

Michigan Supreme Court Justice Robert Young: Enemy of Workers and Consumers

Send him a Wake-up Call In 2010!

Michigan Supreme Court Justice Robert Young is up for re-election in 2010, and he has racked up a long list of decisions and votes that makes his record clear.

A former insurance company lawyer, Young is an activist judge who uses his position on the Supreme Court to push his anti-worker, anti-civil rights and anti-consumer agenda, ruling for insurance companies and corporations 80% of the time.

Here are some of Young's worst decisions:

- Young ruled to protect sexual predators against the claims of women who were the victims of workplace rape and sexual harassment.
- Young ruled in favor of Michigan's infamous drug industry immunity law that shields companies from responsibility when their products harm or kill people.
- Young ruled to restrict workers' compensation benefits.
- Young ruled to protect drunk drivers by making it harder to hold them accountable for deaths, injuries and damages they cause.
- Young changed Michigan law, blocking citizens' rights to take action to protect the environment.
- Young ruled to gut and effectively destroy Michigan's Consumer Protection Act, once one of the best in the nation.
- Young's decisions have made it harder for unions to organize and bargain.