

Congress of the United States  
Washington, DC 20515

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## Join the “Yellow Pages” Caucus

### Say No to Government Monopolies and Unfair Government Competition

Dear Colleague:

To help reduce the size and scope of government by getting government out of activities that entities in the private sector, operating for profit in a competitive free market, are better suited to perform, **we invite you to join the “Yellow Pages” Caucus.**

Today, the Federal government owns and operates hundreds of activities that are commercial in nature. They are functions that are not inherent or unique to government, but rather functions that are best completed by small businesses that can be found in the Yellow Pages in virtually every town in America. The “Yellow Pages” Caucus is a group of members of Congress who believe that we should rely upon the private sector to provide commercially available good and services to the government and the American people.

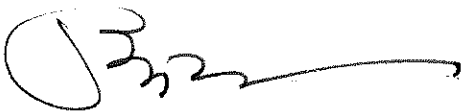
The Yellow Pages Caucus believes in applying the “Yellow Pages Test” to all Federal activities – if the activity is available from a private company found in the Yellow Pages of the telephone book, that activity should either not be a responsibility of the Federal government, or it should actually be performed by a private sector firm under contract with the Federal government.

In order to lead like-minded members of Congress, the Yellow Pages Caucus continues to be the voice and organizer of proactive legislation, education, networking, and policy initiatives, as well as the caucus that brings together pro-free market parties in order to save scarce taxpayer resources.

The Yellow Pages Caucus will work to assure that the government utilizes the private sector to the maximum extent possible; fight unfair competition with and duplication of the private sector by government, universities, nonprofits, and prison industries; and advance policies and legislation to assure that the U.S. Government supports, rather than impedes, growth in the private sector and small business community.

To learn more or to become a member of the Yellow Pages Caucus, please contact Kyle Matous, staff of Congressman Pete Sessions, at [kyle.matous@mail.house.gov](mailto:kyle.matous@mail.house.gov).

Sincerely,



Congressman Pete Sessions (TX-32)

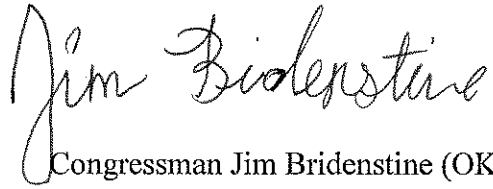


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