

## Political Equality and Campaign Cash: *Should the Supreme Court Uphold Campaign Spending Limits?*

Tuesday, October 25, 2005, at 2:00 – 5:00 pm  
Butler Board Room, American University  
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Co-sponsored by American University's Center for Democracy and Election Management, AU Washington College of Law's Program on Law and Government, the National Voting Rights Institute, and U.S. PIRG

### **Panel I:** *The Legal Arguments For and Against the Vermont Campaign Spending Limits Law*

- **John Bonifaz**, Founder and General Counsel, National Voting Rights Institute, Co-counsel for intervenors in defense of the Vermont law
- **James Bopp Jr.**, General Counsel, James Madison Center for Free Speech, Co-counsel for plaintiffs challenging the Vermont law
- Moderated by **Charles Lane**, Washington Post

### **Panel II:** *The Broader Implications of the Supreme Court's Review of the Vermont Cases*

- **Cleta Mitchell**, Partner, Foley & Lardner LLP
- **Chellie Pingree**, President and CEO, Common Cause
- **Jamin Raskin**, Professor of Law, AU Washington College of Law, Co-director of WCL's Program on Law and Government
- **Bradley Smith**, former Chairman, Federal Election Commission
- Moderated by **Juan Williams**, National Public Radio

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