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Republic: The Power of the People

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is a republic?
 - a) A form of government with a single ruler, often a king or queen
 - b) A form of government in which the power is concentrated in the military
 - c) A form of government in which power is derived from the citizens, and elected representatives make decisions
 - d) A form of government with no centralized authority

2. What is one advantage of a republic mentioned in the passage?
 - a) Suppression of individual rights
 - b) Protection of individual rights and freedoms
 - c) Lack of accountability
 - d) Rapid decision-making

3. What is one disadvantage of a republic mentioned in the passage?
 - a) Rapid decision-making
 - b) Complex decision-making
 - c) Lack of citizen participation
 - d) Suppression of individual rights

4. Why is accountability important in a republic?
 - a) To ensure that citizens have no say in government
 - b) To prevent regular transitions of power
 - c) To hold elected officials responsible to the people who voted for them
 - d) To maintain a single ruling authority

5. What potential issue is associated with the influence of money and special interest groups in republics?
 - a) Increased citizen participation
 - b) Complex decision-making
 - c) Political stability
 - d) Concerns about fairness and transparency

