

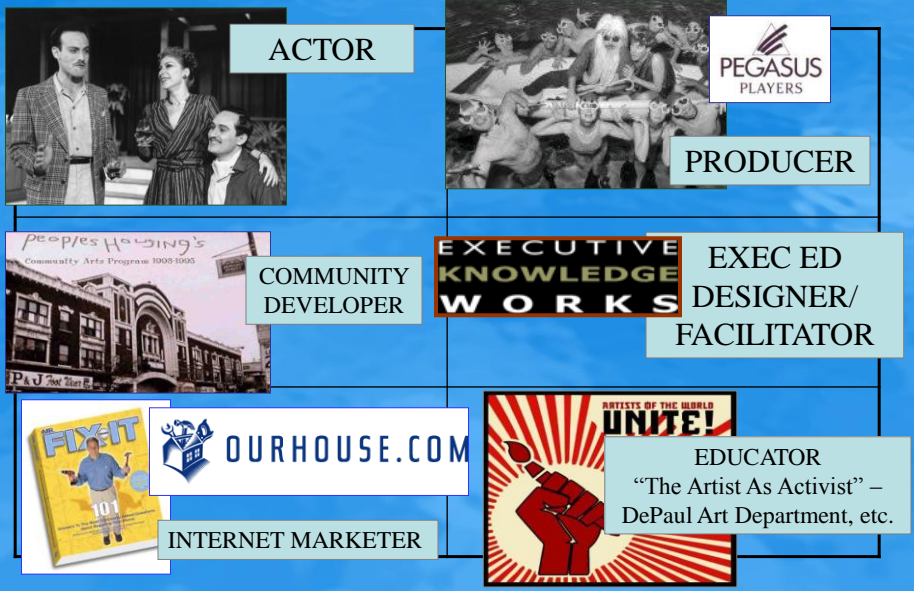


Connecting The Dots - Privatization is the Symptom, Not the Cure

February 3, 2012



Tom's background...



Recent Civic Projects





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Clerk's staff bankrolls party

County aide suspended in probe of contracts

Patronage thriving, county told

Stroger fires cousin over hiring scandal

DEALS KEEP SEWAGE BOSS FLUSH

Public defender: Stroger gave me unqualified workers



Tom's Teaching Work

"Got Creativity? Strategies & Tools for the Next Economy"	Stuart School of Business, IIT
"Strategies & Tools for the Social Change Agent"	Stuart School of Business, IIT
"Nonprofit management"	Loyola University Graduate School of Social Work
"Introduction to the Creative Economy"	The Polymath Foundation
"The Artist as Activist"	Loyola Theater Department DePaul Art Department
"Acting Up – Using Theater & Technology for Social Change"	DePaul School for New Learning
"Tools & Techniques for Creative Leaders"	Illinois Institute of Technology
"Who's Lying To You Now?" (media literacy & critical thinking)	DePaul School for New Learning. Illinois Institute of Technology
"The Art of Crossing the Street – the Artist as Citizen"	The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
"Nonprofits & Social Change"	DePaul Peace & Social Justice Program
"The Politics of Creativity"	DePaul Political Science Department

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Report: Games cost Vancouver half a billion dollars

by BOB MACKIN, QMI AGENCY

Last Updated: April 16, 2010 11:22am

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And that does NOT count \$1 billion tab from Olympic village!

The report raised eyebrows Friday.

We looked great before the world, we have a lot of... those investments... Meggs. "Could we have gotten the same thing for a... many cases... \$299.8 million for civic infrastructure at the Olympic... not the \$960... rescue developer Millennium.

Olympic operations cost \$61 million, but the city's net... overspent its \$20 million Olympic reserve fund by \$2.5 million because of public... lighting. Taxpayers lost \$1.5 million in parking revenue because of Olympic lane parking ban... t cost \$2.5 million to redeploy 485 civic workers to event... ing, protocol and emergency operations.

The gross cost of the Games was actually \$729.2 million. Federal and B.C. governments kicked in nearly \$175

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London 2012 could cost £20billion... TEN times original budget, ex-Olympics chief predicts

By MICHEAL LEA

ORIGINAL BUDGET IN BID WAS 2.4 BILLION POUNDS!


The London Olympics could leave taxpayers facing a final bill of £20billion ? ten times the original budget, the man once charged with staging the Games claimed yesterday.


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<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-558211/London-2012-cost-20billion--TEN-times-original-budget-ex-Olympics-chief-predicts.html>

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Richard Norment,
Executive Director, The National Council for Public-Private Partnerships



Sectors Where PPPs Have Been Used

THE EXPERIENCE IS TRANSFERABLE

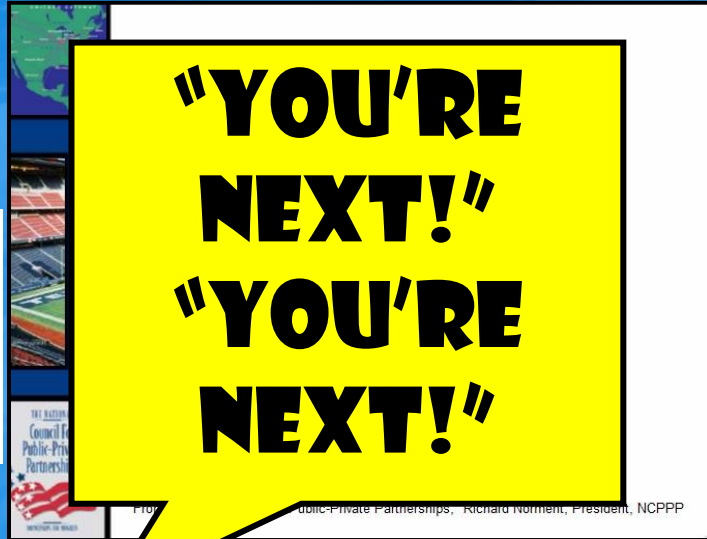
“Lessons learned from one . . .”

- Social Infrastructure
- Transportation
- Water/Wastewater
- Energy
- Financial Management
- Social Services

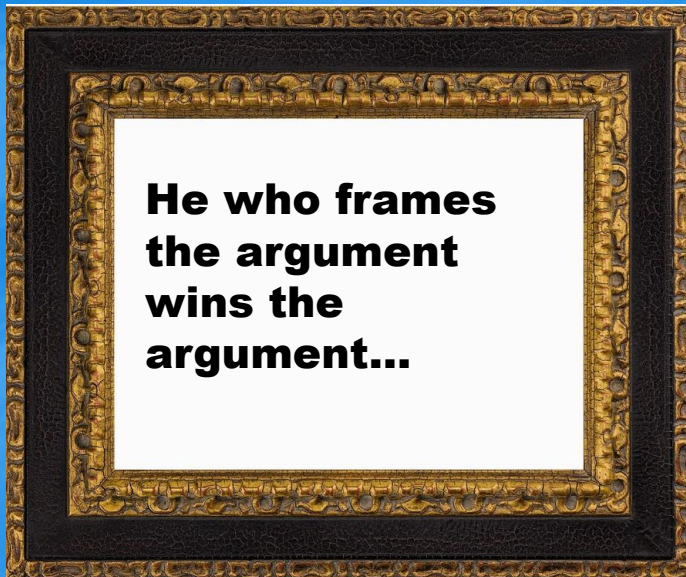
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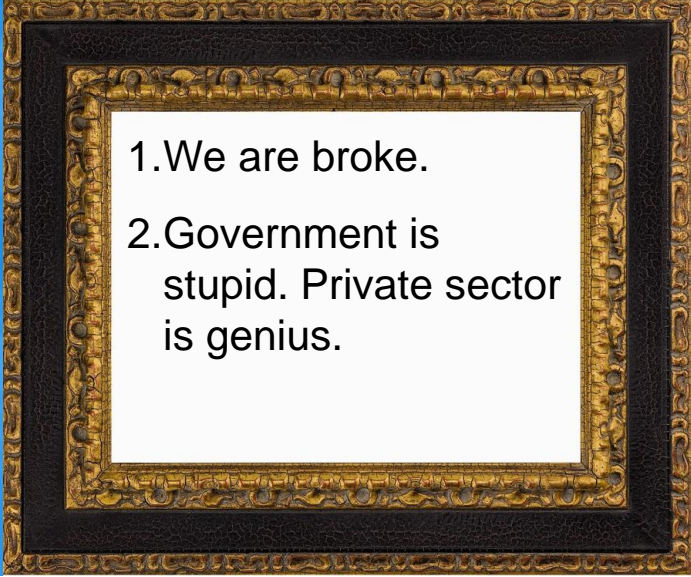
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The Frame for Privatization



The Frame for Privatization

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1. We are broke.
 2. Government is stupid. Private sector is genius.

The Frame for Privatization



Therefore...

If you (Ms. Citizen) want anything new or improved from government, we need to turn to the private sector.

NEWS Flash!

Privatization = Profitization

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U. of C. professor argues privatization of public assets just like borrowing money

July 22, 2011 | Ameet Sachdev's Chicago Law

Mayor **Rahm Emanuel** may want to update his summer reading list with an article by a law professor at the University of Chicago.

The paper is not light summer reading by any stretch. Rather, its publication in the June issue of the Minnesota Law Review is timely.

<http://www.minnesotalawreview.org/articles/privati>

Article

Privatization and the Sale of Tax Revenues

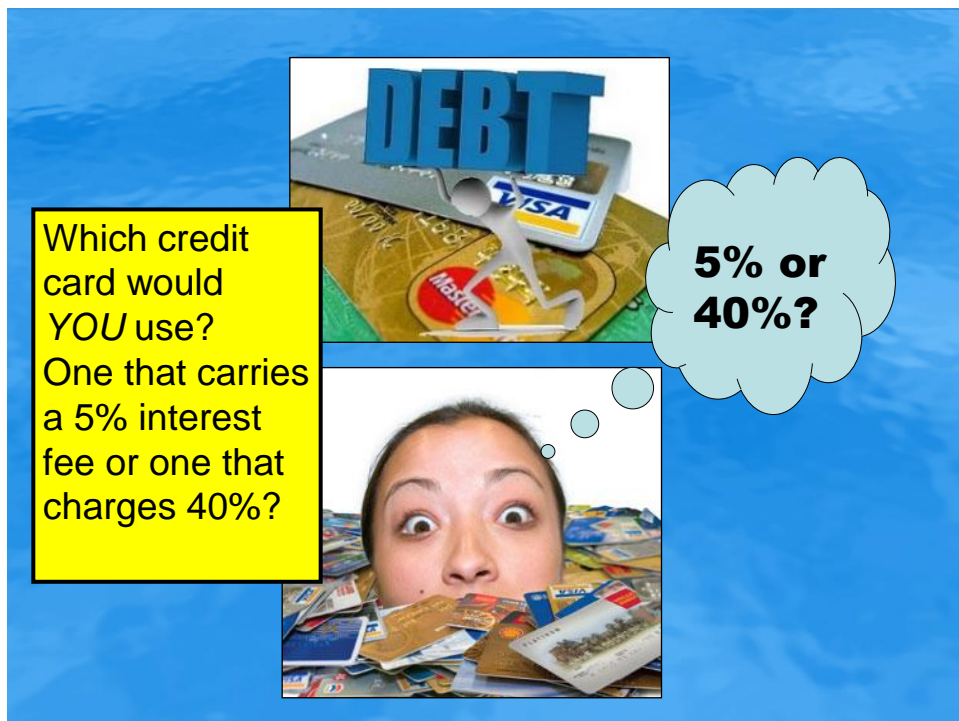
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F. Privatization	1990



<http://www.law.uchicago.edu/faculty/roin>

There is no “windfall” from privatization deals. We are simply borrowing money or buying debt at monstrous rates – paying for the fat profits of the lender.



Which credit card would *YOU* use?
One that carries a 5% interest fee or one that charges 40%?

5% or 40%?



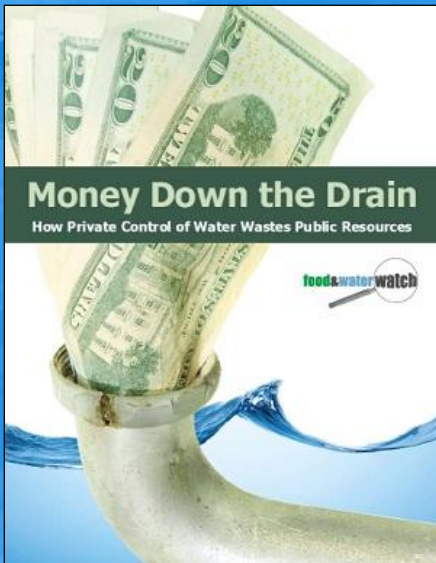
Morgan Stanley Group's \$11 Billion Makes Chicago Taxpayers Cry

August 09, 2011 - Darrell Preston

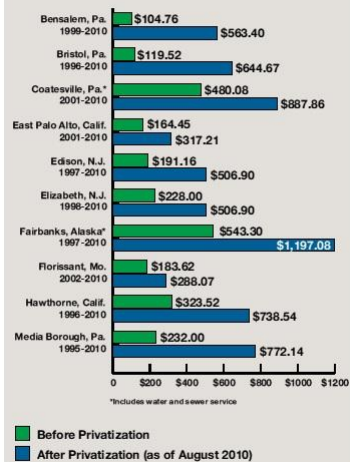
<http://www.businessweek.com/news/2010-08-09/morgan-stanley-group-s-11-billion-makes-chicago-taxpayers-cry.html>

(Bloomberg) -- Chicago drivers will pay a Morgan Stanley-led partnership at least \$11.6 billion to park at city meters over the next 75 years, 10 times what Mayor Richard Daley got when he leased the system to investors in 2008.

Morgan Stanley, Abu Dhabi Investment Authority and Allianz Capital Partners may earn a profit of \$9.58 billion before interest, taxes and depreciation, according to documents for a \$500 million private note sale by their Chicago Parking Meters LLC venture. That is equivalent to 80 cents per dollar of projected revenue. Standard Parking Corp., which runs 30,000 spaces at the city's O'Hare and Midway airports, earned 4.84 cents on that basis last year, data compiled by Bloomberg show.



Change in Household Water Bills Following Privatization: The Typical Annual Residential Water Bill Before and After Privatization for the 10 Largest Sales and Concessions Surveyed



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The Average Salary of a Private Military Contractor

By Wilhelm Schnetz, eHow Contributor updated January 31, 2011

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Democracy may be struggling to take hold in the Middle East, but capitalism is already thriving there: In an effort to boost manpower and cut costs, the Department of Defense relies heavily on private contractors to provide support services to military personnel. These contractors may perform duties as widespread as meal and base support services to security duties and intelligence matters. Because of the variety of tasks performed by contractors, their salaries vary greatly.

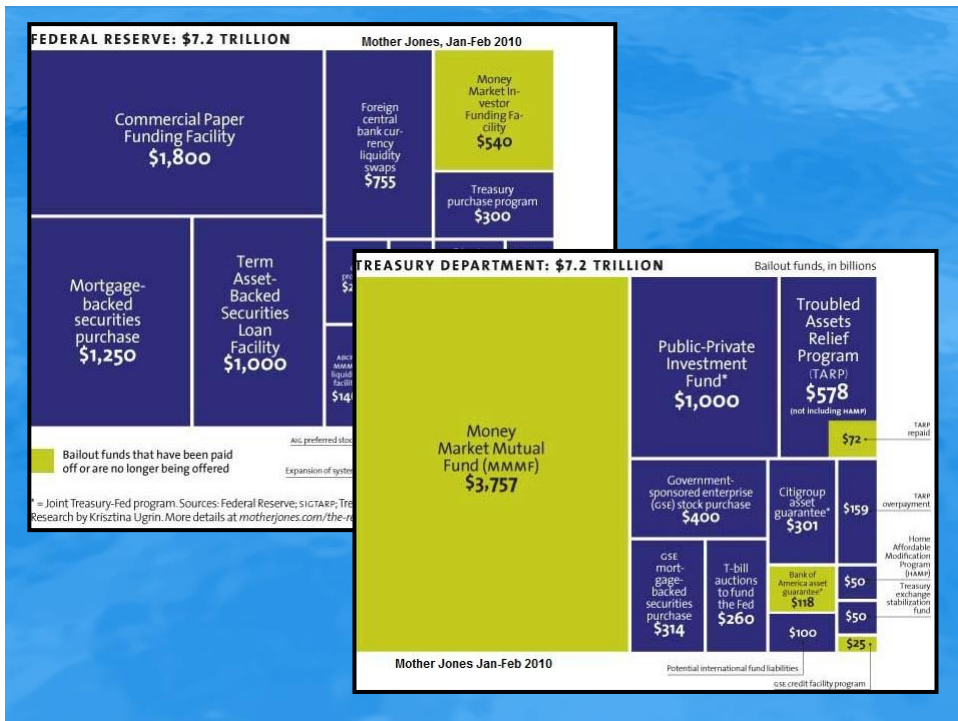
Average Salary with Security Clearance

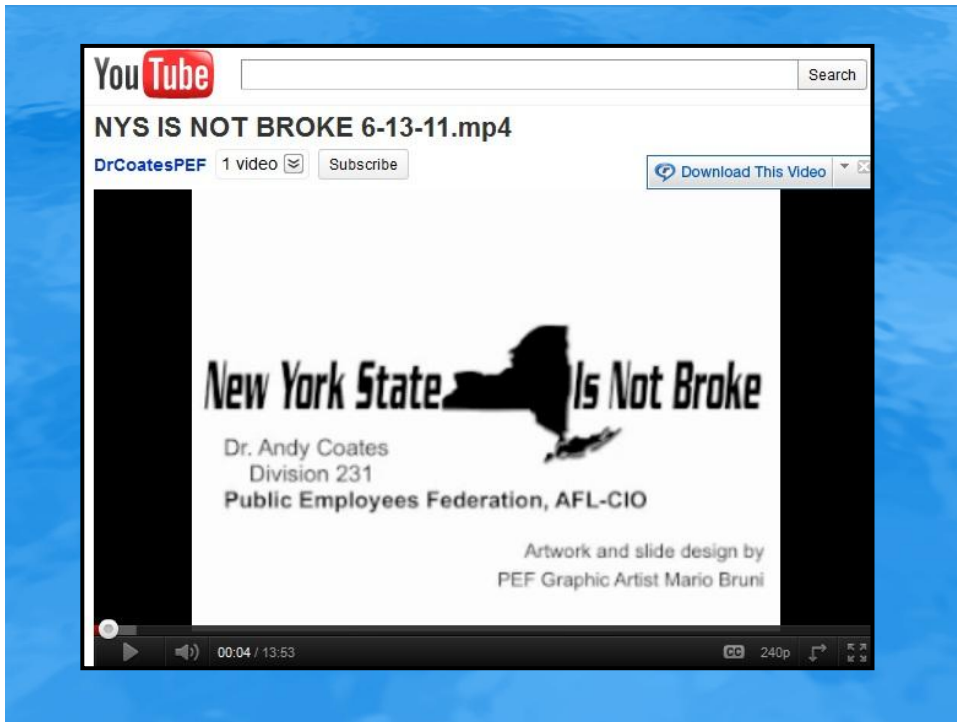
Because many of the positions needed in Iraq and Afghanistan directly support military or intelligence operations, the need for contractors with valid security clearances is high in the Middle Eastern combat zones. Contractors with security clearances may earn the highest salaries in the private sector. The average salary for private contractors is \$73,961 as of May 2009, according to Defense News. The average private government contractor with a security clearance earns about \$20,000 more each year than a government employee with the same clearance.

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NEWS Flash!

We are not broke!





0.01% of households
That's 1/10,000th!
take more than **5%**
of total income

This is
UNSUSTAINABLE

Reinstating the 1972 income tax structure
would yield \$8 billion more
in income tax revenue for
New York,
while reducing income
taxes for 95% of us!

<http://www.fiscalpolicy.org/taxhistory2.htm>

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**Stop
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our stuff!**

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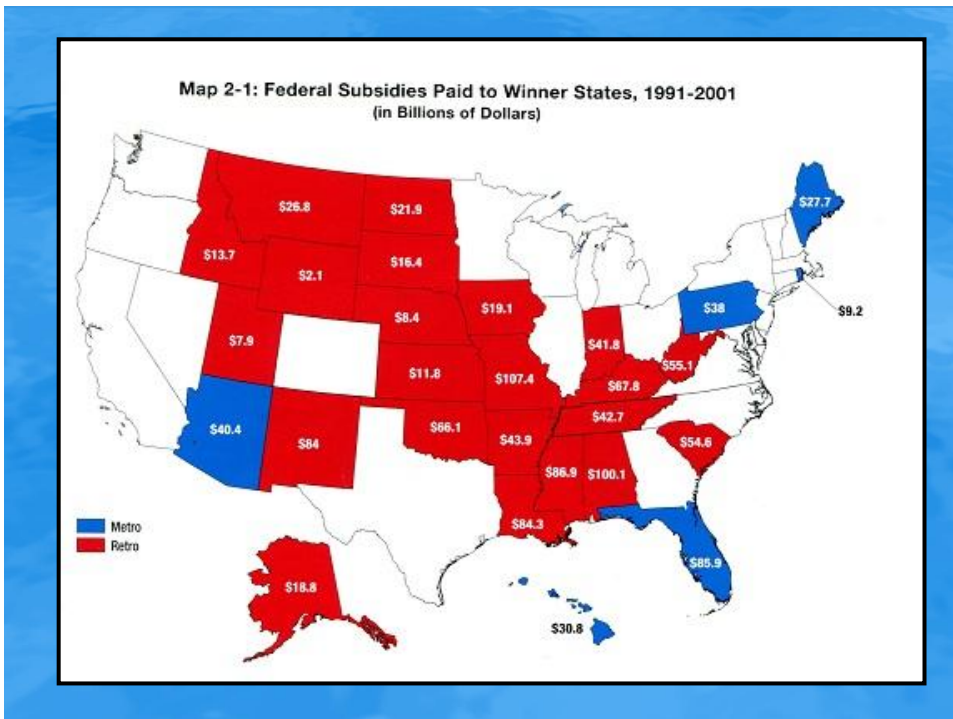
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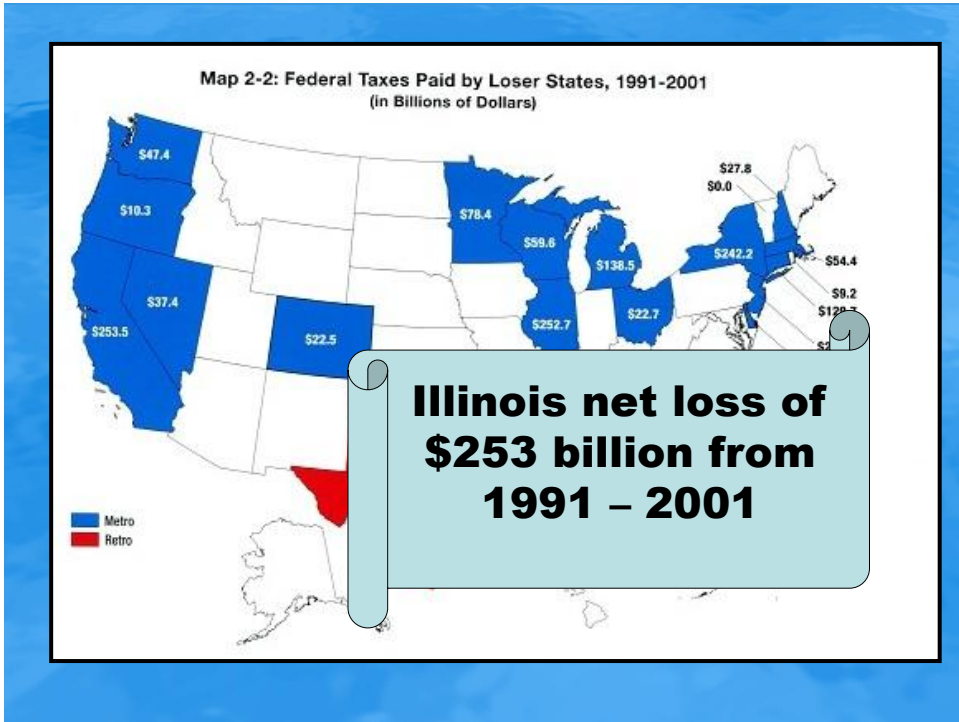
Cost of War to the United States

Total Cost of Wars Since 2001
\$1,276,823,358,256

Cost of War in Iraq
\$802,831,649,601

Cost of War in Afghanistan
\$473,991,708,654





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TAX LOSS**

**\$ 4 BILLION/
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Action Item

**Stop
wars now.
Demilitarize
USA.**

To Sum Up

- We are NOT broke
- Don't give away our stuff (especially to the 1%)
- Reclaim the commons and concept of "public" good
- Tax wealth, not work
- Stop the wars
- Start the peace and BRING OUR MONEY HOME
- Let's get busy!



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