



STATE OF ILLINOIS  
96<sup>TH</sup> GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
JOINT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REFORM

MARCH 16, 2009 AGENDA

**Subject Matter Hearing: Campaign Reform (Part I of II)**

*Includes: campaign finance reform; public financing of judicial and other races; limiting contributions from State contractors*

I. Call to Order

II. Witnesses:

- Cindi Canary, Illinois Campaign for Political Reform
- Laura Renz, Center for Competitive Politics
- Kristina Rasmussen, Illinois Policy Institute
- Kent Redfield, Sunshine Project
- Todd Maisch, Illinois Chamber of Commerce
- CHANGE Illinois Coalition

Represented by:

- Peter Bensinger, former Administrator of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency
- Deborah Harrington, President, Woods Fund of Chicago
- George A. Ranney, President and CEO of Chicago Metropolis 2020
- Rupert Borgsmiller and Christina Cray, State Board of Elections

Members:

- Senator Christine Radogno
- Rep. Harry Osterman
- Rep. Lou Lang

III. Public Comments

IV. Adjournment