



# HELLO... IT'S THE SPENDING!

- ✓ **Overspending** - the government (*both parties*) have spent more than was taken in.
- ✓ **Tricks** - Politicians have found ways to 'borrow' money from other programs to mask the problem. Things like the Social Security Trust fund and placing large expenditures 'off book'.
- ✓ **More Tricks** - Politicians have found ways to increase taxes *without* proper consent (*EPA rules...*) and have now begun simply to print money as their short term fix (*this must stop!*)
- ✓ **Insanity!** - With the economy in a state of depression, spending is accelerating!
- ? **What's next?** - Unchecked, they will increase the tax burden (*VAT tax; Energy tax; Cap and Trade*) on all Americans to the point our standard of living will be significantly reduced.

**The debt resulting from this irresponsible spending will be inherited by our Children, who have no say in the matter!**

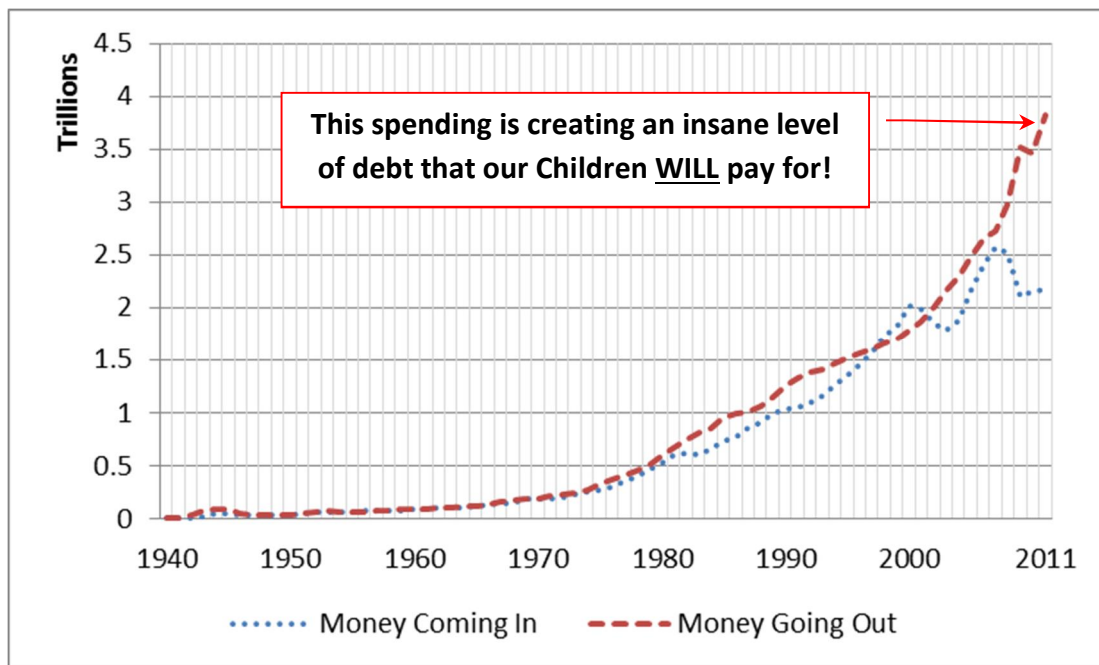
## What You Can Do:

Share this information; Seek reliable sources to stay informed

<http://www.downsizinggovernment.org/balanced-budget-plan>

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