

February 16, 2011

The Honorable John Boehner  
Speaker  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi  
Minority Leader  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Congressional Leaders,

The undersigned diverse group of business associations, hunger and development organizations, agricultural groups, environmental groups, budget hawks, and free marketers urge you to **support the Flake Amendment, No. 377**, to the Continuing Resolution, which would protect taxpayers from being forced to pay for ethanol pumps and storage facilities. We believe that taxpayers should not foot the bill for ethanol infrastructure; instead, this cost should be borne on the fuel providing (ethanol and oil) industries themselves.

Sincerely,

ActionAid USA  
American Bakers Association  
Americans for Limited Government  
American Frozen Food Institute  
American Meat Institute  
Competitive Enterprise Institute  
Environmental Working Group  
Freedom Action  
FreedomWorks  
Friends of the Earth  
International Dairy Foods Association  
Grocery Manufacturers Association  
Milk Producers Council  
National Chicken Council  
National Council of Chain Restaurants  
National Meat Association  
National Taxpayers Union  
National Turkey Federation  
Taxpayers for Common Sense