

# Hawley Introduces Bill to Keep Corporate America's Dollars Out of U.S. Politics

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Today U.S. Senator Josh Hawley (R-Mo.) introduced the *Ending Corporate Influence on Elections Act* to get corporate money out of American politics and dramatically cut back on publicly traded corporations' ability to influence elections. Senator Hawley's bill will begin to **undo** the Supreme Court's 2010 decision in *Citizens United v. FEC*.

"For decades, Corporate America has funneled billions of dollars into elections in favor of politicians who favor their woke, social agendas—instead of American voters' interests. This legislation would hold mega-corporations' feet to the fire and stop their dollars from buying our elections," **said Senator Hawley**.

The *Ending Corporate Influence on Elections Act* would:

- Ban publicly traded corporations from making independent expenditures, political ads, or other electioneering communications.
- Ban publicly traded companies from giving money to Super PACs.

Read the full bill text [here](#).

Senator Hawley's new legislation is part of his larger agenda to hold Corporate America accountable for drowning out the voices of the American people:

In September, Senator Hawley introduced legislation to **cap credit card interest rates** at 18 percent and bring relief to working people across America.

Last month Senator Hawley also **visited with workers on strike** at the General Motors plant in Wentzville, Mo., to stand with them and support American jobs.

In May, Senator Hawley introduced legislation to **raise tariffs on imports from China** until the United States' unsustainable bilateral trade deficit comes into balance.

In April, he unveiled two bills to crack down on **Big Pharma's exploitative drug prices** and **cap the cost of insulin**.

In December 2022, Senator Hawley stood with and voted to **support rail workers** as they sought a fair deal with sick leave.

In April 2021, Senator Hawley introduced legislation to **break up Big Tech companies** seeking to dominate multiple industries simultaneously. More on his efforts to fight back against mega-corporations' growing influence in America can be found on his **website**.

## Issues

**Big Pharma and Opioids**

**Big Tech**

**China**

**Health Care**

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