

# Some Results of the

# ANTI-DEMOCRACY MOVEMENT

In 2016,

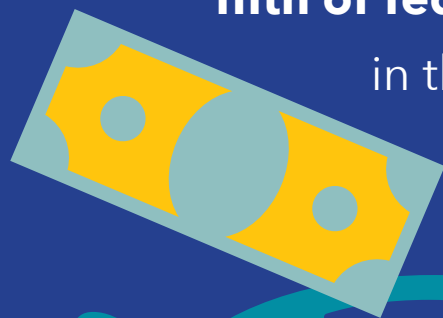
**total** federal election spending hit nearly

**\$6.4 billion**

In **2016**, from **January 1** through **October 26**, the 3 major television networks' evening newscasts **together** devoted just **32 minutes** to **issues coverage**

Corporations managed to **reduce** their share of taxes from a **fifth of federal receipts**

in the 1960's to a mere **7%** in the 1980's



Since the Powell memo in 1971, while workers have hardly gained, **CEO compensation** has soared **16 fold**

**Drug industry lobbying** has helped to increase

**tenfold**

the cost of a year's cancer treatment

**Disgust** with government's failures, stemming from **decades** of **delegitimizing** its institutions, helped



open the door for

**Trump**  
...who claimed the

title of bold **outsider** promising to shake up a **gridlocked**, **corrupt** system

From **1971** to **2016**, confidence in Congress

**CRASHED**

from **42%** to a mere **9%**