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Vocabulary for “Bills to Pay”

1. **conflict**, *n.* a fight or struggle for power or authority (2)
2. **turning point**, *n.* a time when an important change occurs (2)
3. **burden**, *n.* something that is heavy or difficult to accept (**burdens**) (4)
4. **impose**, *v.* to force or require (**imposed**) (5)
5. **tax**, *n.* money a government charges for services it provides to the people (**taxes**) (5)
6. **assembly**, *n.* people who gather to write laws for a government or organization (**assemblies**) (5)
7. **petition**, *n.* a document people sign to show their agreement or disagreement with something (**petitions**) (6)
8. **opposition**, *n.* disagreement with or disapproval of something (8)
9. **mastermind**, *n.* a person who takes the lead in planning and organizing something important (8)
10. **militia**, *n.* ordinary people trained to be soldiers but who are not part of the full-time military (9)