

RESOLUTION

NUMBER 104-12

(TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES)

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court of the United States in the United Citizens Decision allowed the flow of corporate monies into national political campaigns; and

WHEREAS, this influx of monies may distort the political process; and

WHEREAS, it may be appropriate for Congress to intervene by proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States that would revise the present funding of political campaigns; and

WHEREAS, members of the Town Board feel that this is an issue that Congress should address by proposing a Constitutional Amendment and submitting the same to the states for ratification; and

WHEREAS, through the ratification process the citizens of the individual states would have the ability to influence their legislatures with respect to their feelings on this matter;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board does hereby request that the Congress of the United States consider proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States to counteract the effects of the Citizens United Decision of the Supreme Court of the United States.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD
OF THE TOWN OF CORTLANDT
JO-ANN DYCKMAN, TOWN CLERK

Adopted April 17, 2012
At a Regular Meeting
Held at Town Hall

Certified Copy
10/29/14 Date


Town Clerk and Registrar