

## FURTHER READING ON CONSUMER LOBBY DAY 2019'S TOPICS

## **Consumer Financial Protection Bureau**

- For more information on the **overall decline in consumer protection** at the CFPB: <u>New York Times's Mick Mulvaney's Master Class in Destroying a Bureaucracy from Within</u>
- For more information about priorities for CFPB's upcoming **debt collection** rule: <u>National Consumer Law Center's Top Consumer Concerns for Debt Collection Regulations</u>
- For more information on CFPB's **failure to enforce the law**: <u>Consumer Federation of America's</u>

  <u>Dormant: The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau's Law Enforcement Program in Decline</u>
- For more information on the CFPB and **discrimination in consumer finance**: <u>Coalition Letter to CFPB on the Equal Opportunity Act (ECOA) and disparate impact</u>

## **Predatory Lending**

- For more information on the **benefits of a national usury limit**: <u>National Consumer Law Center's Why 36%? The History, Use and Purpose of the 36% Interest Rate Cap</u>
- For more information on the impact of **CFPB's proposal to delay** the original 2017 pro-consumer rule: National Coalition Letter on the Payday Rule Delay
- For more information on payday and auto title loans and their impact on communities of color:
   <u>Testimony of Diane Standaert, Center for Responsible Lending, before the Consumer Protection and Financial Institutions Subcommittee, April 30, 2019</u>
- For more information on how **payday loans work as debt traps** and alternatives to payday lending: <u>Testimony of Christopher Peterson</u>, <u>Consumer Federation of America</u>, <u>before the Consumer Protection and Financial Institutions Subcommittee</u>, <u>April 30, 2019</u>

## **Forced Arbitration**

- For more information about **harmful forced arbitration clauses**: <u>Coalition letter to Chairman Graham and Ranking Member Feinstein for the hearing</u>, <u>Arbitration in America</u>
- For more information about support for the FAIR Act: South Carolina Appleseed's Op-Ed on Forced Arbitration