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Patty Murray (D) WA and anti-small business votes:

- **June 10, 2010 S.J. Res. 26:** Murkowski disapproval resolution regarding EPA's endangerment finding on GHGs. [Murray opposed].
- June 8, 2010 HR 8: The Death Tax Repeal Permanency Act. Sponsored by Sen Kyl, the bill would make permanent the repeal of the death tax contained in the 2001 tax cut law. [Murray opposed.]
- May 11, 2010 S. 1955: The Health Insurance Marketplace Modernization and Affordability act of 2006. Sponsored by Senator Mike Enzi, the bill would allow for the creation of Small Business Health Plans through which small companies band together to buy insurance for their employees. [Murray opposed.]
- April 2, 2010 S.Con.Res. 13, S.Amdt. 964: To establish a deficit-neutral reserve fund to protect small and home businesses from the burdensome and impractical requirements of the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2008. [Murray opposed.]
- March 25, 2010 H.R. 4872: Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act. [Murray supported].
- **February 4, 2010 H.R. 1, S.Amdt. 278:** To reimplement Gramm-Rudman-Hollings to require deficit reduction and spending cuts upon 2 consecutive quarters of positive GDP growth. [Murray opposed.]
- **January 21, 2010 H.J. Res. 45, S.Amdt. 3301:** Thune Amendment to terminate authority under the Troubled Asset Relief Program. [Murray opposed].
- **December 24, 2009 H.R. 3590:** The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. [Murray supported].
- March 10, 2009 H.R. 1105, S.Amdt. 673: Tort Reform: To prevent collection of excessive contingency legal fees by lawyers hired to protect the public interest. [Murray opposed.]
- January 28, 2009 H.R. 2: Massive SCHIP expansion [Murray supported.]
- **January 28, 2009 H.R. 2, S.Amdt. 75:** Limit SCHIP Spending for higher-income families. [Murray opposed.]
- **January 22, 2009 S. 181, S.Amdt. 31:** Right to Work: To preserve and protect the free choice of individual employees to form, join, or assist labor organizations, or to refrain from such activities. [Murray opposed.]
- March 23, 2007 S.Con. Res 21: Repeal of Bush Tax Cuts amendment to the budget, Fiscal 2008 Budget Resolution. NFIB opposed the repeal of the Bush tax cuts amendment, which was offered by Senator Bernie Sanders, which would have restored the top marginal tax rate to pre 2001 levels on taxable income in excess of \$1 million. The amendment failed by a 38-58 vote. [Murray supported.]
- **February 1, 2007 H.R. 2:** Small Business Expensing Amendment to the Fair Minimum Wage Act which would provide relief for an extended period of time to

- small businesses hoping to expense current and future business investments. The amendment failed by a 49-48 vote. [Murray opposed.]
- November 18, 2005 S. 2020: Tax Relief Act of 2005. This bill extended previous tax cuts, including small business expensing provisions, the increased exemption for the AMT, and other business tax incentives. [Murray opposed].
- March 10, 2005 S. 256, Minimum wage amendment: 109th Congress. Would increase the minimum wage by \$2.10 over two years. [Murray supported.]
- **February 10, 2005 S. 5:** Class Action Fairness Act of 2005. This bill would move class action lawsuits in excess of \$5 million to federal district courts and provide guidelines for awarding attorneys' fees in certain types of settlements. [Murray opposed.]