

Thanksgiving Debate Prep SERVE UP SOME FACTS



Last year's Thanksgiving with relatives might have left a bad taste in your mouth. This year, get ready to serve your *Wacky Uncle* some facts about the





REPUBLICAN TAX PLAN



Bad for Maine Families


 **50,000** Mainers could lose health coverage and see their premiums go up

 Wealthy families get a tax break of \$4,000 per child while **low-income families only get \$75 per child**

 **189,000** Mainers who rely on SNAP food benefits would see cuts



Bad for Maine Small Businesses


 The corporate tax rate gets nearly cut in **HALF**, but

86% of small businesses wouldn't even benefit from the top rate cut for small businesses


80% of the small business tax break would go to millionaires



Bad for Maine Seniors


 A 64-year-old Mainer would see premiums **increase on average \$1,750 per year**


50+ **3 out of 4** tax payers losing the medical deduction are 50 years of age or more


 **321,000** Maine seniors using Medicare would face cuts



Bad for Maine Students & Teachers

 **69,580** households would lose their student loan interest deduction

 **Tuition support** for Maine students would be taxed as income

 **16,520** teachers would lose their tax deduction for school supplies purchased out of pocket

Bad for Maine

\$89.6
Million

4 in 5



Mainers pay more in taxes by 2027 under the Republican tax plan

4 in 5 Maine families would pay more in 2027

States like New York and California pay less under the proposal