

Ending the Estate Tax means \$72 billion less each year for the next generation

When it comes to taxes and our children's security, it's common sense.

Mainers understand that if you cut \$72 billion a year in revenue by repealing the estate tax, working people's taxes will have to go up, or benefits and services like Social Security, Medicare, education and defense may be cut for us and our kids. And Mainers understand that slashing the estate tax rate means slashing the revenue from the estate tax.

That's why Americans are strongly in favor of preserving or modestly reforming the estate tax. In 2006 each person can pass on \$2 million tax-free.

This protects small businesses and family farms, while looking after our friends and neighbors who may need a helping hand.

Call Senator Olympia Snowe at: 800-404-5865

and Senator Susan Collins at: 800-510-3629

ASK THEM TO VOTE: NO on estate tax repeal, and YES for responsible reform.

For specifics on estate tax reform or to join the campaign for a responsible estate tax:

Visit: www.FairEconomy.org/estate
Call: 800-564-6833



As civic and political leaders, business owners, farmers, wealthy folks and working people, we support estate tax reform.

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