

Comment re: REG 2015-04 Margarita Giustino to: IndependentSpending Please respond to margarita.giustino

10/24/2015 12:47 AM

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Margarita Giustino

San Antonio, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kathleen Lee to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kathyjlee 60

10/24/2015 12:48 AM

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Kathleen Lee

Lacey, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chung-Wei Chan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to chungwei.chan

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Chung-Wei Chan

San Jose, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sheryl Smetana to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sasmetana

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Sheryl Smetana

McHenry, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anthony Palese to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ampaleseontheroad

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Anthony Palese

New Berlin, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Donna Glass to: IndependentSpending Please respond to donnaglass 21

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Donna Glass

Washington, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Bernard Wooldridge to: IndependentSpending Please respond to popsclovis 72

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Bernard Wooldridge

Clovis, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Brodnax to: IndependentSpending Please respond to brodnax

10/24/2015 01:05 AM

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David Brodnax

Oak Park, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Edward Harkins to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ejharkins.ibb13

10/24/2015 01:15 AM

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Edward Harkins

Philadelphia, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Salinger to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bobsal

10/24/2015 01:17 AM

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Robert Salinger

Claremont, CA



10/24/2015 01:18 AM

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FEC commissioners Ann Ravel and Ellen Weintraub wanted to spur the gridlocked agency into action, so they took the unprecedented step of formally petitioning their own agency. But their petition was REJECTED by commissioners who claimed that, for the purposes of the formal petitioning process, corporations are people, but FEC commissioners are not.

REAL EYES REALIZE REAL LIES

Hercules D. Morphopoulos

Kensington, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joh Fang to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Jhfang

10/24/2015 01:20 AM

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Joh Fang

Piedmont, CA



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Howard Fernandez

San Francisco, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dr. Lew & Lois Bishop to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bishop.lew

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Dr. Lew & Lois Bishop

West Union, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Stanley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rubberducky 1505

10/24/2015 01:30 AM

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David Stanley

Champaign, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Reed to: IndependentSpending Please respond to doctaj

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James Reed

Placerville, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michele Shimizu to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mesimizu

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Michele Shimizu

Boston, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Pat Olsen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Olsenriver

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Pat Olsen

Mosinee, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sherry Opalka to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Slozoo

10/24/2015 01:40 AM

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Sherry Opalka

Kalamazoo, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 JoAnne Murray to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lilacring 1120

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JoAnne Murray

Beltsville, MD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Andrea Alagammai to: IndependentSpending Please respond to 3treasures

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Andrea Alagammai

Tucson, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Barbara Bellin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bibellin

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Barbara Bellin

Playa Del Rey, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Bonnie Helm to: IndependentSpending Please respond to beh 50

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Bonnie Helm

St.Charles, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gregory Kuntz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gregoryfk

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Gregory Kuntz

Altadena, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ran Zirasri to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hawkins_j_m

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Ran Zirasri

Bismarck, ND



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Richard Young to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ricoworks

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Richard Young

Tucson, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nasser Mohamed to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Nmohamed 71

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Nasser Mohamed

Torrance, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Luke Murphy to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Lukemurphy 601

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Luke Murphy

Salem, OR



Connie Hicks to: IndependentSpending Please respond to send 2connie

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Connie Hicks

Springfield, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mike Sutliff to: IndependentSpending Please respond to old 531

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Mike Sutliff

St. Helens, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rachel Lileet-foley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lileet

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Rachel Lileet-foley

Portland, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Linda Regan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to linregan

10/24/2015 02:32 AM

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Linda Regan

Davie, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 William Laine to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wgblane

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William Laine

Menomonie, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Tomasic to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jim.tomasic

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James Tomasic

braddock, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Melik to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dchmelik

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David Melik

Colbert, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marion Lindner to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marionlindner 90

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Marion Lindner

Hi-Nella, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 DANNY ADAMS to: IndependentSpending Please respond to DanLeeofMesa

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DANNY ADAMS

Mesa, AZ



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Barbara Kennedy

Collinsville, OK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Klaus Steinbrecher to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kps

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Klaus Steinbrecher

Angel Fire, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 margaret shekell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mshekell

10/24/2015 03:01 AM

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margaret shekell

Los Angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Vallejos to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jimvallejos

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James Vallejos

Aurora, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mike Duffy to: IndependentSpending Please respond to duffym45

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Mike Duffy

Hazel Park, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marc Beschler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hfarmer

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Marc Beschler

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rebecca Nimmons to: IndependentSpending Please respond to raintalk

10/24/2015 03:10 AM

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Rebecca Nimmons

Bellevue, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Patrick Jean to: IndependentSpending Please respond to PatrickInNC

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Patrick Jean

Conover, NC



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Craig Cook

Santa Rosa, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lesley Patton to: IndependentSpending Please respond to grammawl

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Lesley Patton

Kapaau, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Dougherty to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dougherty_86

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Mary Dougherty

Lake Oswego, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lawrence Germann to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Igermann

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Lawrence Germann

Longmont, CO



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STACIE CHARLEBOIS

SEBASTOPOL, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Donlin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to john.t.donlin

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John Donlin

La Canada Flt, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Amy DeSantis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to desantis.amy

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Amy DeSantis

Los Angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mick Robinson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mrrobins

10/24/2015 05:35 AM

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Mick Robinson

Santa Maria, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Richard Franken to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dickfrnkn

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Richard Franken

Madison, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joerg Mueller to: IndependentSpending Please respond to joerg.mueller66

10/24/2015 05:39 AM

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Joerg Mueller

Overath, NH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Grant Matheke to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gmatheke

10/24/2015 06:09 AM

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Grant Matheke

Fairbanks, AK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 E Cotton to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ejcotton

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E Cotton

Encinitas, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Amy St. Clair to: IndependentSpending Please respond to amy

10/24/2015 06:18 AM

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Amy St. Clair

Leyden, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Andrea Boone to: IndependentSpending Please respond to deepestmeaning

10/24/2015 06:32 AM

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Andrea Boone

Ben Lomond, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 david prystal to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dprystal

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david prystal

accord, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Ryan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jfryan 05

10/24/2015 06:44 AM

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John Ryan

Manchester, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mimi Burstein to: IndependentSpending Please respond to punkin 5170

10/24/2015 07:10 AM

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Mimi Burstein

Paoli, PA



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Susan Lasiter

Bosque Farms, NM



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Shirley payne

warren, MI



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Paul Ghenoiu

Plattsburgh, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Charles Roche to: IndependentSpending Please respond to croche_0312

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Charles Roche

Chicago, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Donald W. Henderson, Ph.D. to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dwh2003

10/24/2015 07:38 AM

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Donald W. Henderson, Ph.D.

Ithaca, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ann Berndt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to annberndt

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Ann Berndt

Belmont, MA



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Jeff Fairbanks

Loveland, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marjorie Williams to: IndependentSpending Please respond to margiew 12

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Marjorie Williams

Penney Farms, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Mobley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marymobley 1919

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It is enough already!

Mary Mobley

Live Oak, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nancy Carr to: IndependentSpending Please respond to njcarr 727

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Nancy Carr

Trumbull, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeff Fairbanks to: IndependentSpending Please respond to fairbankspainting

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Angela Taylor

Hot Springs Village, AR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jennifer Snedgen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ilsnedgen

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Jennifer Snedgen

Gainesville, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Leonard van Gendt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to leonardvangendt

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Leonard van Gendt

Georgetown, TX



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j schmit

chicago, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Karen Riccitelli to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Karenmath 27

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Karen Riccitelli

Branford, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joe Otto to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jottow2

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Joe Otto

Scottsdale, AZ



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Sarah Smith

Willington, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marie Jankowski to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mariejankowski 99

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Marie Jankowski

FRANKLIN, WI



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Mignon Neal

Schererville, IN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 William Nietfeldt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to williameduck

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William Nietfeldt

Elkhorn, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anton McInerney to: IndependentSpending Please respond to antonmac3

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Anton McInerney

North Reading, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Edward Wolfsohn to: IndependentSpending Please respond to edwolfsohn

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Edward Wolfsohn

Asheville, NC



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Terri Warriner

Arvada, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Wendy Stevens to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wagothro

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Wendy Stevens

Charlotte, NC



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Elisabeth Youngclaus

Brooklyn, NY



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Ralph Shannon

Hudson, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Judith Moses to: IndependentSpending Please respond to imoses 42

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Camden, ME



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Lonnie Weinheimer

Silver Spring, MD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ellen Atkinson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Jeanne 184490

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Ellen Atkinson

Reno, NV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Pare to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mcpare 50

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Michael Pare

Smithfield, RI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 C. Wilcox to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cwilcox210

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C. Wilcox

McHenry, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Tedi Wright to: IndependentSpending Please respond to timchie 3

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Tedi Wright

Afton, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeanne Klein to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kleinj

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Jeanne Klein

Lawrence, KS



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William Armbruster

Fairbanks, AK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Lavender to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Jameslavender 1

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James Lavender

Melrose, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Erik Garcia to: IndependentSpending Please respond to aag 1940

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Erik Garcia

Clint, TX



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Mark Escajeda

Lafayette, CA



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Francine Toor

Huntersville, NC



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Michelle Kastner

medina, WA



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scott Ikeda

new york, NY



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Kathy Jadud

Columbia Station, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jerry Tobe to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tagchai

10/24/2015 10:28 AM

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Jerry Tobe

Los Angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chris Blyth to: IndependentSpending Please respond to chris.a.blyth

10/24/2015 10:30 AM

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Chris Blyth

ny, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gary Duck to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gduck49

10/24/2015 10:34 AM

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It is the job of the FEC to make certain elections are fair. The failure of the FEC to rein in these abuses is nothing less than an abdication of your duties. The need to strengthen or at least enforce the existing laws about PAC and candidate coordination is critical making our elections be remotely fair.

Gary Duck

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Willa Paton-Smith to: IndependentSpending Please respond to willa

10/24/2015 10:37 AM

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Willa Paton-Smith

Atlanta, GA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Helen Crotty to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jhcrotty 947

10/24/2015 10:40 AM

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Helen Crotty

Sandia Park, NM



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EUGENE SHERIDAN

Dennis, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carolyn Bagwell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cbagwell 1951

10/24/2015 10:44 AM

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Carolyn Bagwell

Lakewood,CO, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Renee Marquardt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to renee2104

10/24/2015 10:49 AM

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Renee Marquardt

Spring Lake Park, MN



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Comment re: REG 2015-04 Abigail Chastain to: IndependentSpending Please respond to achastain 423

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Abigail Chastain

Arlington, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 William Bechtel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wpbechtel

10/24/2015 10:58 AM

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William Bechtel

Tampa, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 karen sanchez to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hsanchez

10/24/2015 10:59 AM

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karen sanchez

ojai, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carl Duzen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Carlc 520

10/24/2015 11:01 AM

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Carl Duzen

Havertown, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Gathman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marygathman

10/24/2015 11:02 AM

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Mary Gathman

Wheaton, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jane Burle to: IndependentSpending Please respond to burlejane

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Jane Burle

Fenton, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 bob bastian to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bbastian 120

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bob bastian

hudson, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Wilson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wilsondavid

10/24/2015 11:07 AM

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David Wilson

Lancaster, KY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Donna Abram to: IndependentSpending Please respond to donnaabram

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Donna Abram

Canal Winchester, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Cammack to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jec 33624

10/24/2015 11:10 AM

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John Cammack

Tampa, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 June Friedlander to: IndependentSpending Please respond to june.fried114

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June Friedlander

Mc Henry, MD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Rohde to: IndependentSpending Please respond to maryrohde

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Mary Rohde

Chappaqua, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Paul Tuff to: IndependentSpending Please respond to public.citizen

10/24/2015 11:14 AM

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Paul Tuff

Salinas, CA



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I'm thoroughly disgusted by the FEC's non-performance. I'd sooner the FEC was abolished.

Michael Rostagno-Lasky

brooklyn, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 A.M. Volz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ellaminnowpeas

10/24/2015 11:18 AM

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A.M. Volz

Chicago, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Herman Cherney to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hermancherney

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Herman Cherney

ALBANY,, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Deborah Judy to: IndependentSpending Please respond to djudy

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Deborah Judy

Melbourne Beach, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Edwin Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to abraxis 37

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Edwin Johnson

Ashland, OR



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R. A. Jenkins

Liberty, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Doreen Dvorin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kamikazecreative

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Doreen Dvorin

Charlotte, NC



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Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joann Landis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to aloftpl

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Joann Landis

San Diego, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sally Hills to: IndependentSpending Please respond to raptorridge

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Sally Hills

Tucson, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lisa Rutledge to: IndependentSpending Please respond to leaserut

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Lisa Rutledge

Portland, OR, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Steve Rusk to: IndependentSpending Please respond to stvrusk

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Steve Rusk

Van Wert, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kelly Kumm to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kkobber

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Kelly Kumm

Pocatello, ID



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Roxanne Warren

New York, NY



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Jared Windus

Topsfie;d, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Susan Schlessinger to: IndependentSpending Please respond to schlessingers

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Susan Schlessinger

Port St. Lucie, FL



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Richard Schultz

Charles City, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Steven Chabra to: IndependentSpending Please respond to s.chabra

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I am disappointed that the FEC is deadlocked and is not adequately performing its duties. The recent report of FEC members having to resort to petitioning the agency regarding Citizens United v. FEC, which grants so-called "personhood" to corporations, and being rebuffed by other FEC members holding the opinion that the petitioning members are not "persons" is deeply disturbing and must represent a new height of absurdity and irony. The FEC must recognize its important role in ensuring that America's electoral process is not corrupted and take definitive actions against those who would commandeer our elections.

Steven Chabra

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lynda Beigel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lynbeigel

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Lynda Beigel

San Francisco, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Victoria Desmond to: IndependentSpending Please respond to 1962etoile

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Victoria Desmond

pine island, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Peter DiPasquale to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pdipasqualeod

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Peter DiPasquale

Amherstburg, ON



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john crutcher

olympia, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Andrea Doukas to: IndependentSpending Please respond to avdoukas

10/24/2015 12:13 PM

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Andrea Doukas

Brookline, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sherry Ross to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sherry 40

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Sherry Ross

Las Vegas, NV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Deborah Yeager to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dyeager

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Deborah Yeager

Woodbridge, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marjorie Miller to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marjmil 82

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Marjorie Miller

Toledo, IA



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Janice Lewsader

Westmont, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marcia Barnes to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bluecinguefoil

10/24/2015 12:21 PM

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Marcia Barnes

Anchorage, AK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Thomas Toffoli to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tjtoffoli

10/24/2015 12:22 PM

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Thomas Toffoli

Goodyear, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David McNiff to: IndependentSpending Please respond to djmcniff

10/24/2015 12:33 PM

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David McNiff

Burke, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jasen Ambler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jambler 14

10/24/2015 12:34 PM

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Jasen Ambler

Alexandria, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mihai Boeriu to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Mihai.Boeriu

10/24/2015 12:35 PM

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Mihai Boeriu

Bucuresti, ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 morgan shelhorse to: IndependentSpending Please respond to captain 1971

10/24/2015 12:37 PM

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morgan shelhorse

cedar hill, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 keri merriman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kerimerriman

10/24/2015 12:38 PM

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keri merriman

Morrison, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kevin Leslie to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kileslie

10/24/2015 12:39 PM

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Kevin Leslie

Lutz, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rich Hogen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to paw.garrett

10/24/2015 12:42 PM

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Rich Hogen

Centennial, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joanne Urban to: IndependentSpending Please respond to joanneur

10/24/2015 12:47 PM

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Joanne Urban

Omaha, NE



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ballinger Kemp to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bkemp 114

10/24/2015 12:48 PM

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Ballinger Kemp

Richmond, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Natalie MacDonald to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nataliemacdonald

10/24/2015 01:01 PM

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Natalie MacDonald

Tigard, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Leonard Rifas to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rifas

10/24/2015 01:06 PM

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Leonard Rifas

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Scott Hatch to: IndependentSpending Please respond to shatch.isrc

10/24/2015 01:10 PM

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Scott Hatch

Anchorage, AK



10/24/2015 01:15 PM

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We need stricter rules against coordination between candidates and super PACs. The law and courts say these entities are supposed to be "truly independent." But non-disclosure and non-enforcement violate this principle.

We need enforcement. We need disclosure.

Without these things, rule of law is replaced by rule of money.

Angela Silverman

Alexandria, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sharon Collver to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sharon.collver

10/24/2015 01:18 PM

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Sharon Collver

Portland, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Maria Gibson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gioia

10/24/2015 01:19 PM

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Maria Gibson

Fort Collins, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Caroline Drought to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cdrought 86

10/24/2015 01:24 PM

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Caroline Drought

Milwaukee, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rob Gould to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rgood 2222

10/24/2015 01:24 PM

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Rob Gould

Fort Lauderdale, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Andy Carlstedt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to evilandy

10/24/2015 01:26 PM

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Andy Carlstedt

Stockholm, ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Agnes Matenos to: IndependentSpending Please respond to agnesmatenos

10/24/2015 01:28 PM

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Agnes Matenos

Braintree, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Max Barlow to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Max.barlow737553

10/24/2015 01:29 PM

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Max Barlow

Prairie Village, KS



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eileen Graham to: IndependentSpending Please respond to scuffie

10/24/2015 01:40 PM

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Eileen Graham

Gardners, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joseph Fenech to: IndependentSpending Please respond to harryho 1ofeugene

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Joseph Fenech

Eugene, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Victoria Olson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to victoriao

10/24/2015 01:41 PM

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Victoria Olson

Oakland Park, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Molly Wadsworth to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rmwadsworth

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Molly Wadsworth

Chico, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Terry Sanders to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lonelaser

10/24/2015 01:43 PM

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Terry Sanders

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Merrilee Rambeau to: IndependentSpending Please respond to merrilee.rambeau

10/24/2015 01:48 PM

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Merrilee Rambeau

Lakewood, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Susan Weber to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sweber2

10/24/2015 01:51 PM

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Our democracy is being corrupted by big money, and you have the power to make it better. Please do so.

Susan Weber

Albany, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jasper Dionisio to: IndependentSpending Please respond to strangers

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Jasper Dionisio

Englewood, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Diane Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to diane

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Get your heads out of your butts! You are not as good as worthless in your current state. You are a bane to the US citizenry.

Diane Johnson

Emmetsburg, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Patricia Nilson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to drpat 11

10/24/2015 02:04 PM

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Patricia Nilson

Commack, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 BARBARA MONTGOMERY to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jwmbam 1

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BARBARA MONTGOMERY

OWENSBORO, KY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jerry Brucaya to: IndependentSpending Please respond to brucaya

10/24/2015 02:08 PM

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Jerry Brucaya

Belleville, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Andrus to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jfandrus 57

10/24/2015 02:13 PM

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James Andrus

Cortez, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Leslie Bow to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bowdom4

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Leslie Bow

Oro Valley, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 judy jackson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jajacksun

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judy jackson

Berkeley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Paula Williams to: IndependentSpending Please respond to akequinox

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Paula Williams

Anchorage, AK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Paolo Zambon to: IndependentSpending Please respond to zambonp

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Paolo Zambon

Orsago, ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Walchak to: IndependentSpending Please respond to johnwalchak

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John Walchak

Melbourne, FL



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Elizabeth Koundakjian

Cambridge, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Andrea Hunt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to alhfaith

10/24/2015 02:40 PM

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Andrea Hunt

Hampton Bays, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Adam Vizier to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Adeimantus 13

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Adam Vizier

Galliano, LA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sue Stoeckel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to suecon

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Sue Stoeckel

Everett, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Genarose Buechler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to buechlerg

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Genarose Buechler

Red Bud, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Tamara Deems to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tamaradeems

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Tamara Deems

San Tan Valley, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alex Togstad to: IndependentSpending Please respond to atogstad

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Alex Togstad

PORTLAND, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eric Yao to: IndependentSpending Please respond to anericyao

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Eric Yao

Snellville, GA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anthony Straka to: IndependentSpending Please respond to atstraka

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Anthony Straka

Wappingers Falls, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Susan Evilsizer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cybertigress 2

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Susan Evilsizer

Cleveland, OH



10/24/2015 02:59 PM

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Ruth & William Shertzer

Fremont, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sharon Nicodemus to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bream

10/24/2015 03:10 PM

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Sharon Nicodemus

Sacramento, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeanette Edwards to: IndependentSpending Please respond to r5473c

10/24/2015 03:13 PM

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Jeanette Edwards

Apache Juntion, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Paul Tomaselli to: IndependentSpending Please respond to shadetree .mechanic+86

10/24/2015 03:15 PM

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Paul Tomaselli

Salinas, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Catherine Palmer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to chpalmer

10/24/2015 03:17 PM

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Catherine Palmer

Allen Park, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 brian arneman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to b56988

10/24/2015 03:19 PM

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brian arneman

Edinboro, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lee Smith to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lee.lsmith.smith5

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Lee Smith

California Hot Springs, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 G.A. Voss to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gavoss

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G.A. Voss

Seaford, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jennifer Ciarochi to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jen.ciarochi

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Jennifer Ciarochi

Atlanta, GA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sarah Ganzhorn to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sarahganzhorn

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Sarah Ganzhorn

SOMERVILLE, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Cheryl Schoelles to: IndependentSpending Please respond to shoelesscb

10/24/2015 03:25 PM

This is so wrong. Please do what is right.

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Cheryl Schoelles

Santa Rosa, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jane Yater to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jayater

10/24/2015 03:26 PM

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Jane Yater

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ronald Cole to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rcole 71

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Ronald Cole

Napa, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Holly Werner to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bob 1018

10/24/2015 03:29 PM

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Holly Werner

Iron Mountain, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rinaldo S. Brutoco to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rinaldo

10/24/2015 03:33 PM

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Rinaldo S. Brutoco

Santa Barbara, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Russell Alcott to: IndependentSpending Please respond to russalcott

10/24/2015 03:38 PM

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Russell Alcott

Ocoee, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gail Botic to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gbotic

10/24/2015 03:39 PM

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Gail Botic

Dousman, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sandrda Cole to: IndependentSpending Please respond to snlcol

10/24/2015 03:41 PM

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Sandrda Cole

Vancouver, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Phillips to: IndependentSpending Please respond to robt_phillips

10/24/2015 03:43 PM

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Robert Phillips

Fresno, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sally Brown to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Brownsally 31

10/24/2015 03:54 PM

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Sally Brown

Barrington, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alexander Yuan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to AySz 88

10/24/2015 03:57 PM

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Alexander Yuan

Huntington, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Walter Koch to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wdkoch3

10/24/2015 04:00 PM

I think it's self-evident that the American public should know which corporations and wealthy individuals are behind the campaign ads that try to influence their votes. The FEC really needs to restore its previous disclosure rules so that corporations and other powerful interests cannot conceal their identities from the public while trying to influence the people's votes.

Every day thousands more Americans are being made aware that corporations have been given the same rights as living, breathing persons, and that it's long past time that this subtle, yet insidious, adulteration of our Bill of Rights is finally and permanently relegated to the dust bin of history.

Walter Koch

Goleta, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael McClennen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to michaelm

10/24/2015 04:06 PM

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Michael McClennen

Madison, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gerald Rutherford to: IndependentSpending Please respond to barbjerry 8652

10/24/2015 04:06 PM

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For gods sak, sometimes you just have to use your brain.

Gerald Rutherford

Alpena, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Todd Jonker to: IndependentSpending Please respond to todd

10/24/2015 04:10 PM

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Todd Jonker

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Art wegweiser to: IndependentSpending Please respond to art

10/24/2015 04:14 PM

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Art wegweiser

Alison Park, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Steve Dupuis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sjdupuis

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Steve Dupuis

Dallas, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 DeAnne Luck to: IndependentSpending Please respond to deanneluck

10/24/2015 04:29 PM

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DeAnne Luck

Woodlawn, TN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Evans to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Krungtheb 9

10/24/2015 04:31 PM

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there to do--and, STOP selling us out! You are supporting the very opposite of what our freedoms are based on--oh, and by the way--I am a person!!!! Sincerely, Sandra Day (sandra.day57@gmail.com)

Sandra day

Anderson, IN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 lan Shaw to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ian

10/24/2015 04:33 PM

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Ian Shaw

Aurora, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Andrew Rubel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to arubel

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Andrew Rubel

Somerville, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 arleen whitmore to: IndependentSpending Please respond to arleenw0

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arleen whitmore

san leandro, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sabina Ubell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jedantz2

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Sabina Ubell

Emeryville, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Snider to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ccritter

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Robert Snider

Gainesville, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ronald Howard to: IndependentSpending Please respond to evergreen 5201

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Ronald Howard

Delton, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Thomas Cannon to: IndependentSpending Please respond to toppcatt 71

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Thomas Cannon

Haslett, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 William Stahl to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bharani 51

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William Stahl

Jamestown, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rick Gardner to: IndependentSpending Please respond to contact

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Rick Gardner

Warren, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ruth Milas to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pillpusher 57

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Ruth Milas

Moorhead, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Lohan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jelohan

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John Lohan

Free Union, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Virginia ELLIOTT to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Dakota 55

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Virginia ELLIOTT

EAST OTTO, NY



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Carol and Al Frechette

Shakopee, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nick Barcott to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nbarcott

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Nick Barcott

Lynnwood, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sandra Lady to: IndependentSpending Please respond to AngelusLeDarcy

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Sandra Lady

Auburn, WA



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Stephanie Rieffanaugh

Norristown, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carmilla Manzanet to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cmanzanet

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Carmilla Manzanet

Chicago, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Christopher Dorando to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Cdorando

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Christopher Dorando

Schenectady, NY



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Martin Mastenbrook

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joan Evans to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Elainejes 70

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Joan Evans

Boulder, CO



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Marna Porath at home

Amity, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Margaret Lee Potts to: IndependentSpending Please respond to PottsL

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Margaret Lee Potts

Nederland, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Richita Anderson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rr3anderson

10/24/2015 05:33 PM

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Richita Anderson

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anuj Mankad to: IndependentSpending Please respond to anuj.mankad

10/24/2015 05:38 PM

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Anuj Mankad

Woodbridge, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Diane Ward to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dj7ward

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Diane Ward

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert McNair to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rImcnair

10/24/2015 05:56 PM

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Thanks for your help in reigning in anonymous mega contributions.

Robert McNair

Boone, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 J. Brian Graham to: IndependentSpending Please respond to search4adventure

10/24/2015 06:02 PM

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J. Brian Graham

Dover, DE



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Andrea Lieberman

Los Angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Estilita Grimaldo to: IndependentSpending Please respond to estilita 8

10/24/2015 06:03 PM

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Estilita Grimaldo

Ciudad Cariari, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Tim Brand to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tkbrand

10/24/2015 06:14 PM

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Tim Brand

Cupertino, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gary Granat to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ggranat

10/24/2015 06:19 PM

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Gary Granat

Palisade, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Hugh Gurney to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hgurney

10/24/2015 06:24 PM

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Hugh Gurney

Howell, MI



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George Anzinger

Lafayette, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Wendy Hallman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hallwest

10/24/2015 06:26 PM

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Wendy Hallman

Wading River, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sondra Franzmann to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jfranzmann 39

10/24/2015 06:28 PM

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Sondra Franzmann

Stillwater, OK



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Suzanne Mikulicic

Lafayette, CA



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Foreign Nationals??? Say what??? FOREIGN NATIONALS!!! Really?!

Rev. Edward Loggins III

Waterloo, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Thomas Nicholson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to t_nicholson_16

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Thomas Nicholson

Bucyrus, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mark Hodges to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mhodges 2012

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Mark Hodges

Boston, MA



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Judy Hershberger

Waltham, MA



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Alex Vishio

Baltimore, MD



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Ryan McMeen

Augusta, GA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 CHARLES HINSHAW to: IndependentSpending Please respond to chinshaw 317

10/24/2015 06:51 PM

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CHARLES HINSHAW

Lakewood, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dennis Kalos to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dgkalos

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Dennis Kalos

Montara, CA



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Norbert Gasiewicz

Marquette, MI



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Nicolas Wyss

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Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carter Witt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carterwitt 5

10/24/2015 07:07 PM

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Carter Witt

Nashville, TN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marge Shelton to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marge.a.shelton

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Marge Shelton

Swannanoa, NC



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TK LARSON

Minneapolis, MN



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Kris Metzker

Troy, ID



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Barb Baird to: IndependentSpending Please respond to baird 9992

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Barb Baird

rayland, OH



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Lara Wright, MD

Albany, CA



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Carol Culnan

Strasburg, VA



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Justice Lamer

Corvallis, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chris Anthony to: IndependentSpending Please respond to schimdley

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Chris Anthony

North Hollywood, CA



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Nancy Minter

Garland, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kaye Schwartz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kayeschwartz

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Kaye Schwartz

Buhler, KS



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Barbara Van Walsen

Moorestown, NJ



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Jan Kasal

Malverne, NY



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Carmine Dileo

Middlesex, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 T Miller to: IndependentSpending Please respond to checkdesk

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T Miller

CORAL GABLES, FL



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K Roberts

Rome, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nancy Sopher to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nsopher 7

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Nancy Sopher

Fairfax, VA



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West Jordan, UT



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Terry Moore

Killdeer, ND



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Cliff Bigler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cpbiggy

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Cliff Bigler

canyon country, CA



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Gretel Munroe

Medford, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gary Lamson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gllamson

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Gary Lamson

Asheville, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Charles Pique to: IndependentSpending Please respond to august 04

10/24/2015 08:18 PM

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Charles Pique

Cross Lanes, WV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Vanessa Malanga to: IndependentSpending Please respond to vmalanga

10/24/2015 08:31 PM

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Vanessa Malanga

Astoria, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eric Hermansen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to efreedom 76

10/24/2015 08:32 PM

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Eric Hermansen

Oklahoma City, OK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Higginbotham to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rghigg

10/24/2015 08:39 PM

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Robert Higginbotham

Berkeley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 marcia umland to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marciasland

10/24/2015 08:43 PM

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marcia umland

Berkeley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Irwin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jwirwin

10/24/2015 08:57 PM

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John Irwin

Lancaster, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Chadwick to: IndependentSpending Please respond to windhorsedreams

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Michael Chadwick

Weiser, ID



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Thomas Campanini to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tachair

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Thomas Campanini

York, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Glenn Griffin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gilatreethinners

10/24/2015 09:21 PM

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Glenn Griffin

Silver City, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ashley Dickinson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ashleyrockingbird

10/24/2015 09:26 PM

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Ashley Dickinson

Des Moines, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jan Bueker to: IndependentSpending Please respond to affinity 1976

10/24/2015 09:27 PM

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Jan Bueker

Topeka, KS



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sunu Carl to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sunucarl

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Sunu Carl

Aiea, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Tyson Singer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tysonsinger

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Tyson Singer

San Rafael, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Carl to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carlr 001

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Robert Carl

Aiea, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 peggy klekner to: IndependentSpending Please respond to peggyklekner

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peggy klekner

Harvard, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Kuczek to: IndependentSpending Please respond to redpoll 87

10/24/2015 09:45 PM

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Michael Kuczek

Harshaw, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Pat Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pawjohnson

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Pat Johnson

Galloway, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robin Schnell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rschnell

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Robin Schnell

Scotia, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gary Meyers to: IndependentSpending Please respond to meyersg

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Gary Meyers

Oro Valley, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gerri Michalska to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gerrimichalska

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Gerri Michalska

Washington, DC



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Judith Vollbrecht

New Orleans, LA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Deborah Barolsky to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dbarolsky

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Deborah Barolsky

Arlington, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Doug Stalls to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dstalls 61news

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Doug Stalls

Carthage, NC



Colin Cortes to: IndependentSpending Please respond to colin.m.cortes

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TUALATIN, OR



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Mark & Adrienne Cohen

Great Barrington, MA



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Elsie McBride

Sioux Falls, SD



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Kaja Rebane

Madison, WI



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Darnell Walton

Aptos, CA



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Richard Edelman

Cambridge, MA



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Ada Garner

Fort Worth, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Stone to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marystone 58

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Mary Stone

Fountain Hills, AZ



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Arianthe Stettner

Steamboat Springs, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Randall to: IndependentSpending Please respond to 16Prescott

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Michael Randall

Arlington, MA



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John Kesich

Venice, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jamaica Chenoweth to: IndependentSpending Please respond to elephant 3152

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Jamaica Chenoweth

Carmichael, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 William Vollmer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to williamjvollmer

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William Vollmer

Elmhurst, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Donna Schultz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to d.schultz.studio

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Donna Schultz

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Huarachi to: IndependentSpending Please respond to michaelhuarachi

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Michael Huarachi

NEW YORK, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Laura Stell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to laurasf 70

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Laura Stell

El Paso, TX



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Lois Johnson-Hamerman

Philadelphia, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Judith Shardo to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jshardo

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Judith Shardo

Mercer Island, WA



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Barbara Smullen

Staten Island, NY



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R Fialho

Fresno, CA



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James Adams

Norfolk, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nancy Lee to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Nancylcalifg

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Nancy Lee

Los Angeles, CA



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Dehra Iverson

Costa Mesa, CA



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Rebecca Smith

Charlotte, NC



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Warren Nicholson

Horseshoe Bend, ID



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Show some moral backbone and do what is right !!

arden scott

reno, NV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kari Walters to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kariw 310

10/24/2015 11:42 PM

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Kari Walters

Pacific Palisades, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 PENNEY FELLER to: IndependentSpending Please respond to geminipf 1

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PENNEY FELLER

Wickenburg, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Phyllis Smith to: IndependentSpending Please respond to phyllis 5

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Phyllis Smith

Madison, OH



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Donald Pederson

Duluth, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Katharine Reed to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kckreed

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Katharine Reed

Kansas City, KS



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nancy McMahon to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bidu

10/25/2015 12:04 AM

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Nancy McMahon

Olympia, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Roger Carr to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rbc022

10/25/2015 12:05 AM

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Roger Carr

Palmyra, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Steven Tichenor to: IndependentSpending Please respond to steven_tichenor

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Steven Tichenor

Grants Pass, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Neal Mock to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nealmock 74

10/25/2015 12:21 AM

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Neal Mock

Truckee, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ruth Sheridan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ruth.sheridan

10/25/2015 12:26 AM

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Ruth Sheridan

Anchorage, AK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Evans to: IndependentSpending Please respond to JSevans 8587

10/25/2015 12:31 AM

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John Evans

Denver, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Billy Angus to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wizardofhamilton

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Billy Angus

Hamilton, MT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Ann Black to: IndependentSpending Please respond to maryablack

10/25/2015 12:43 AM

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Mary Ann Black

Caseyville, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Stanley Moyer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to smoyer 500

10/25/2015 12:49 AM

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Stanley Moyer

Alamosa, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Tong Shen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to shen 3t

10/25/2015 01:00 AM

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Tong Shen

Amherst, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Langley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to melangley

10/25/2015 01:09 AM

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Mary Langley

Astoria, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Genevieve Deppong to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gdeppong

10/25/2015 01:16 AM

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Genevieve Deppong

Los Altos, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Martin Rockstrom to: IndependentSpending Please respond to m_rockstrom

10/25/2015 01:20 AM

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Martin Rockstrom

Pleasanton, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Powers to: IndependentSpending Please respond to roberto 197

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James Powers

Springfield, VA



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Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kristin Vyhnal to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Kristin_vyhnal

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Kristin Vyhnal

Morrison, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sharon Menzel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to momenzel

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Sharon Menzel

Manchester, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alice Allabastro to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Aliceallabastro

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Alice Allabastro

Chicago, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lawrence Jimenez to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lawrenj

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Lawrence Jimenez

Los Angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Margaret Rabe to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mgrabe 12

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Margaret Rabe

Rio Rancho, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sally Brown to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rowdygirlinmt

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Sally Brown

Springdale, MT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sandra Siegner to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ssiegner 3

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Sandra Siegner

Portland, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jean Standish to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jestandish

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Jean Standish

NY, NY



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Frank McGreal

Denver, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Karen Berger to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kareneliseberger

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Karen Berger

Montrose, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 George Bedirian to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gbedirian

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George Bedirian

Pullman, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Harrell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jharrell

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John Harrell

Prescott, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 pamela fruman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to plf333

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pamela fruman

pomona, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Arnold Ruiz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to avruiz 12

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Arnold Ruiz

Phoenix, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lynn Forsythe to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lynn.forsythe

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Lynn Forsythe

Grand Prairie, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sue Jackson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sue_jackson

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Sue Jackson

Sydney, ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jens Lindgren to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jens

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Jens Lindgren

los angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Donna Moreno to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lynne.moreno

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Donna Moreno

Davis, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Adam Davis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to atomdari

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Adam Davis

New Orleans, LA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Bridget Scott to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Bridgecsi

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Bridget Scott

Honolulu, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chuck Figgins to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Simplydemocracy

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Chuck Figgins

Lutz, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Daniel Freese to: IndependentSpending Please respond to danf_55

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Daniel Freese

Plymouth, MN



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Edwina Nuccio

Yonkers, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Beverly to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sgtwayne

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Robert Beverly

Orange, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Tamara Dreier to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Tdreier

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Tamara Dreier

OFallon, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alex Jr to: IndependentSpending Please respond to harrisonjr3

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Alex Jr

El Paso, TX



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Sybil Schlesinger

Natick, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Maureen Wulf to: IndependentSpending Please respond to maureen 2

10/25/2015 07:02 AM

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Maureen Wulf

Hamden, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 karen rudy to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dederudy 17

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karen rudy

new cumberland, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 DONALD Solomon to: IndependentSpending Please respond to donaldsolomon 1

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DONALD Solomon

providence, RI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Gau to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gau_bus

10/25/2015 07:17 AM

The public should know where the money behind political ads orginates.

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The FEC should also close loopholes that allow candidates to, in effect, coordinate with super PACs and that allow foreign money to influence U.S. elections.

John Gau

Worcester, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Trione to: IndependentSpending Please respond to renewabledavid

10/25/2015 07:26 AM

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David Trione

Philomath, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Loren Clift to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nitsuait

10/25/2015 07:56 AM

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Loren Clift

Lansing, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nicki Elliott to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nickimarkey

10/25/2015 08:24 AM

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Nicki Elliott

Martinez, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kurt Carlson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Moxaman

10/25/2015 09:05 AM

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Kurt Carlson

Spokane, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Linda Hudson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lyndalehudson

10/25/2015 09:21 AM

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Linda Hudson

Manchester, TN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 P Bagley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pmbagley

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P Bagley

Marquette, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Georgeanne Spates to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gspates

10/25/2015 09:32 AM

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Georgeanne Spates

Southold, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jason Brown to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jaybdesign 07

10/25/2015 09:55 AM

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Jason Brown

Scotland, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Karen Stine to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Kstine 123

10/25/2015 09:58 AM

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Karen Stine

Tampa, FL



10/25/2015 10:10 AM

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RODGER PETERSON

SPRING HILL, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James Yarker to: IndependentSpending Please respond to refus_global

10/25/2015 10:15 AM

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James Yarker

Quebec, QC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ellen Hertzmark to: IndependentSpending Please respond to stleh

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Ellen Hertzmark

Brookline, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Matthew Richmond to: IndependentSpending Please respond to moonraker 5

10/25/2015 10:23 AM

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Matthew Richmond

Goochland, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Jutt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to djjutt

10/25/2015 10:31 AM

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David Jutt

Scarsdale, IN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Omar Boumali to: IndependentSpending Please respond to omar.boumali

10/25/2015 10:46 AM

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Omar Boumali

El Paso, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sallie Gordon to: IndependentSpending Please respond to salliegordon

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Sallie Gordon

North Brunswick, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Natalie A. Carter to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ncarter 79

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Natalie A. Carter

Newark, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anthony Cieri to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Ajcieri 4

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Anthony Cieri

Collegeville, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Fred Bevis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to fredbevis

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Fred Bevis

Orlando, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Noah Mercer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to noah.mercer

10/25/2015 10:58 AM

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Noah Mercer

Los Angeles, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 stan serlin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to seserlin

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stan serlin

syracuse, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Peha to: IndependentSpending Please respond to quest 447

10/25/2015 11:05 AM

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David Peha

Renton, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Richard Norman Talley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rtalley

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Richard Norman Talley

Silver Spring, MD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 jeanine fair to: IndependentSpending Please respond to fairjeanine

10/25/2015 11:11 AM

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jeanine fair

Prairie du Sac, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Herzog to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mpherzog 2010

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Michael Herzog

Dallas, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 G. Reynolds to: IndependentSpending Please respond to reynoldsdesign

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G. Reynolds

Sarasota, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Allen LaLiberty to: IndependentSpending Please respond to alaliberty

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Allen LaLiberty

Middletown, RI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Cara Kulwicki to: IndependentSpending Please respond to doublefantasy

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Cara Kulwicki

Rochester, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Paul Golab to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pgolab 1

10/25/2015 11:32 AM

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Paul Golab

Scottsdale, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jason Palmer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jason

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Jason Palmer

Huntington Bay, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Barbara Langan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to barbaralangan

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Barbara Langan

Huntingdon, PA



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Warren Beattie

Boston, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 James McCarthy to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nugget 1928

10/25/2015 12:17 PM

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James McCarthy

Whitestone, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeff Davis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jeffodavis

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Jeff Davis

Rehoboth Beach, DE



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joseph Myers to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sidecut 75

10/25/2015 12:18 PM

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Joseph Myers

Hilliard, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 susan earle to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sooosun

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susan earle

Cambridge, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kathleen Zane to: IndependentSpending Please respond to silverroses 313

10/25/2015 12:23 PM

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Kathleen Zane

Macungie, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 mary wells to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mwells 006

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mary wells

columbia, Mo., MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Roslyn Witt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rozwitt

10/25/2015 12:28 PM

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Roslyn Witt

Altadena, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Varnedoe to: IndependentSpending Please respond to johnvarnedoe 3

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John Varnedoe

Savannah, GA



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Patrick DeMent

Annandale, VA



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Henry Berkowitz

Sabinsville, PA



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Sandy Wilson

Brixey, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Peter Kahigian to: IndependentSpending Please respond to peter_kahigian

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Peter Kahigian

Haverhill, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 M. C. Halvorsen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mchalvorsen 1

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M. C. Halvorsen

Bainbridge Island, WA



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Gerard Lostaglio

Wallington, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kevin Stephens to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kevin.k.stephens

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Kevin Stephens

Peoria, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Louis Kanter to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Retnak2

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Louis Kanter

Skokie, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Wolski to: IndependentSpending Please respond to michaelwolski 5

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Michael Wolski

Lakeland, FL



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Liz Wally

Dallas, TX



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Christopher Banks

Alexandria, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anthony So to: IndependentSpending Please respond to anthonydso

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Anthony So

Chapel Hill, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jacob Garrison to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jacob.97.garrison

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Jacob Garrison

Arden, NC



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Benjamin W and Ingrid Luchini

Las Cruces, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kathryn Bourgoin,MD to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kathybourgoin

10/25/2015 02:11 PM

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Kathryn Bourgoin, MD

Orono, ME



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Karen Durlach to: IndependentSpending Please respond to karen.durlach

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Karen Durlach

N. Grosvenordale, CT



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Kathy Dopp

Schenectady, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jay Harlan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jhmotjr

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Jay Harlan

Houston, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eric Chapman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kemetegypt

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Eric Chapman

Inglewood, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Thomas Brustman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to eco

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Thomas Brustman

Walnut Creek, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mark Graves to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Hravesma 1951

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Mark Graves

Muskegon, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Matt Peters to: IndependentSpending Please respond to atlasmoth

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Matt Peters

Tucson, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Linda Farrell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to puffer

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Linda Farrell

Bella Vista, AR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gene Upton to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Aries 1953

10/25/2015 03:00 PM

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Gene Upton

Middleburg, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Peter Kahigian to: IndependentSpending Please respond to p_kahigian

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Peter Kahigian

Haverhill, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Gregory to: IndependentSpending Please respond to michaelegmd

10/25/2015 03:08 PM

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Michael Gregory

Santa Fe, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kay Cessna to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mkcessna

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Kay Cessna

los angeles, CA



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Emerson Tjart

Lansdowne, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Seth Read to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sethread

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Seth Read

Somerville, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Barbara Bland to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bjbland4

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Barbara Bland

Kent, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nancy Powers to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nancypowers 16

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Nancy Powers

Florence, SC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Peter Cervantes-Gautschi to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pedroanimales

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Peter Cervantes-Gautschi

Beavercreek, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 howell sherrod to: IndependentSpending Please respond to howell

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howell sherrod

johnson city, TN



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Gerry Thiel

Cedar Lake, IN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jon Elson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to elson

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Jon Elson

Kirkwood, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Dresser to: IndependentSpending Please respond to david 1936

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David Dresser

Berkeley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Pamela Hosler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pamhosler

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Pamela Hosler

St Louis, MO



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Linda Prostko

Caledonia, MI



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Bronwen Walters

Boise, ID



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Janet Greenlee

blackwood, NJ



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Gary Dering

Gig Harbor, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mark Hundley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hundley

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Mark Hundley

Columbus, IN



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Spencer Ludtke

Saint Paul, MN



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Phyl Morello

White Pine, TN



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Glenn Koehrsen

Mulino, OR



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Pat Bereczki

Vancouver, WA



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Paul Blackburn

Elizabethtown, KY



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Joshua Halberg

Shelburne, VT



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Amalia Shebby

Hacienda Heights, CA



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Willempje Kremer

Danville, CA



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Janet Reynolds

Cape Coral, FL



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Elizabeth Milford

Albuquerque, NM



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Stephen Martin

BERKELEY, CA



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John Rohrer

New Cumberland, PA



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Arthur Rosenberg

Minneapolis, MN



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Laura Bivins

Wilmington, NC



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William Schoene

Santa Monica, CA



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Laura Tennen

Tucson, AZ



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Mary Hayward

Putney, VT



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Peter Galle

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Alexander Hampel

Loleta, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joseph Hayes to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jth 815

10/25/2015 05:44 PM

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Joseph Hayes

Grand Junction, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sherrill Gary to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sherrillgary

10/25/2015 06:06 PM

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Sherrill Gary

Fayetteville, GA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lisa Lynott-Carroll to: IndependentSpending Please respond to premierparalegal

10/25/2015 06:22 PM

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Lisa Lynott-Carroll

Eagle Butte, SD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Vendla Meyer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to vendla

10/25/2015 06:22 PM

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Vendla Meyer

Bures-sur-Yvette, ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Philip Ratcliff to: IndependentSpending Please respond to skazz 999w

10/25/2015 06:42 PM

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Philip Ratcliff

Salem, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Bill Vartnaw to: IndependentSpending Please respond to taureanhorn

10/25/2015 06:50 PM

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Bill Vartnaw

Petaluma, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ashlee Davis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ashlee 1

10/25/2015 06:59 PM

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Ashlee Davis

Denver, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Cathie Dunal to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cathiedunal

10/25/2015 07:00 PM

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Cathie Dunal

Glencoe, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alex Jr to: IndependentSpending Please respond to harrisonjr3

10/25/2015 07:07 PM

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Alex Jr

El Paso, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 L Fairman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ravel

10/25/2015 07:09 PM

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L Fairman

Sacramento, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Patricia Simpson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to duchess 1946

10/25/2015 07:13 PM

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Not a citizen. I am used to that as a Black person but come on. A corporation is a person. No wonder the government is in trouble with thinking like that.

Patricia Simpson

Muskegon, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Peter Cervantes-Gautschi to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pedroanimales

10/25/2015 07:15 PM

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Peter Cervantes-Gautschi

Beavercreek, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Janet Gillilan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Jangill

10/25/2015 07:18 PM

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Janet Gillilan

Salt Lake City, UT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 jason harris to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jharris 138

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jason harris

cape coral, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sarah Lassberg to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sarah.lassberg

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Sarah Lassberg

Plano, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sylvia Tennen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to zen

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Sylvia Tennen

New Hyde Park, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carol Kuczora to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carol.kuczora98

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Carol Kuczora

Grass Valley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Davida Kagen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dlkagen

10/25/2015 07:27 PM

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Davida Kagen

Redmond, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Germain to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ggermain

10/25/2015 07:31 PM

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Mary Germain

Nazareth, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ethel Dumas to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sister 448

10/25/2015 07:32 PM

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Ethel Dumas

Wesley Chapel, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Susan Warren to: IndependentSpending Please respond to swarren 28806

10/25/2015 07:41 PM

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Susan Warren

Asheville, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gregg Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gregg 8878

10/25/2015 07:46 PM

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Gregg Johnson

San Jose, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Jarrett to: IndependentSpending Please respond to suenojesus 53

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Michael Jarrett

Tucson, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Howard Leicht to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hjl961

10/25/2015 07:54 PM

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Howard Leicht

Needham, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Werner Bergman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wernerbergman

10/25/2015 07:56 PM

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Werner Bergman

Stanwood, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Philip McMorrow to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pmcmorrow

10/25/2015 07:57 PM

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Philip McMorrow

Calabasas, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nadine Mungai to: IndependentSpending Please respond to 1220nadine

10/25/2015 08:20 PM

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Nadine Mungai

Naperville, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeremy Bourget to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jbourget 23

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Jeremy Bourget

Warwick, RI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sarah Vanderlipp to: IndependentSpending Please respond to svanderlipp

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Sarah Vanderlipp

Parkville, MD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ulrich Hopfer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to uhopfer

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Ulrich Hopfer

Cleveland Heights, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jo Ann Kovar to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jokovar

10/25/2015 08:40 PM

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Jo Ann Kovar

Ames, Iowa, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Shirley Wallack to: IndependentSpending Please respond to shpeeke

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Shirley Wallack

Santa Rosa, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Amy Fass to: IndependentSpending Please respond to anom

10/25/2015 08:42 PM

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Amy Fass

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dyan Muse to: IndependentSpending Please respond to museann

10/25/2015 08:45 PM

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Dyan Muse

Bridge City, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ainsley Skye Waters to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sandresb

10/25/2015 08:53 PM

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Ainsley Skye Waters

Albuquerque, NM



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Jordan Anderson

Berkeley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Linda Jauron Mills to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ljauronmil

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Linda Jauron Mills

Portland, OR



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Cecilia Lieder

Duluth, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ruth Miller to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ruthmiller

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Ruth Miller

Chapel Hill, NC



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lucy wynkoop

Lacey, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Hyatt Simpson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pinuts 99

10/25/2015 09:17 PM

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It is mind-boggling to me, even in this era of super-partisanship, that FEC Commissioners would block this proposal. Did you sign an oath of office? Are you abiding by it?

Hyatt Simpson

Tucson, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rose Marie Assad to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rmrassad

10/25/2015 09:19 PM

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Rose Marie Assad

St Paul,, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Larry Parsons to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Ibpar 75

10/25/2015 09:34 PM

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Kind of makes it crystal clear how all that right wing talk about "we want our country back" is nothing but pure BS when donations to right wing candidates is pouring in from OTHER countries, huh?

Larry Parsons

warner, OK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Frank Milligan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to fmilliga

10/25/2015 09:36 PM

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Frank Milligan

Geneva, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lawrence Magliola to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lawrence .magliola

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Lawrence Magliola

Sequim, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Pamela Gibberman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pgibberman

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Pamela Gibberman

Panorama City, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Susan Schmidt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to susanschmidt

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Susan Schmidt

Medina, OH



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Isabel Kimble

Ojai, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Thomas Hand to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ThomasHandSQL

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Thomas Hand

Santa Monica, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Roy Lay to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pewtergod

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Roy Lay

Erlanger, KY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sandra Atkins to: IndependentSpending Please respond to malibusandy 4949

10/25/2015 09:57 PM

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Sandra Atkins

Wild Rose, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alex Sponza to: IndependentSpending Please respond to alexsponza

10/25/2015 10:01 PM

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Alex Sponza

Covington Township,, PA



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Comment re: REG 2015-04 Val Colenso to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Kycolenso

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Val Colenso

East Helena, MT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Helen Boehning to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hlboehning

10/25/2015 10:13 PM

There are so many super PACs with the sole purpose of electing a single candidate. And many candidates have close, personal ties with super PACs. This shows that political candidates are often bought, and beholden to the big money.

The FEC should enforce the law which says the entities should be truly independent. Also, The FEC should require disclosure of political spending. The FEC needs to close the loopholes that allow foreign money to influence U.S. elections

Helen Boehning

Dallas, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carla Tevelow to: IndependentSpending Please respond to perlpubl

10/25/2015 10:21 PM

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Carla Tevelow

dayton, MD



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Stephen White to: IndependentSpending Please respond to turner.white

10/25/2015 10:23 PM

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Stephen White

Holden, MA, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Christine Ortiz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to chrisortiz 7

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Christine Ortiz

Pacifica, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Karen Stamm to: IndependentSpending Please respond to oks.cdm

10/25/2015 10:47 PM

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Karen Stamm

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lena Underwood to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nananrl

10/25/2015 10:48 PM

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Lena Underwood

Rio Linda, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Stephanie Schultz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to momsteph

10/25/2015 10:51 PM

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Stephanie Schultz

Upper Saddle River, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Evelyn Godinez to: IndependentSpending Please respond to evegodinez

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Evelyn Godinez

Inglewood, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Roger McQuown to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rogermcquown

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Roger McQuown

Lakeland, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jennifer Taketani to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jenntaketani

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Jennifer Taketani

West Hills, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 T Fost, et al to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kma

10/25/2015 11:10 PM

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T Fost, et al

Poughkeepsie, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mara Eisenstein to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mara.eisenstein

10/25/2015 11:21 PM

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Mara Eisenstein

Champaign, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lois Jennings to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ljennings 536

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Lois Jennings

Groton, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joyce Coppinger to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jc 10508

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Joyce Coppinger

Lincoln, NE



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Elizabeth Layfield to: IndependentSpending Please respond to elizabeth .layfield

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Elizabeth Layfield

Washington, DC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Greg Kimber to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gkimber 33

10/25/2015 11:33 PM

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Greg Kimber

Temple, ME



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Wayne OK Quade

Montrose, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Elena Baum to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ebbaum 88

10/26/2015 12:03 AM

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Elena Baum

Norfolk, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Silvers to: IndependentSpending Please respond to streetlion

10/26/2015 12:08 AM

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John Silvers

San Francisco, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alison Bittick to: IndependentSpending Please respond to alisonbittick

10/26/2015 12:16 AM

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Alison Bittick

The Colony, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Debra Beasley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to debrabeasley

10/26/2015 12:20 AM

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Debra Beasley

Copperas Cove TX, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nicole Leseigneur to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nicolineprovence

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Nicole Leseigneur

Santa Rosa, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Denise Bunge to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dbunge

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Denise Bunge

Findlay, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marco LaPadula to: IndependentSpending Please respond to InnerStrengthMJL

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Marco LaPadula

Bethlehem, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mark Damon to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mark

10/26/2015 12:36 AM

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Mark Damon

Kula, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ilene Paluck to: IndependentSpending Please respond to idp 56

10/26/2015 12:39 AM

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Ilene Paluck

Chandler, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Varnum to: IndependentSpending Please respond to davidvarnum

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David Varnum

San Francisco, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sam Holden to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sirsambob

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Sam Holden

Eugene, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nels Enns to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nels

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Nels Enns

Issaquah, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rosemary Webber to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rosemary .webber1945

10/26/2015 01:00 AM

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Rosemary Webber

Des Moines, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jean White to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jmwhite 33

10/26/2015 01:03 AM

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Jean White

Raleigh, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gary Derry to: IndependentSpending Please respond to xxxx45111

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Gary Derry

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Emma Bartholomew to: IndependentSpending Please respond to emma

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Emma Bartholomew

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Geoffrey Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to violinman.johnson

10/26/2015 01:26 AM

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Geoffrey Johnson

Kenmore, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carina Mach to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carinamach

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Carina Mach

Gatineau, QC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carol Cooper to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carol.pepper.cooper

10/26/2015 02:34 AM

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Carol Cooper

Kingston, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rebecca Anton to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ranton 39

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Rebecca Anton

SACRAMENTO, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mhair Orchanian to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mho2121

10/26/2015 03:00 AM

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Mhair Orchanian

North Hollywood, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Barbara Joachim to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Bjoachim

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Barbara Joachim

Castroville, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Paula Smith to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pas_1953

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Paula Smith

San Antonio, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 M J Greene to: IndependentSpending Please respond to m.j.greene

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M J Greene

Studio City, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Angel GUEVARA to: IndependentSpending Please respond to angel.guevara

10/26/2015 04:52 AM

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Angel GUEVARA

Girona (Spain), ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 E Arn to: IndependentSpending Please respond to eric.arn

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E Arn

Clermont, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gail Jackson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to billgail.hi

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Gail Jackson

Waikoloa, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dan Behl to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Dmb 193

10/26/2015 05:59 AM

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Dan Behl

Glen Mills, PA

10/26/2015 06:59 AM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 SSgt John P. Farrar, USMC, Ret. To: IndependentSpending Please respond to bintern

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SSgt John P. Farrar, USMC, Ret.

Erie, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to michaeljohnson 4175

10/26/2015 07:24 AM

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Michael Johnson

Springfield, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Gerald Strickland to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gerald.strickland

10/26/2015 07:27 AM

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Gerald Strickland

Stuart, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David & Nina Mercantini to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dm8525

10/26/2015 08:02 AM

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David & Nina Mercantini

bordentown, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 connie woodring to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cmann 325

10/26/2015 08:09 AM

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connie woodring

center valley, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dawn R. Casper to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dawnrcasper

10/26/2015 08:12 AM

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Dawn R. Casper

Madison, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Angela Pineiro to: IndependentSpending Please respond to angpin

10/26/2015 08:16 AM

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Angela Pineiro

Metuchen, NJ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 chris muntel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cemuntel

10/26/2015 08:23 AM

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chris muntel

raleigh, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chris Callahan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to chris.leather.callahan

10/26/2015 08:33 AM

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Chris Callahan

Bozeman, MT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dana Winikates to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dana.winikates

10/26/2015 08:57 AM

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Dana Winikates

Boston, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 elio rocha to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rockyrocha 1976

10/26/2015 09:17 AM

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elio rocha

tampa, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jon Williams to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sponkey

10/26/2015 09:27 AM

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Jon Williams

Cheshire, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Vicky Matsui to: IndependentSpending Please respond to vickymatsui

10/26/2015 09:28 AM

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Vicky Matsui

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ozell Murray to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ozellm1

10/26/2015 09:43 AM

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Ozell Murray

Lauderhill, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Emily Smith to: IndependentSpending Please respond to emilyjoansmith

10/26/2015 09:48 AM

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Emily Smith

Minneapolis, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Wendi Cohen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to wcohen

10/26/2015 10:00 AM

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Wendi Cohen

Ossining, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 S. Kessler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to skessler 357

10/26/2015 10:19 AM

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S. Kessler

Carmel, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carol Elliott to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carolwelliott

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Carol Elliott

Hillsborough, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chris Dresser to: IndependentSpending Please respond to tocador 1123

10/26/2015 10:33 AM

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Chris Dresser

Clearwater, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joseph A Frisina to: IndependentSpending Please respond to waterhook

10/26/2015 10:35 AM

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Joseph A Frisina

Bradford, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Harvey Wiley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hwiley

10/26/2015 10:40 AM

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Harvey Wiley

Davenport, IA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Lee to: IndependentSpending Please respond to handidave

10/26/2015 10:55 AM

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David Lee

Bradford, ot



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Judith Burke to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jiob

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Judith Burke

Branford, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marilyn Borich to: IndependentSpending Please respond to borichb

10/26/2015 11:03 AM

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Marilyn Borich

Duluth, MN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Julie Viergutz to: IndependentSpending Please respond to drvjsv

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Julie Viergutz

Parma, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Kent Sakoda to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sakoda

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Kent Sakoda

Honolulu, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Charles Thompson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cdtpetitions 1

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Charles Thompson

Olympia, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Dantin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to madantin

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Mary Dantin

White Plains, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ed Goodstein to: IndependentSpending Please respond to egoodfood

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Ed Goodstein

Malden, MA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 stephen armstrong to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sarmstrong_5

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stephen armstrong

brooklyn, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 David Larson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to crusty 95

10/26/2015 11:53 AM

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David Larson

Oxford, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 debra pombo to: IndependentSpending Please respond to pdebbie 08

10/26/2015 12:02 PM

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debra pombo

Foresthill, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 edward lisbe to: IndependentSpending Please respond to edwardlisbe

10/26/2015 12:03 PM

Undisclosed election spending is absurd. A close second would be the coordination between super PACs and candidates. This must stop. THANK YOU.

edward lisbe

ithaca, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeannine Jacobs to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jeannine

10/26/2015 12:11 PM

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Not only church and state should be separated, but corporations and the Commonwealth should be separated! Who pays the bills for our government? We do! Who was intended to vote and have one vote per entity? We were? Corporations not only leech huge funding for trade losses and R&D, but they hide their profits offshore and contribute little, these days. Even in the face of their ongoing wars to protect their interests, they shrink from paying for this. Enough! The public deserves better. Enough!

Jeannine Jacobs

Cambria, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Robert Walsh to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bob.walsh

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Robert Walsh

Cupertino, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dominique Nyren to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kula_girl

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Dominique Nyren

BROOKLYN, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Fred Lavy to: IndependentSpending Please respond to fred-cheryl

10/26/2015 12:33 PM

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Fred Lavy

Harrisonburg, VA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nancy Sienknecht to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nancylove 50

10/26/2015 12:47 PM

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Nancy Sienknecht

Charleston, SC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Karl von Rabenau to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kvonrabenau

10/26/2015 12:50 PM

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Karl von Rabenau

Milwaukee, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 silvana borrelli to: IndependentSpending Please respond to silbor 13

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silvana borrelli

Bala Cynwyd, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eric White to: IndependentSpending Please respond to utopiansnucka

10/26/2015 01:00 PM

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Eric White

Clifton Park, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Leonard van Gendt to: IndependentSpending Please respond to leonardvangendt

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Leonard van Gendt

Georgetown, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 William Pittman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bpbc 73

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William Pittman

Alcoa, TN



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Comment re: REG 2015-04 Roberta Cook to: IndependentSpending Please respond to robertajo.cook

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Roberta Cook

MABLETON, GA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Leah Popp to: IndependentSpending Please respond to leahpopp

10/26/2015 01:19 PM

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It is beyond me why the Commission has done nothing to protect the American public and insure that all is right and above board with the election processes, which it clearly is not. Please do your job and investigate the ongoing collusion with super PACs and the candidates that they support, among other issues.

Leah Popp

Santa Fe, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Don Pickett to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dpickettny

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Don Pickett

New York, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Remy Gessinger to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Remyloo

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Remy Gessinger

Oceanside, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Stephanie Jackel to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sjackel

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Stephanie Jackel

Vista, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Julia King to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gem 2

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Julia King

London, AR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Helen Newman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to helen.newman2

10/26/2015 02:02 PM

What is going on with you???? You are behaving like a bunch of children making new "rules" to suit your own needs on the playground! Shame on you for such behavior. You need a 'time out' to think about the consequences of your behavior on the overall health and strength of the US...

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Helen Newman

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Darren Struble to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ewigen frieden

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Darren Struble

Gunnison, CO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 mark lohnes to: IndependentSpending Please respond to akmalohnes

10/26/2015 02:30 PM

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mark lohnes

skagway, AK



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Teresa Koschmeder to: IndependentSpending Please respond to koschmeder

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Teresa Koschmeder

Lawrenceburg, IN



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Rayzel Raphael

MElrose Park, PA



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Elizabeth Robbins

Lyndonville, VT



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David Luff

ventura, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sylvia Valencia to: IndependentSpending Please respond to kingsmen 13

10/26/2015 02:52 PM

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Sylvia Valencia

Las Vegas, NV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lillian Graziano to: IndependentSpending Please respond to godmommie

10/26/2015 03:00 PM

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Lillian Graziano

Coram, NY



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Martin j King n

Delray Beach, FL



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10/26/2015 03:10 PM

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Laura Kiholm

Mesa, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ariane Goodwin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to agoodwin 222

10/26/2015 03:11 PM

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Ariane Goodwin

Millers Falls, MA



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Rev. Maurice Hagen

Rochester, MN



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Anisha Smith

Cambridge, MA



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10/26/2015 03:42 PM

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Jamie Burks

Wyndmoor, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John King to: IndependentSpending Please respond to martiking 100

10/26/2015 03:54 PM

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John King

Ormond Beach, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lelia Amalfitano to: IndependentSpending Please respond to amalloyd

10/26/2015 03:57 PM

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Lelia Amalfitano

Boston, MA



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nancy kasperzak

benzonia, MI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Donald Moeser to: IndependentSpending Please respond to donaldmoeser

10/26/2015 04:03 PM

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Donald Moeser

Portsmouth, OH



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rachel Kelley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rachelbernota

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Rachel Kelley

Santa Monica, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Dee Kramer to: IndependentSpending Please respond to catboxtree

10/26/2015 04:18 PM

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Dee Kramer

belleville, IL



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Monique Manning-Jones

Indianapolis, IN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Otmar Jonas to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Cruising

10/26/2015 04:41 PM

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Otmar Jonas

Gladstone, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jeanne Passarelli to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jeannepassarelli

10/26/2015 04:50 PM

I don't think the Chinese, or people from any other country should be able to buy our elected officials. That goes for corporations, too. American citizens should be the only "persons" that get to elect those who are going to govern us.

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Jeanne Passarelli

Apollo, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Diane Black to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dianeblack 54

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Diane Black

Houston, TX



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Kirsten prufer

baton rouge, LA



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Virginia Brisley

New Orleans, LA



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Kristin Jackson

Albuquerque, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marilyn Davis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to amma

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Marilyn Davis

Evanston, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ed Perry to: IndependentSpending Please respond to edpgsa

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Ed Perry

New Braunfels, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Scott Calvin to: IndependentSpending Please respond to swcalvin

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Scott Calvin

Cape Girardeau, MO



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Julian Bose

Portland, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rob Fursich to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rof9038

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Rob Fursich

hartsdale, NY



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John Renfrew

Marquette, MI



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yasmin solomon

gualala, CA



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When corporation start giving blood to the blood banks, then I'll start believing they are human beings!

Allen Terrill

Huntingdon, PA



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Maren Keener

Helena, MT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Carol Booth to: IndependentSpending Please respond to carolleebooth

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Carol Booth

Madison, WI



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C. Groff

Granville, NY



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Father William Connor

Long Beach, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Yolanda S Broad to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ybroad 1326

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Yolanda S Broad

Indiana, PA



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Norb Studelska

Grafton, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sara Curran to: IndependentSpending Please respond to Sara.r.curran

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Sara Curran

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Joseph Gray to: IndependentSpending Please respond to JoeGrayCanDo

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Joseph Gray

Kansas City, MO



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Richard Gray

Chicago, IL



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Laurel Spruill

St. Petersburg, FL



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Nancy Forbord

Oakland, CA



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Diane Reus

New Smyrna Beach, FL



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Fujiko Yamashita

Marina del Rey, CA



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Cheryl Dzubak

Yardville, NJ



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schenectady, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 m mogavero to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mjm 3009

10/26/2015 07:55 PM

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m mogavero

schdy, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 doug raszewski to: IndependentSpending Please respond to raszew

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doug raszewski

pittsburgh, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eila Kokkinen to: IndependentSpending Please respond to eilakokkinen 1

10/26/2015 08:06 PM

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Eila Kokkinen

Saugerties, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Anne Cheng to: IndependentSpending Please respond to annekcheng

10/26/2015 08:12 PM

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Anne Cheng

Stamford, CT



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Harper to: IndependentSpending Please respond to harp 527

10/26/2015 08:17 PM

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John Harper

south daytona, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Debra deLuis to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ddeluis

10/26/2015 08:28 PM

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Since it is early in this election cycle, now is the time to act.

Debra deLuis

Lihue, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ronald Rockwell to: IndependentSpending Please respond to phinndog 25

10/26/2015 08:33 PM

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Ronald Rockwell

rochester, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Sixto Acosta to: IndependentSpending Please respond to sixtoacostajr

10/26/2015 08:36 PM

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Sixto Acosta

Bronx, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Amanda Melrood to: IndependentSpending Please respond to aevens 87

10/26/2015 09:01 PM

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Amanda Melrood

Milwaukee, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Amrita Burdick to: IndependentSpending Please respond to burdickaj

10/26/2015 09:30 PM

Commissioner Weintraum is right in saying that Citizens United has made it more difficult to stop foreign money from influencing U.S. elections.

I am astounded to hear a "decision" that FEC commissioners are *not* people and cannot protest laws that make corporations people with infinite rights! This is ludicrous. Perhaps the human race simply no longer exists???

It's time to stop the baloney and begin working for the people of this country rather than for special interests. The FEC needs to strengthen the rules against foreign nationals injecting hidden money into U.S. elections, and in addition, it should require full disclosure of political spending and prevent candidates from coordinating with super PACs.

Amrita Burdick

Kansas City, MO



Comment re: REG 2015-04 C.J. Livingston to: IndependentSpending Please respond to cilivingston

10/26/2015 09:35 PM

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C.J. Livingston

Seattle, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Belinda Moran to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mindenbelle

10/26/2015 09:42 PM

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Belinda Moran

GARDNERVILLE, NV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marcie Brushaber to: IndependentSpending Please respond to marcie_elaine

10/26/2015 09:46 PM

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Marcie Brushaber

Reyno, AR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ryan Nestler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rkspooky 91

10/26/2015 09:49 PM

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Ryan Nestler

Pecatonica, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Brian Willey to: IndependentSpending Please respond to junkwilley

10/26/2015 09:50 PM

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Brian Willey

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Rebecca Traub to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rmtraub

10/26/2015 09:57 PM

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Rebecca Traub

Brooklyn, NY



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Romalda Allsup

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Neil Quarles to: IndependentSpending Please respond to neilquarles

10/26/2015 10:05 PM

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Neil Quarles

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Owen Hoey to: IndependentSpending Please respond to hoey.owen

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Owen Hoey

Bristol, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Marya Friedman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mfriedman

10/26/2015 10:27 PM

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Marya Friedman

New York, NY



Combat Citizens United Corruption -- Comment re: REG 2015-04 Chris Lish to: IndependentSpending@fec.gov 10 Please respond to Chris Lish

10/26/2015 10:48 PM

Monday, October 26, 2015

Federal Election Commission Attn.: Amy L. Rothstein Assistant General Counsel 999 E Street NW. Washington, DC 20463

Subject: Combat Citizens United Corruption -- Rulemaking Petition: Independent Spending by Corporations, Labor Organizations, Foreign Nationals, and Certain Political Committees (Citizens United) (REG 2015-04)

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Thank you for your consideration of my comments. Please do NOT add my name to your mailing list. I will learn about future developments on this issue from other sources.

Sincerely, Christopher Lish Olema, CA 94950



Comment re: REG 2015-04 J Johnson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jonsonimo

10/26/2015 10:55 PM

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J Johnson

Battle Ground, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Matthew Brown to: IndependentSpending Please respond to matt

10/26/2015 10:56 PM

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Matthew Brown

Brooklyn, NY



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Debra Walser

Madison, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jinah Kim to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jkim.act

10/26/2015 11:14 PM

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Jinah Kim

Flushing, NY



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Luanne Mierow to: IndependentSpending Please respond to rm 843575

10/26/2015 11:21 PM

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Luanne Mierow

Beavercreek, OR



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Lynn Lytton to: IndependentSpending Please respond to lylytton

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Lynn Lytton

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Patricia Jean Hedrick Young to: IndependentSpending Please respond to drpjhyoung

10/26/2015 11:31 PM

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Patricia Jean Hedrick Young

VALLEY GROVE, WV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Margaret Goodman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to messgwg

10/26/2015 11:33 PM

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Margaret Goodman

Glen Mills, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Patsy Lowe to: IndependentSpending Please respond to patsylowe

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DEMOCRACY. I KNOW WHAT YOU ARE DOING; THERE WILL BE MORE ELECTION THEFT IN THI UNITED STATES. I THINK PUNISHING YOU IN SOME WAY SHOULD OCCUR. YOU ARE TERRIBLE CITIZENS OF THIS BENIGHTED COUNTRY. I DISLIKE YOU INTENSELY.

Patsy Lowe

Simi Valley, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Kohler to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jkohler 217

10/26/2015 11:55 PM

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John Kohler

Daly City, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Gorman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bayfieldmike 2

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Michael Gorman

Washburn, WI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Daniel McGill to: IndependentSpending Please respond to redrockraven

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Daniel McGill

Santa Maria, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 dave popoff to: IndependentSpending Please respond to douks 77

10/27/2015 12:11 AM

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dave popoff

colville, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Javier Del Valle to: IndependentSpending Please respond to jdelvalle

10/27/2015 12:20 AM

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Javier Del Valle

Montebello, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Michael Turner to: IndependentSpending Please respond to mikederryckt

10/27/2015 12:36 AM

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Michael Turner

BOTHELL, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Alvin Vaughan to: IndependentSpending Please respond to gyaughan 1

10/27/2015 01:07 AM

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Alvin Vaughan

Peoria, AZ



Comment re: REG 2015-04 robert weed to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bw-48

10/27/2015 01:11 AM

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robert weed

sedro woolley, WA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Shannon Twist to: IndependentSpending Please respond to shannon.steele83

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Shannon Twist

Austin, TX



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Nathan Coles to: IndependentSpending Please respond to nwcoles

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Nathan Coles

Brentwood, TN



Comment re: REG 2015-04 martin joye to: IndependentSpending Please respond to m.joye

10/27/2015 03:31 AM

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martin joye

Davis, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Mary Montaldo to: IndependentSpending Please respond to maryeliselake

10/27/2015 04:05 AM

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Mary Montaldo

San Jose, CA



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10/27/2015 04:09 AM

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thing for the 4000 or the over 3000 who died in the World Trade Center. In actuality I am actually quite concerned about foreign money. After all, Isis has an awful lot of money and I bet they wouldn't hesitate to bait us into yet another war.

Suzanne Plasman

Hollywood, FL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Yolanda Clay to: IndependentSpending Please respond to yolanda -clay

10/27/2015 04:19 AM

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Yolanda Clay

Kailua-Kona, HI



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Adam Dunham to: IndependentSpending Please respond to dunham.a.t

10/27/2015 06:51 AM

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Adam Dunham

Millerton, PA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Greg Chapman to: IndependentSpending Please respond to fritzfroth

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Greg Chapman

Batavia, IL



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Eleanor Thompson to: IndependentSpending Please respond to erthompson 11

10/27/2015 07:52 AM

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Eleanor Thompson

Newport, NH



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Maryann Fink

Henderson, NV



Comment re: REG 2015-04 F. Miller to: IndependentSpending Please respond to bradmill

10/27/2015 08:19 AM

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F. Miller

San Jose, CA



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Jane Oakley to: IndependentSpending Please respond to ladyjaneoakley

10/27/2015 08:23 AM

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Jane Oakley

Bald Head Island, NC



Comment re: REG 2015-04 John Stevens to: IndependentSpending Please respond to thndrheart

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John Stevens

Albuquerque, NM



Comment re: REG 2015-04 Ruben Martinez to: IndependentSpending Please respond to neburzenitram

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Ruben Martinez

Austin, TX



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Veronice Plewinski

Reading, PA



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Adam Mason

Des Moines, IA



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Paul-Matthieu Coste

Jamestown, RI



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Ty Moon

Greensboro, NC