



The Property Rights Action Caucus is proud to welcome our newest member Rep. Walter Jones.

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[New Independent Legal Analysis of California's Prop. 99 Exposes Fatal Flaws](#) (PR Newswire-4/17/08)



Today, proponents of Proposition 98 announced new evidence that a competing eminent domain ballot measure, Proposition 99, will do next to nothing to protect homeowners from eminent domain abuse. Proposition 99 includes a major loophole that will allow public agencies to continue to forcibly seize owner occupied homes for the benefit of wealthy and politically connected developers even if the measure wins voter approval.

According to the Institute for Justice (IJ), an independent non-profit organization that represented Susette Kelo before the U.S. Supreme Court, public agencies could circumvent Prop. 99's purported homeowner protections by merely rezoning residential neighborhoods for business use.

www.foxbusiness.com/article/new-independent-legal-analysis-californias-prop-99-exposes-fatal-flaws_568400_1.html

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[Sportsmen: Beware the Clean Water Restoration Act Conservationists, Boaters, Fishermen, Hunters, Users of All-Terrain Vehicles and Others Could See Activities Restricted by Oberstar/Feingold Measure](#)

"The study shows that under the Clean Water Restoration Act, a wide array of outdoor activities, including habitat creation and conservation, could be heavily regulated or restricted," said David Ridenour, vice president of the National Center for Public Policy Research, which released the study. "Hunters could be required to obtain costly permits under CWRA, and could be cited as 'polluters' for firing shot. Boaters would likely find the construction and repair of fishing piers and boat docks receiving enhanced scrutiny from the federal government. Fishermen risk losing access to some of their favorite rivers and streams. Other outdoor sportsmen could find their activities constrained."

www.nationalcenter.org/NPA567.html

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[JOIN THE PROPERTY RIGHTS ACTION CAUCUS!!!](#)

I invite you all to join the new Property Rights Action Caucus for weekly information & for defending these rights. Our liberties are only as secure as our property rights.

We will examine: eminent domain, federal government property ownership, downloading of multimedia, the Endangered Species Act, patent reform, pharmaceutical issues, compulsory licensing, the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) & all issues of land and intellectual property.

Please contact Stephen Kraly at 202-225-4101 or stephen.kraly@mail.house.gov for membership and info.

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[Event Notice: IPI's Third Annual World Intellectual Property Day Event](#)



Thursday,
4/24/08
9AM-2PM
Reserve Officers
Association
Headquarters
Minuteman
Memorial Building
Minuteman
Ballroom, 5th Floor
One Constitution Ave NE,
Washington DC 20002

*A complimentary lunch will be provided

Seating is limited- please register today to confirm your participation
RSVP: Erin Humiston
(972) 874-5139 or erin@ipi.org

*Please note the invitation you should have received regarding this event.

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[Movie Notice: Illicit: The Dark Trade](#)

Join undercover agents and slip into the shadowy web of illicit trade, where dangerous multi-billion dollar criminal networks threaten whole sectors of the world economy. Illicit: The Dark Trade travels the globe to expose the dire consequences of this dirty industry: money laundering, political corruption, and the subversion of entire governments. From knock-off handbags to bootlegged compact discs to fake pharmaceuticals, this hard-hitting special reveals how consumers' insatiable demand for counterfeit merchandise has given birth to a vast criminal system.

Based on the bestselling book "Illicit" by Dr. Moises Naim, acclaimed editor of Foreign Policy magazine.

<http://www.nationalgeographic.com/illicittrade/>

For more information on the Property Rights Action Caucus, please visit <http://broun.house.gov/prac>. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Caucus please contact Stephen Kraly at 202.225.4101 or Stephen.Kraly@mail.house.gov.