



North Carolina Families Want to Know Where Their Money is Being Spent...



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North Carolina Families Support Earmark Reform!

The **Spending Habits of Our Elected Officials** are an important issue for all of us. Too often, legislators are spending taxpayers money in ways that are NOT fiscally responsible, particularly during a sluggish economy.

Some of these instances came at North Carolina's expense by then State Legislator, Kay Hagan:

In 1999, shortly after arriving in the State Senate, Hagan set out securing earmarks – state funding for theater programs. These pet projects cost North Carolina taxpayers hundreds of thousands of dollars.

(North Carolina Senate Bill 741, 4/5/99; North Carolina Senate Bill 692, 4/1/99; News & Record, 4/20/99)

While the freshman legislator was busy securing these funds, North Carolina was facing an \$800 million deficit.

(News & Record, 4/20/99)

With the state's budget in peril and so many hardworking families struggling, these kinds of earmarks and spending policies must stop.

ENOUGH IS ENOUGH!

Call Kay Hagan at **336-617-7416** and tell her to *Support Earmark Reform.*

Tell Her North Carolinians Deserve Better!

