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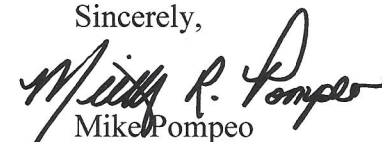
Dear Friend:

Did you know it takes Americans 6.1 *billion* hours every year to prepare their taxes? We need to simplify the tax system and make it fairer for all Americans. The status quo is simply unacceptable.

Our current system is broken. The taxes are too high. The tax code picks winners and losers based on the preferences of Washington politicians. It manipulates our behaviors instead of letting us choose the products and services we want in a free market. We need a system that is simpler, fairer, and freer for all Americans.

That is why I'm an original cosponsor of H.R. 25, Rep. Rob Woodall's (R-GA) FairTax Act of 2015. In place of the federal income tax, the Fair Tax would implement a consumption-based national sales tax. This would stimulate innovation and grow American manufacturing, strengthen the US economy, and lower the tax burden. The Fair Tax Act would be a welcome change to our nation's current tax system.

Sincerely,

  
Mike Pompeo  
Member of Congress