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Dear Mr. Buffett:

I have an idea that will change the world.

Our current political landscape is toxic. The people are not engaged in the laws and policies that affect their lives and legislators are not engaged with their constituents. Every two years, America wakes up and votes. After voting, people forget about the actual laws that govern them. I want to change that with an idea that is simple, informs all Americans and encourages their civic engagement.

Sometimes we forget, America is a republic not a democracy. Unfortunately, we only concern ourselves with who gets elected and not what they do with their time given to serve.

America votes for the candidate that aligns themselves with the appropriate talking points to get elected. There exists no cheat sheet providing information about which candidate used their time to represent their voter's interests. The next election, the cycle repeats reelecting candidates who often voted for bills that hurt the very people who elected them.

The idea is to open a dialog between the governed and those who serve at the pleasure of the people. The solution is as simple as an email that encourages everyday people to be involved in the ongoing political process by providing information. As bills are introduced, constituents will be provided with brief, non-biased information. Everyday people will select "for" or "against". At election time, a report will be provided with the results of how the politician actually voted and how it compared with the constituents wishes and the wishes of their peers.

Mr. Buffett, you have been successful with the help of the people around you. We need your help to connect with those successful people who have done the impossible before. To affect change, this idea must reach critical mass. Legislators will not value the comments of few people, it must be a majority of the populous engaged to make the current establishment take notice. Success will require marketing, public awareness and infrastructure and that will require hundreds of millions of dollars.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter. There is a better future, and it is attainable with the resources and passion of the right people. I am writing to you because you are a patriot and together we can change the future of humanity. As citizens, we have a responsibility to try to do better.

Next, please allow me to present my idea to you in person.

Have a nice day,

Chris Swinefurth