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- Where did the stimulus money go?
- Unfair tax system. Support a Fair tax or flat tax. So many people are not paying taxes.
- Support Arizona action to stem illegal immigration. We need Federal action on this issue. Employers who knowingly hire illegal immigrants should be held accountable.
- Wants to stop federal funding of legal services.
- Debt is a concern. What action can citizens take to make a difference?
- Congress is pushing new bills and laws. We don't need new laws; we should repeal and fix existing laws. We should have stand alone bills. Do not tie together things that are not related.

-Most people want the health care bill repealed or Congress should refuse to fund it.

-Debt is out of control. The borrower is the slave of the lender. Other countries have too much leverage over the US.

-US should stop funding the IMF.

-Terrorists are taking advantage of the US. Foreign students should not be educated in the US at our expense.

-Concerned about Cap & Trade. This will increase cost of energy for people struggling to pay their bills. Government needs to be listening to the people.

-How much time are Members of Congress spending getting re-elected?

-Line item veto would give any president power to hold the Congress accountable for sending stand-alone bills.

-Whatever we tolerate we validate. Will we wait 10 years for the debt to continue to grow before it's dealt with?

-Providing for our Military should be our top priority. They provide for our freedom.

-Support term limits.

-Citizens feel uninformed and out of touch. Voting record should be easy to access. This should be on members' web sites. Should state how member voted and why.

-Leadership (Speaker of the House, Senate Majority Leader) restricts messages to their own constituents. If they are acting as leader, then all Americans should be able to voice their opinion.

-Does Congress have oversight over presidential "Czars"? Can Congress take action through the budget process?

-Encourage other politicians to do this type of event.

-Youcut.com has had server problems

-Recent veterans returning from war often have PTSD and other non-visible injuries. VA doesn't provide guidance to those who serve vets in education (i.e. community college staff and faculty) to better understand these needs and issues.

-Wants to see freeze on executive branch staff salaries.