

Dear Fellow Democrat:

As you know, the Republicans have launched a high-priced and deceptive media campaign aimed at misleading the American public in an effort to gain additional seats in Congress. The money used for this endeavor has come from the beneficiaries of the Reagan Administration's policies--Powerful Corporations and the Very Rich.

Those of us who deal with the day-to-day problems confronting Massachusetts citizens--record levels of unemployment, high interest rates, inflation, and more small businesses going bankrupt each week than even during the Great Depression--know that the Administration's promise that prosperity is just around the corner is simply not true. The prosperity the Administration promises will never arrive if it insists on pursuing its current disastrous policies.

For this reason, I am seeking the support of people like yourself who believe--as do I--that governmental policies should benefit all people, and not just the very wealthy.

During the next several months I will be campaigning throughout the Ninth District. You can be of great assistance to me by simply informing me of any functions in your area that you believe it would be beneficial for me to attend. Please contact me or a member of my campaign staff at the address or telephone number listed on this letter.

Your cooperation is deeply appreciated. I am looking forward to meeting with you and spending time in your area.

Sincerely,

John Joseph Moakley  
Member of Congress

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