to boost the economy in the short-term, pave the way for long-term economic growth, and importantly, create millions of new jobs for Americans.

It is imperative that members of the House of Representatives pass the Budget Committee's resolution. Members should avoid supporting amendments that would increase spending or cut the overall amount of tax relief specified in the current resolution.

CSE will count the budget resolution as a **KEY VOTE** to be reported to our members in your state. This **KEY VOTE** will be used to determine your eligibility for our *Jefferson Award*, to be presented at the conclusion of the 108th Congress. This award is provided to those legislators that espouse the CSE principles of limited government, lower taxes, and more freedom.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Paul Beckner'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Paul Beckner,
President and CEO