

Constitution USA

Built to Last

1. What was Jefferson's view of the longevity of the Constitution?
2. What was Madison's?
3. What is Professor Akil Amar's view on amendments to the Constitution? How have they affected the system?
4. What other way is the Constitution changed without amending it?
5. What is not written into the Constitution (but perhaps was expected by the founders) about how the branches should work together?
6. What is the positive take of the Watergate scandal?
7. What does the Supreme Court have that makes us all follow their rulings?
8. What can war do to the Constitution?
9. What does Asian Carp have to do with the Constitution? Where is the failure?
10. What is not in the Constitution that is greatly affecting the functioning of our government?
11. Who does Barney Frank blame for the mess in government right now?
12. What is legislative gridlock preferable to according to PJ O'Rourke?
13. What is gerrymandering? How does it diminish voting power?
14. How does campaign financing corrupt the system?
15. How has the Constitution lasted so long?