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**Name** Michael Harrington

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**Address** [REDACTED]  
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**Phone** [REDACTED]

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**Email** [REDACTED]

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**Citizenship Affirmation** I am a U.S. Citizen

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**Residency Affirmation** I am a resident of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**Statement of Intent** I intend to comply with and advance the policy established by this Act.

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**Statement of Interest** I have been interested and an advocate situationally for a revisit to a number of sectors of the current Constitution, dating back to my service in Congress (1969 - 1978). Citizen's United obviously continues to have a good deal of current relevance when it comes to a broad understanding of the consequence of the court's decision in terms of the question of money, some identifiable, some not, premised on the current court interpretation of the Constitution in terms of Article 1. Obviously, the focus will be on attempting to join a critical mass of other states in seeing what can be done over the next few years to rid ourselves of the onerous components of that decision.

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**Political Party Affiliation, if any, over the previous five years** Democratic

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**City or Town where you reside** BEVERLY

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**Employment Status** Employed

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**Occupation** Hospitality

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**Employer** Hawthorne Hotel

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**MICHAEL J. HARRINGTON**

Michael J. Harrington is both a principal and the driving force behind the unique character of the Hawthorne Hotel.

A well known figure in both national and state politics, Mr. Harrington brings a great deal of business and political leadership experience to the active role he takes in the Hawthorne's day-to-day operations.

Mr. Harrington served as a U.S. Congressman from Massachusetts' Sixth District from 1969 to 1978. After leaving the House, he remained in political service, acting as regional director for the Federal Reserve Bank in Boston from 1981 to 1986, and as chairman of the Massachusetts Foreign Business Council from 1979 to 1982.

\*He purchased the Hawthorne Hotel in 1986, and was instrumental in the restoration projects which resulted in the hotel being named one of the Historic Hotels of America by the *National Trust for Historic Preservation*, "... in recognition of its important history, architectural quality and outstanding preservation efforts."

Mr. Harrington is a graduate of Harvard University and Harvard Law School, 1958 and 1961, respectively.

Today he resides in Beverly, Massachusetts, with his wife, [REDACTED] [REDACTED]  
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In 2003 the Harrington family acquired the second historic property, The Publick House in Sturbridge, Massachusetts.