

**Be it resolved, that, since the aim of the US bourgeoisie is to roll back all the advances of the Roosevelt New Deal, for example:**

“...It is my thesis today that the sheer tenacity of the **collectivist impulse** — whether you call it **socialism** or **communism** or **altruism** — has changed not only the meaning of our words, but the meaning of the Constitution, and the character of our people. ...”

“...The New Deal, however, inoculated the federal Constitution with a kind of underground collectivist mentality ...”

Janice Rogers Brown, Currently on U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, D.C., Speech to The Federalist Society April 20, 2000

**And since the Bill of Rights states:**

The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people. Amendment IX.

The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people. Amendment X.

**It is hereby resolved the DSA supports and will include “The Economic Bill of Rights” proposed by Franklin D. Roosevelt in his 1944 State of the Union Message as part of its economic justice message.**

1. The right to a useful and remunerative job in the industries or shops or farms or mines of the nation;
2. The right to earn enough to provide adequate food and clothing and recreation;
3. The right of every farmer to raise and sell his products at a return, which will give him and his family a decent living;
4. The right of every businessman, large and small, to trade in an atmosphere of freedom from unfair competition and domination by monopolies at home or abroad;
5. The right of every family to a decent home;
6. The right to adequate medical care and the opportunity to achieve and enjoy good health;
7. The right to adequate protection from the economic fears of old age, sickness, accident, and unemployment;
8. The right to a good education

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