

## TPP: Why municipalities should oppose it



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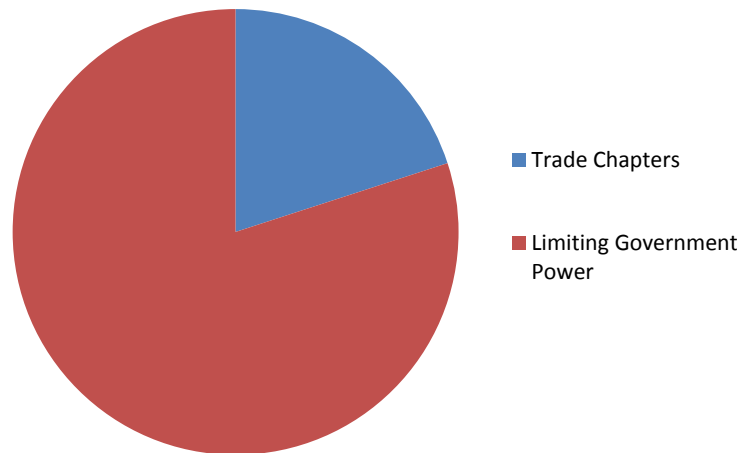


## TPP

- What is wrong with the TPP (video)
- Why Municipalities should be concerned
- Action Request



## Transferring Powers away from Government



## INVESTOR-STATE DISPUTE SETTLEMENT

- ISDS replacing our courts with rigged tribunals
- Corporate Lawyers acting behind closed doors replace real judges and public courts
- Decisions are final - No right to appeal through Canadian Judicial System



## Municipal Powers Targeted

**“A Party’s obligations under this Chapter shall apply to measures adopted or maintained by:**

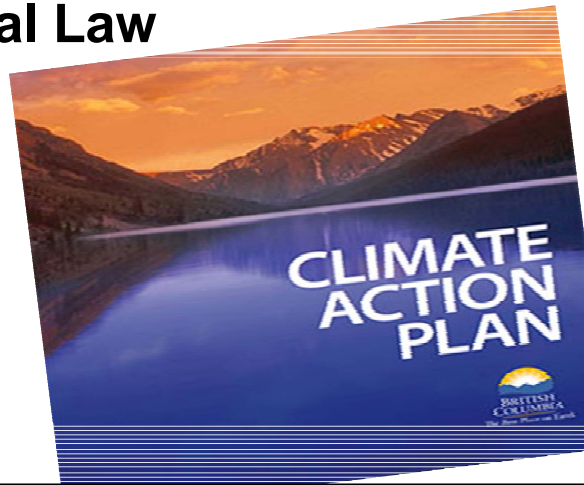
- **the central, regional or local governments or authorities of that Party”**



## Buy Local?



**“The TPP will be a barrier to  
Canada taking strong action  
on Climate Change” Canadian  
Environmental Law  
Association**



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## Action:

- Join numerous other municipalities in Canada & US in opposing the TPP!

Proposed Motion:

**City of Victoria Mayor and Council express its opposition to the Trans-Pacific Partnership agreement (TPP) and communicate this to Prime Minister Trudeau, Cabinet Ministers and every Member of Parliament.**

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