

The Why and the How of Democracy: A new theory and a new solution

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As we view the conflict over government fiscal policy in Wisconsin, some of us are thinking that the solution is for the people to vote directly on relevant issues since the government works for the people and the people are footing the government bill.

My theory of commerce and government explains why, in fact, the fiscal irresponsibility of governments can be decisively solved only through direct democracy. The reason is not only because the people foot the government bill; it is also because a vote of the citizens is private, making a citizen vote immune to the influence of interest groups.

I will present these insights interactively, using the following five questions to stimulate thinking and discussion:

What is the reason for government?

What is the reason for democracy?

What is the reason for representative democracy?

What is the reason for direct democracy?

How can we make government fiscally responsible?

I anticipate that we'll have a lively and exciting time together, asking these questions and answering them.

I believe that the resulting insights will transform your understanding of government in general, and of democracy in particular.

The content of the presentation may be found in the handout "The Why and the How of Democracy":

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