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- FREEDOM IS THE CURE
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by William S. Hahn, *Chief Executive Officer*

Once again, we have a target-rich environment, and we risk diluting our efforts by taking on too much. As you work your electorates, please focus on Freedom Is the Cure (using nullification to block the OSHA mandate — you know Biden won’t stop at just companies over 100 workers) and providing information and solutions to “Build Back Better” (Biden’s attack on Americanism). Thank you! ■

BULLETIN FOREWORD

Global Technocracy: How the New World Order Is Being Built Through “Build Back Better”

by William S. Hahn, *Chief Executive Officer*

The glorious governmental system the Founding Fathers devised through divine inspiration has no equal in terms of providing an environment of freedom for its citizens to prosper. Americanism was created and implemented to protect our God-given rights and to limit the government, not the people. It’s a system that our enemies must overcome if they are to control us. To do so, an ever-increasing level of government must be in place — particularly a federal government operating outside of its limitations, along with unaccountable bureaucracies both inside the federal government and outside in the form of regional governmental bodies.

As former JBS CEO Arthur Thompson covered in his excellent overview of the Council on Foreign Relations, *In the Shadows of the Deep State*, our enemies looking to overthrow freedom have deep-rooted origins. Out of the Illuminati came connections that reached to Karl Marx and Frederick Engels. Both authored a book called *The Holy Family*, published in February 1845. As Mr. Thompson wrote, this book was written “three years prior to ‘The Communist Manifesto.’”

In *The Holy Family*, Marx and Engels wrote, “The revolutionary movement which began in 1789 in the Cercle Social ... gave rise to the communist idea ... re-introduced in France after the Revolution of 1830 This ... is the idea of the new world order.”

Boiling it down, advocates of the New World Order seek to create a world government that all countries would be subservient to. Yet, this world government would not be some mere body above our own federal government that helps to resolve problems with other countries. No, it would have complete control and would also be the final authority in domestic affairs. Think of it as the European Union on steroids.

While the New World Order pushed by Marx and Engels was socialist and communist in nature, the actual structure of what the world government would look like is



The “Build Back Better” slogan used by President Joe Biden is copied from a globalist United Nations program. It illustrates the Biden administration’s agenda of advancing a global technocracy that disregards individual freedom.

very much in flux. The best contemporary examples include the United Nations and the regional unions (with unaccountable bureaucracies) that many countries are embroiled in. However, as Alex Newman reported in his video “New World Order = Global Technocracy” on TheNewAmerican.com, the New World Order may be neither capitalist nor communist in nature. Rather, it will be a technocracy. Mr. Newman explains it would get rid of individual liberty in exchange for “saving” the environment. All of this would be run by technocrats, including scientists and engineers, under the control of the elite.

The pioneer researcher of technocracy is Patrick Wood, with his seminal books *Technocracy Rising: The Trojan Horse of Global Transformation* (2014) and *Technocracy: The Hard Road to World Order* (2018).

As Mr. Newman explains in his video, Mr. Wood’s newer book detailed a definition of technocracy from advocates in 1938 as, “The science of social engineering; the scientific operation of the entire social mechanism to produce and distribute goods and services to the entire population.” Mr. Newman rightfully interpreted this as a direct attack on private property, money, and the free market-based economy. The goal is to exchange these for various other items to transition to a resource-based economy (think central planning). The scientific community and other technocrats would determine what is produced and how it is produced and distributed according to efficiency, environmentalism, and community needs.

Advocates of this type of scientific dictatorship are not just found on the proverbial left. Technocracy has made inroads with certain conservatives and libertarians through at least two widely popular online “documentaries”: *Zeitgeist: The Movie* and *2030 UnMasked*. As is usually the case, there are some salient points made in the videos, but there’s lots of garbage sprinkled in between. At the end of each of these videos, a pitch is made for technocracy.

Advocates have made arguments for environmental protection, Earth’s carrying capacity, and, of course, a resource-based economy.

JBS publications have been exposing the buildup

to this for many decades. One of the earliest mentions was in the March 1962 issue of *American Opinion*, in an article titled “The European Common Market” by Hans F. Sennholz. He was sounding the alarm bell of the market’s working “towards the development of an international economic bureaucracy with its central planners, statisticians, econometricians, and technocrats, with international investment control and all the rest.” While the planners succeeded in doing so, Mr. Sennholz also pointed out in the article, “The growing popularity of the European Economic Community must be seen in the light of American foreign trade debate. Many Washington voices seem to imply that all we have to do to solve our foreign problems and such domestic problems as economic stagnation, gold and dollar problems, and unemployment is to reduce our tariff barriers and team up with the European Common Market. Pressures are mounting for our entry into the Common Market.”

This globalist/internationalist push of the 1960s has only strengthened in subsequent years, and has advocates on *both* sides of the political aisle. As Senator George Malone exposed in his 1958 book *Mainline*, trade is used as a bludgeoning tool to

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JBS's *The Power of 500* video provides a powerful roadmap for creating informed electorates. Use the QR code to access the video with your phone. Please have your Chapter watch this video and use it to enhance your recruiting and local influence.

overcome a country's sovereignty and help create a New World Order.

In 1970, elite globalist Zbigniew Brzezinski wrote *Between Two Ages: America's Role in the Technetronic Era*. According to the November 1977 issue of *American Opinion*, he wrote in it, "Marxism represents a further vital and creative stage in the maturing of man's universal vision. Marxism ... is a victory of reason over belief."

No matter how new the proposed system to replace our current one may seem to be, it always comes back to what JBS Founder Mr. Robert Welch described as our "fatal struggle for freedom against slavery, for existence against destruction." And when you peel back the curtain, you will find evil manifesting itself, usually through humanity's old foe of communism.

According to a 1988 article in *The New American*, in his book Brzezinski promoted "'a global tax system' to support a world government." The Sixteenth Amendment established an income tax in 1913, giving the federal government half of the equation it needed to ensure a steady stream of income into its coffers. The other half was done later that same year through the establishment of the Federal Reserve (it is usually pointed out that there is nothing federal or reserve about it!).

As Clarence Carson wrote in an article in the July 8, 1981 issue of *Review of the News*:

The Federal Reserve finances the government deficit by buying securities and flooding the country with paper money. In consequence, prices, wages, and incomes rise. As income rises, taxpayers move into higher tax brackets.... The political advantage of this setup is that government revenues can increase by hundreds of billions of dollars without any change in the tax rates. Indeed, government revenues will likely increase much more rapidly than does the rise in prices, thanks to the graduated feature of the tax....

Knowing that the Fed and the income tax work together to redistribute wealth in America, global-government advocates have been salivating at the prospect of replicating this on a global scale to help build world government infrastructure and programs. While the Fed has been all too happy to inflate the currency supply whenever called upon for help (as exposed by the 2010 limited audit authorized by the Dodd-Frank Act), a worldwide tax system would give globalists a reliable source of revenue to accelerate implementation of their programs.

For several years, globalists in the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) have been working on establishing a global minimum corporate tax rate. In early October, it announced an agreement between 136 countries, including the U.S., that "will fundamentally transform the international tax landscape within which multinational enterprises operate by reallocating certain profits to markets and by putting a floor on tax competition so as to ensure that at least a minimum amount of tax is paid," according to the October 2021 "OECD Secretary-General Tax Report to G20 Leaders."

As *The New American* reported, "President Joe Biden, a cheerleader for the new agreement, cited it as 'proof that the rest of the world agrees that corporations can and should do more to ensure that we build back better.'"

The OECD envisions a "two-pillar solution" that will bring in \$275 billion annually once both pillars are implemented in 2023. According to the OECD, "Pillar One will ensure a fairer distribution of profits and taxing rights among countries with respect to the largest and most profitable multinational enterprises. It will re-allocate some taxing rights over MNEs [multinational enterprises] from their home countries to the markets where they have business activities and earn profits, regardless of whether firms have a physical presence there."

"Pillar Two introduces a global minimum corporate tax rate set at 15%. The new minimum tax rate will apply to companies with revenue above EUR 750 million Further benefits will also arise from the stabilisation of the international tax system and the increased tax certainty for taxpayers and tax administrations."

The logistics of how this will be accomplished have not been released, but Alex Newman has exposed the International Monetary Fund and the United Nations as being "at the center of these global financial manipulations." His exposé of global taxing efforts was published in the April 21, 2014 issue of *The New American*. As Mr. Newman pointed out, the IMF "literally looted the bank accounts of private individuals in Cyprus as a trial run at worldwide wealth confiscation."

The IMF could certainly be the vehicle to collect the tax, assuming that each participating government goes along with it, ceding sovereignty and privacy rights to a global institution operating outside of each government's accountability.

Let's realize that corporate taxes are merely the beginning. Given the precedent set in Cyprus, having the IMF reach into Americans' accounts for a "Climate Change Tax" may not be too much of a stretch to further fund the infrastructure of global government.

We can fathom that many governments will quickly join the effort, while others will fold to the pressure, passing supporting legislation. Even our own Congress has a good chance of folding, unless there is significant support to stop it. Congress has displayed quite an appetite for globalist programs, especially trade agreements that have linked both sides of the political aisle, as seen in the passage of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement during President Trump's term.

Technocracy is not a passing fad. It's been discussed since the 1930s and advocates are now ramping up their efforts. But we're not even scratching the surface here. In a new book coming out at the end of this year, Dennis Behreandt, publisher of *The New American*, offers a jaw-dropping look at where technocracy is heading. The book is tentatively titled *End Game: An Examination of the International Elites' Trend Toward Ending Humanity as We Know It*. It looks at the rarely spoken but disquieting topics of transhumanism, eugenics, population reduction, and related technologies that form the basis for the way the New World Order elites are taking technocracy and tyranny to whole new levels.

Let's keep in mind that to stop this, there must be an organized effort to do so. This is why we are here — to expose this type of slavery before it gets forced upon the American people; to stop these evil and diabolic plans, preserving the great experiment of freedom started by the Founding Fathers so long ago; and to restore Americanism, so it too can reach its potential, serving as a shining example of what free people can accomplish.

We must prioritize the solution: working to get America out of globalist institutions like the United Nations. We must once again dedicate substantial time and resources in building support to *Get US Out!* We must generate substantial pressure for Congress to make this a priority. How do we do it? Exactly as we've always done it: Birching!

Let's outline some of the steps we can take:

1. Work locally, educating our local communities and the electorate as a whole.
2. Work through the state legislatures.
3. Work at the federal level.

We should apply the majority of our efforts to Step 1, working locally. Then focus as much time and effort as possible on Step 2, influencing our state legislators. Over time, working in these areas should reduce the amount of work necessary at the federal level.

Our 100/10/6 program was created as a way to distribute our TRIM (Tax Reform Immediately) bulletins in the 1990s, and it proved to be very beneficial in building influence and educating electorates. If you're not familiar with this concept, read Midwest Regional Field Director Robert Owens' great summary of it in the "Recruiting" column in the August 2021 *Bulletin*. You can find archived copies of the *Bulletin* in the Members Area of JBS.org.

Also, our video *The Power of 500* highlights the concept and how to apply it. Please review this and share it with others. It's on the JBS YouTube account (<https://youtu.be/47vf04LIHYY>), as well as in the video section of JBS.org (<https://jbs.org/video/join-the-power-of-500-informed-electorates-that-work/>). Furthermore, we are working on new resources to help you carry out the 100/10/6 program.

Working locally means Chapter activities geared toward raising awareness of the problem of globalism, how the United Nations is a major hub, and how "Build Back Better" — which originated as a globalist UN slogan and program — is Biden's agenda to replace Americanism with globalism.

Over the years, we have made significant inroads in educating the public on the dangers of the United Nations. Now it's time for this to become a pivotal program that exposes and stops "Build Back Better." With your help and leadership, we will see this come to fruition. Look around; the opportunities are endless, but begin *locally*. Happy Birching! ■

— AGENDA FOR THE MONTH —

I. Recruiting

Cut 'Em Off at the Pass

by Eli Komai, *Field Coordinator for Southern California*

It's easy for us to forget about how the enemies of liberty are scaring others into submission. Since we have been given a "nose" for the truth and a "filter" for lies, we can often handle fearmongering better than most! The enemy spreads lies continuously; those caught unaware have aspects of their lives subject to and controlled by falsehood. The intense fear created by the COVID-19 and "climate change" hysterias is a prominent example of this.

When interacting with and educating those we wish to bring alongside us, we can oftentimes come off as out-of-touch. After all, the reality they are subject to may differ greatly from the world we operate in. I strive to keep this in mind, especially as I grow and learn more.

The falsehood and fear that dominates the personal views of our prospects should be dispelled and destroyed as a first order of business. This will pave the way for more meaningful and rapid progress down the road. Far too often, I have "put the cart before the horse" when working with friends and family who have been neutralized by such fears or false solutions, offering them an article or video on a favorite subject of theirs only to learn that national media have trodden that soil first. The enemy may own the airwaves and the streets, but we still have agency over the personal interaction between us and those within our sphere of influence. Use this to your advantage to get them away from the falsehood and fear.

How do we liberate those in our lives? How do we dispel such falsehoods? As with many of the problems that Birchers address, we call attention to the root of the problem and focus our efforts on that

root. In some cases, people have adopted national media into their daily routines. Others are bound by the court of public opinion present on social media. Some are even following along with a false tone set forth by corrupted governing bodies, at workplaces, or at public agencies.

The solution: slowly wean friends off deceptive or otherwise unfruitful pursuits, supplanting those with meaningful sources, interactions, and activities. Use the "Action Summary" recommendations to guide your efforts. By being active and persistent, we can, and will, impact the lives of others and, by extension, our great nation.

ACTION SUMMARY

- Recall and reflect on the "100/10/6" program for influencing others and growing our numbers. Rewatching *The Power of 500* can prove instrumental in this regard: (<https://jbs.org/video/join/the-power-of-500-informed-electorates-that-work/>).

- Reflect on how necessary it is to dutifully "shave away" at shackles that may be binding our friends and ourselves. Consider these obstacles, write them down somewhere, and contemplate how they can be overcome.

- Reach out to nearby Birchers to address the obstacles nearest you. Even with all the facts and figures, this battle ultimately boils down to people, and we should not leave anyone behind. ■

Chapter Spotlight: DXTO in Glendale, California

by Joe Panzarello, *Field Coordinator for Central California*

It can sometimes be very challenging to develop a strong Chapter of The John Birch Society, so selecting a good Chapter Leader can make all the difference. Chapter DXTO in Glendale, California, is one of the longest-lasting Chapters around. Mr. Elliott

Graham has been the Chapter Leader for many, many years and, in fact, has been a member of the Society since 1962. He has been a life member since 1973, and still conducts the meetings and brings members together every month.

Elliott is very knowledgeable about all levels of politics and elections, and takes great pride in promoting the JBS in his community. Even to this day, he knows about good candidates who are running for office, as well as their positions on the important issues. The meetings for this Chapter have always been very informative and well-attended, but this has become even better in recent years. I consider Chapter DXTO to be my "home Chapter," since I grew up in the Foothills near Glendale, so I've been able to attend many of the meetings. My mom, Ruth Panzarello, has become the assistant leader.

The meetings are held every month in Denise Soto's home in La Canada Flintridge, and she is the best hostess in the territory. We have been fortunate to be able to hold the meetings in someone's home as opposed to a public restaurant. Denise is the member who keeps us focused on education and school issues in the area, while other members focus on election integrity, Support Your Local Police, and the Constitution. The attendance for the meetings is always very good and lively, and everyone takes pride in doing something! They know that the activity between the meetings is important, in addition to contributing to the meeting each month.

DXTO has grown steadily in membership and we especially enjoy meeting new people at rallies and freedom events and distributing JBS literature and copies of *The New American*. Educating both ourselves and others has led to the success and longevity of this great JBS Chapter. ■

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JBS members Cindy Sieger and Korvin Kenningto, along with development officer John Selck, get the word out with a successful Birch booth in Escondido, California.



Chapter Leader Matt Lomeli and his brother Greg set up a table and showed their support to Boeing employees fighting the job in Mesa, Arizona.



Birchers fighting for their medical freedom at a Medical Freedom Rally in Middleburg, Florida.



JBS speaker Frank de Varona at an event in West Jefferson, North Carolina.



Members David Hammer and Vito Vileniskis in Manhattan, at the Dag Hammarskjöld Plaza in front of the United Nations building.



Member Jim Marshall and Field Coordinator Wayne Christopher getting the word out at the Conecuh Sausage Festival in Evergreen, Alabama.

II. Stop the New World Order

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The Real Agenda Behind the UN's COP26 Climate Conference

by John F. McManus, *President Emeritus*

In some ways, the COP26 conference, held in early November in Glasgow, Scotland, was predictable. World leaders warned about a pending climate catastrophe while using their carbon-spewing private jets to get to and from the event. Other aspects were more sinister; for example, 80 countries, including the United States, endorsed a plan to integrate national power grids — undermining national sovereignty — in the name of fighting climate change.

But to grasp the full meaning of COP26, one must understand the threat to freedom posed by the United Nations, among other international groups. COP26 is the 26th annual UN-arranged gathering of representatives of the world's nations to study and devise solutions to what was originally termed "global warming" and is now addressed as "climate change." COP stands for "Conference of Parties," the original name of the annual gathering.

The media and the Deep State have relentlessly drilled the "climate crisis" narrative into the public's thinking, so much so that many now accept it as fact. But many climatologists disagree that human activity, such as the burning of fossil fuels, is causing an increase in the Earth's temperature. Furthermore, they and others note that carbon dioxide is needed to grow food and has never been a threat to mankind's survival.

A hard look at what COP26 is really designed to accomplish will reveal it to be a promotion of international control of human activity that ultimately will enslave the world's people. It's that simple and that sinister.

There are, unfortunately, real threats to freedom being promoted by the UN and its associated organizations. These include depopulation programs; the COVID-19 pandemic, an opportunity to establish full control over humanity; and destruction of fundamental civilized mores via abortion, alteration of sexual identity, breakup of families, drug usage, indecent dress, abandonment of religion, and declining language standards. What was untouchable only decades ago is now targeted by governments, media giants, educationists, religious innovators, and others. Entire pillars of society are under attack, and the underminers of what has always been characterized as both normal and good are winning a culture war

that only a few understand is even raging — and only another few are determined to stop the descent into planned barbarism. This has to change!

The following named individuals are actual promoters of this conspiracy: President Joe Biden has adopted the UN's "Build Back Better" slogan popularized by promoters of the Great Reset scheme. Henry Kissinger proudly admitted his awareness that COVID-19 would be used to control Americans. Dr. Anthony Fauci has been lying about sending U.S. taxpayers' money to fund the Chinese laboratory where COVID-19 likely was created. John Kerry is a financial investor in a Chinese slave labor factory making solar panels used to fight "climate change." Bill Gates has earmarked some of his fortune to back depopulation schemes. Nancy Pelosi, Chuck Schumer, and others are working feverishly to enact programs that will destroy the U.S. dollar's value. These are only some of the individuals whose efforts are leading to destruction of our nation and cancellation of the way of life of a once-free people.

The real question is this: What can be done in response? The answer starts with showing enough fellow Americans that the UN isn't a peace-loving or beneficent organization. It is, and always has been, a launching pad for most of what is plaguing our nation. Would getting out of the UN solve all of the problems listed above? No, but that one step would signal a strong beginning of the needed dismantling of what is being shoved down the throats of decent people. There is a silent majority who don't want what is occurring and what is planned for the immediate future by the UN, Great Reset promoters, and enemies of the goodness and success of our nation. If this first step to stop the slide into barbarism can be achieved, we will have broken the back of the conspiracy that is behind the kinds of destruction mentioned above.

So, start planning your own local "Get US Out! of the UN" campaign. Set up a table at a convention, market, or other busy place. You will likely be surprised to find that many fellow Americans already agree that the U.S. should leave the UN. These Americans know "something is wrong" and that correction is needed.

The John Birch Society can accomplish its longstanding goal to have Congress pull our nation out of the UN's clutches, preferably by passing the American Sovereignty Restoration Act. If we intensify our efforts to educate the electorate and to influence our officials, we can and will succeed in untangling our nation from this and other threats to freedom.

ACTION SUMMARY

- Set up a table or hold an event to educate Americans on the threat to liberty posed by the United Nations. Visit <https://jbs.org/un/un-action/> for resources you can use to accomplish this. ■

III. The Constitution

A. Stop the Con-Con

In 2022, Focus on Defeating and Rescinding Con-Con Applications

by Peter Rykowski, *Research Associate*

The legislatures of most states will reconvene in January of next year. For patriots, this presents both an opportunity and a challenge: an opportunity to advance legislation that protects and restores our God-given individual freedoms, and a challenge to stop measures that do the opposite.

One of the most important battles in state capitols this coming year is over state applications for a constitutional convention (Con-Con), under Article V of the U.S. Constitution. Pushed by organizations such as Convention of States (COS) and Wolf-PAC, a convention risks opening up the Constitution to radical revisions that would decimate our individual freedom. It is imperative that we defeat this insidious threat.

Although patriots in every state must stay on guard against Con-Con activity, there are some states we must watch particularly closely. In multiple states, Con-Con resolutions have passed either the state house or senate, and risk passing the other. These include Georgia (SR 28 and SR 29), North Carolina (H172, H233), South Carolina (H3205), Tennessee (HJR 8), West Virginia (SCR 5), and Wisconsin (AJR 9). Furthermore, Nebraska's unicameral legislature is at risk of passing COS resolution LR 14. Other Con-Con resolutions have been introduced in most of these states. We cannot afford to be complacent or let down our guard in these states.

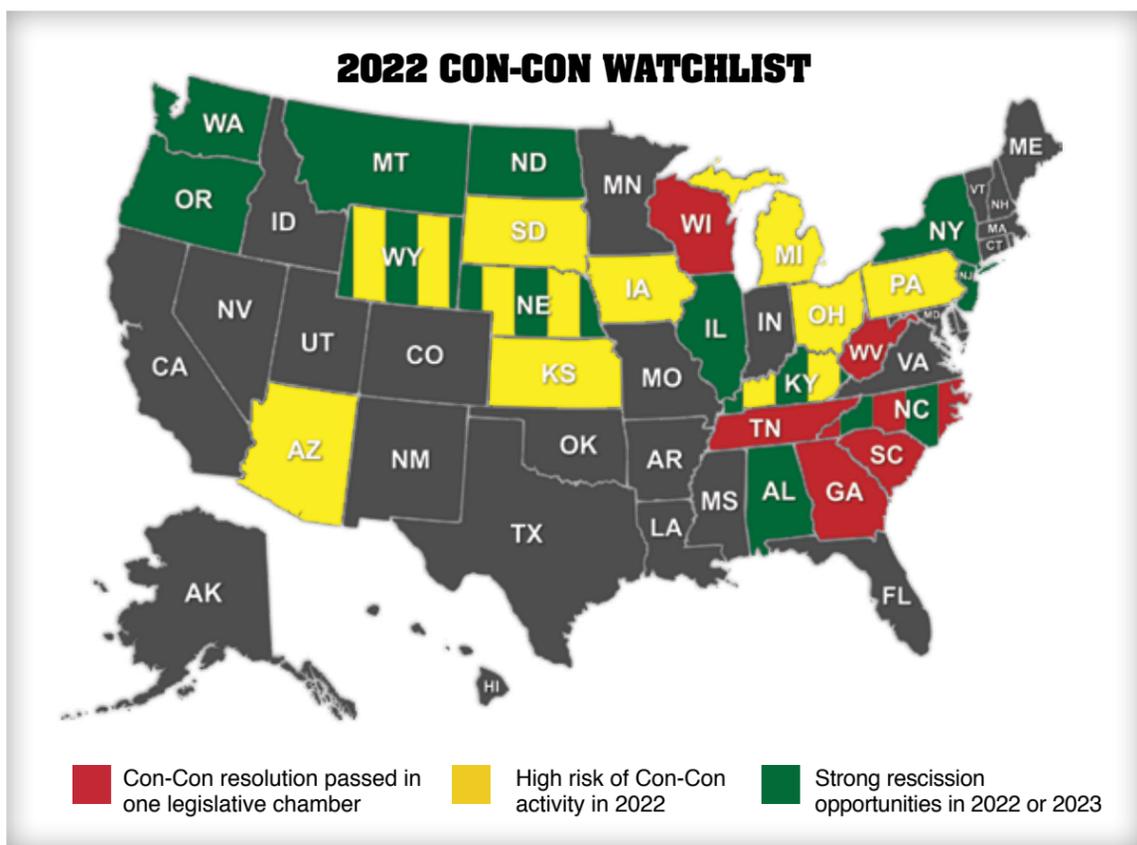
Other states are also at serious risk of considering or passing Con-Con resolutions next year. They include — but are not limited to — Arizona, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, and Wyoming. These states have seen much Con-Con activity in the past year and look poised to pass resolutions — if patriots don't act decisively.

However, being on defense with no offense is a poor strategy that will ultimately result in defeat. In addition to stopping new Con-Con applications, we must focus on rescinding existing ones. Already, two states — Nebraska (LR 28) and North Carolina (HJR 146) — have pending rescission resolutions that patriots must urge their legislators to pass. In North Carolina, a potential selling point to the Republican-controlled legislature is the fact that in 1949, the state applied to Congress for a convention to propose amendments implementing a world federation and a world constitution. This application has not been rescinded.

Other ripe rescission opportunities include Illinois, Kentucky, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, and Washington, which have antiquated resolutions that Balanced Budget Amendment (BBA) advocates are aiming to use to advance their particular Con-Con scheme. Most of these states' legislatures are Democrat-controlled and could be convinced to support rescission. States that either recently defeated Con-Con resolutions or have seen opposition to a convention among influential opinion molders — including Alabama, Montana, North Dakota, and Wyoming — also present strong rescission opportunities.

If we are to save our Constitution, patriots in any of the above states must actively be in contact with their legislators and the relevant committees — not only to oppose a Con-Con, but to educate legislators about superior alternatives. Rather than pursuing a dangerous method that could lead to radical amendments or an entirely new constitution, legislators

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Multiple states are at risk of passing Con-Con applications next year. Patriots must contact their state legislators urging them to oppose new applications and to rescind existing applications, particularly in the states highlighted in green.

would be wise to enforce the Constitution, such as nullifying unconstitutional federal actions under the Constitution's Article VI, which obligates such actions. For examples of how nullification has been used successfully both historically and recently, visit <https://jbs.org/6not5/6not5-action/>.

In addition to enforcing the Constitution through nullification, state legislators must put their energy into ending their dependence on the federal government for funding. Further, rather than using term limits to throw out congressmen who don't follow the Constitution, the electorate needs to be educated to stop electing such individuals. All of these solutions are significantly more effective than a Con-Con at advancing positive change.

As 2022 begins, let's not get complacent about the Con-Con threat. Rather, in addition to actively working to stop new applications, let's advance rescission resolutions and positive alternatives such as nullification. Through education and coordinated action, we will win the battle for our Constitution.

ACTION SUMMARY

- Regularly get in contact with your legislators and educate them on the dangers of a Con-Con and the benefits of alternatives such as nullification.
- If you live in one of the states listed above with pending Con-Con resolutions, work to stop the measure(s) in your state. Furthermore, work on getting a resolution introduced and passed in your state to rescind all existing Con-Con applications.
- Go to our "Stop a Con-Con" action project page at https://jbs.org/concon/c_oncon-action/ to find our educational tools and legislative action alerts. ■

E. Restore Election Integrity

Political Theater — Texas Size

by Kurt Hyde, Council Member

Texas's much-publicized Election Integrity Protection Act started out as a good bill, but morphed into yet another "election integrity" bill that took one step forward and two steps back. In its original state, it was a huge step in the right direction. It passed the Texas Senate and went to the House. Election integrity advocates were elated, but that euphoria didn't last long.

Then came the political theater. Act One occurred on March 25 when the House Elections Committee was scheduled to hear testimony on HB 6, a House bill on election integrity. It was considerably weaker than SB 7, the original iteration of the election integrity bill. Multiple election integrity advocates traveled to Austin, some of them staying overnight, just to get a few minutes each to testify in favor of HB 6 with hoping to see it modified to be more like SB 7. Their money and time were wasted. At the beginning of the hearing, Elections Committee Chair Briscoe Cain gave the gavel, supposedly temporarily, to committee co-chair Jessica González (D-Dallas). Once Cain had finished answering questions about the bill, he attempted to regain his position as chair of the hearing, but González refused. Cain did regain his position as chair of the hearing by moving for a recess, which was passed, but because he hadn't included an ending time for the recess, it became an indefinite recess and the hearing ended with no action. This was a huge blow to the election integrity advocates, especially those who spent time and money going to Austin to testify.

Act Two of the political theater in Austin started as that session ended. The House Calendars Committee scheduled the election integrity bill last on the agenda. That's when the Democratic legislators walked out of the House, creating a lack of quorum. The theatrics made it appear that the Democrats outsmarted the Republicans, but it was actually the Republicans who enabled them by slow-walking the election integrity bills, stalling them in committee while prioritizing the passage of special-interest legislation. The walkout continued into the second special session.

The mainstream news media covered the theatrics, including the legislative walkouts, but gave very



Texas governor Greg Abbott and Republican legislative leaders hailed the Election Integrity Protection Act as a victory for accurate elections. However, a look at the bill's provisions reveals that it undermined election integrity in several areas.

little coverage to the major changes to the bill that were occurring behind the scenes. Another reason the changes have been so well hidden is because the original Senate-passed bill was 38 pages long, while the final bill, numbered as SB 1, was 76 pages. One change alone should raise questions — the final bill twice referred to our form of government as a "constitutional democracy."

Here are just a few of the changes: Poll watchers, rather than being empowered, are further hampered under the new bill. Traditional American elections were open to the public. Anyone who wanted to walk in and observe the voting or vote count was welcome to do so. There were no prohibitions against photography. All that was necessary was that the person not be disruptive. Under current law in Texas, poll watchers need to be appointed, and no electronic images or sound recordings are allowed. This suppresses the gathering of evidence. Under the original wording of SB 7, poll watchers were to have those recording rights restored, and even have a process by which such evidence could be transmitted immediately to the secretary of state's office if the poll watcher had reason to believe there were violations of the law.

Guess what happened while the public was distracted by the theatrics? The restoration of the right of poll watchers to make recordings was removed and further suppression of poll watching was inserted. From now on, no one will be allowed to be appointed as a poll watcher unless he has completed a training course run by the secretary of state's office and has a current certificate. Government certification of poll watchers was high on the wish list of many liberals. This will pull the rug out from under many attempts at poll watching.

But it gets worse. The new version of the law requires observers to "observe without obstructing the conduct of an election" and not to interfere. That sounds reasonable at first, but many poll watchers in Texas have been falsely accused of obstructing or interfering in the process by poll workers who deliberately got in the way of the watchers. Under the new law, there will be a process for the election officials to call law enforcement to remove poll watchers. Without the ability to record images or sound, how can the poll watchers prove themselves innocent?

Many other election integrity provisions were altered behind the curtain. Under the original bill, anyone who simultaneously assists three or more voters (other than relatives) with transportation would need to fill out a form. This was designed

to curb drive-through voting by the carload. The number "three" was changed to "seven" while the public was distracted by the theatrics. Unfortunately, the examples mentioned above are not the only such behind-closed-doors betrayals.

Many politicians, including Republican legislators, are touting this bill as an improvement as they seek reelection. Perhaps they haven't read it, or perhaps they don't understand traditional American election integrity. Electing informed and responsible legislators starts with an informed public. If you are not currently involved in a Restore Election Integrity committee, then consider creating or joining one. Don't expect any political party to save America or clean up our elections. Remember the words of Professor Carroll Quigley in his book *Tragedy and Hope*: "The two parties should be almost identical, so that the American people can 'throw the rascals out' at any election without leading to any profound or extensive shifts in policy."

ACTION SUMMARY

- Activate a Restore Election Integrity committee to effectively advocate for election integrity reforms in your state. For instructions on how to do this, go to <https://jbs.org/assets/pdf/REI-Committee-Manual.pdf>.
- Contact your state legislators and urge them to adopt the election integrity reforms listed at <https://jbs.org/vote/solutions/>. ■

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**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

Wikipedia is heavily biased against constitutionalism, yet it is one of the most-viewed websites worldwide. To mitigate this bias, not only must we participate in editing it, but we must learn how to do so effectively. Members interested in learning how to edit Wikipedia in an organized manner are encouraged to contact Peter Rykowski, prykowski@jbs.org.

VI. The New American

Trumpworld

by Larry Greenley, Associate Editor, The New American

Trumpworld is something unprecedented from *The New American*. It is not just another “special report” that contains the same number of pages (48) that a regular issue has, only with all the editorial pages devoted to one topic, such as the North American Union or Agenda 2030.

In contrast, this special collector's edition of *TNA* is comprised of 96 pages, twice the usual number, with no ads and with an average of two-thirds of each page devoted to photos — which makes it a real page-turner and outreach educational tool.

What *Trumpworld* Is About

By now you're probably wondering what *Trumpworld* is about. Here's how *TNA* editor Gary Benoit describes the *Trumpworld* movement in the opening article, “An Honest Look at *Trumpworld*”:

Trumpworld is an unstoppable political movement that propelled a political outsider into the White House despite the wrath of the entrenched insiders who have long operated the levers of power in both government and the media. Furthermore, we firmly believe, this extraordinary political movement will ultimately prevail in the restoration of America, regardless of what happens to Trump.

As the above quote reveals, *Trumpworld* is more about the political movement that led to Trump's election to the presidency than it is about Trump himself, and is more about the confidence we have that the movement will restore freedom in America than it is about all the dangers to freedom that we face. President Trump himself was imperfect, as we saw with certain issues such as the globalist USMCA and Operation Warp Speed, but the movement behind him is genuine and has real potential to restore our country.

Here's another statement regarding what *Trumpworld* is about, by *TNA* publisher Dennis Behreandt:

[The] *Trumpworld* [movement] seems poised to create an unprecedented inflection point in

American politics in the future as it reacts to the rapid leftward lurch of the Biden administration. This special collector's edition of *The New American* commemorates the world-historical proportions and importance of the *Trumpworld* mass movement, its achievements in placing Donald Trump into the Oval Office, and the implications of its continuing influence on American life in the near future.

If you think about what is being said about the *Trumpworld* movement in the above quote, you'll begin to realize that it has been created by many decades of Birchers and their allies educating the electorate. We Birchers have a lot of sweat equity in the *Trumpworld* movement, and we need to leverage this equity into a restoration of freedom in America. A good way to do this is by getting *Trumpworld* into the hands of your JBS prospects and opinion molders.

How to Get Copies of *Trumpworld*

As this is being written in early November, we won't get delivery of our first copies of *Trumpworld* for another week or so. We have arranged to sell *Trumpworld* at certain newsstands, such as bookstores; however, the greatest number of *Trumpworld* issues will doubtless be distributed by JBS members and *TNA* subscribers.

We have prudently ordered a relatively small initial stock of *Trumpworld*; however, we are cautiously optimistic that it will be very popular and that we will be forced to order many reprintings.

Trumpworld is only available as a printed version. Go to [ShopJBS.org](https://shopjbs.org) to order your copy. We have priced a single copy at \$14.99 in accordance with the pricing of publications of similar size and quality on newsstands. However, we have established favorable discounts for multiple-copy orders, with our lowest price of \$6.25 a copy for 80 or more.

ACTION SUMMARY

- Order at least one copy of *Trumpworld* and read it to see how you could use it to help restore freedom in America.
- Order multiple copies of *Trumpworld* and distribute them to your JBS prospects and opinion molders in your community. Follow up to recruit them into membership. ■

IX. Pending Legislation

Legislative Action Alerts on JBS.org

by Peter Rykowski, Research Associate

Go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/> to find our full lists of “Federal Legislative Action Alerts” and “State Legislative Action Alerts.” You can also click on “Contact Elected Officials,” which is listed on the same “Legislative Alerts” page, to find contact information for your representative and senators in Congress and your state legislators. Additionally, you can subscribe to federal legislative alert text updates by texting “JBS” to 1-800-527-8721.

Support **Get US Out!** of the United Nations (contact your congressmen)

Go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/federal/> to contact your U.S. representative and senators, and urge them to reintroduce and support the “American Sovereignty Restoration Act,” which would withdraw U.S. membership in the UN.

Support **H.R. 3860 to End Tyrannical Military Vaccine Mandate** (contact your congressmen)

Go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/federal/> to contact your U.S. representative and senators in support of H.R. 3860, which would end the U.S. Armed Forces' tyrannical and senseless vaccine mandate for service members. Urge them to oppose the establishment of a biomedical security state and to instead follow the Constitution and respect our individual, God-given freedoms.

Oppose “Vaccine Passports” and Forced COVID-19 Vaccinations (contact your congressmen, state legislators, and governor)

Contact your federal and state officials and urge them to repeal every existing vaccine mandate and passport requirement and to oppose any new ones. Furthermore, tell them to preserve current religious, philosophical, and medical exemptions for vaccinations and, wherever possible, to add to or expand those exemptions. Especially for state legislators and governors, urge them to nullify unconstitutional federal mandates through nullification under Article VI of the Constitution. For more details, go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/state/>.

Conduct Full Forensic Election Audits (contact your state legislators)

It is imperative that states conduct full forensic audits of the 2020 election and establish robust processes to audit future elections. Please go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/state/> to contact your state legislators. Inform them of the areas in state law that make elections vulnerable to fraud, and how a forensic audit would help resolve these vulnerabilities. Furthermore, urge them against conducting a “fake” or watered-down audit that does not adequately determine the extent of election fraud.

Support Election Integrity in Congress (contact your congressmen)

Please contact your U.S. representative and senators in support of restoring election integrity. Urge them to block legislation, including the unconstitutional “For the People Act” (H.R. 1, S. 1, and S. 2093), “John R. Lewis Voting Rights Advancement Act” (H.R. 4), and “Freedom to Vote Act” (S. 2747) that enable fraud. Furthermore, tell them to repeal existing laws that undermine election integrity and — working within constitutional boundaries — to enact substantive safeguards. For more information, go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/federal/>.

Support Defund Public Schools (contact your state legislators and governor)

Public schools in the United States are beyond repair. Accordingly, state legislatures and governors should take action to end all support for any government school — and any other institution — that indoctrinates children against Americanist and Judeo-Christian principles. For more details, go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/state/>.

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With its expert reporting, *Trumpworld* focuses on *Trumpworld* and the movement behind Trump's successes, which in turn leads to a realization of the importance of the many decades of Birchers and their allies educating the electorate.

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Globalist "Great Reset": The End of Freedom

Welcome to the Great Reset, where globalists say you will own nothing, and like it. The Deep State is using COVID-19 hysteria as an excuse to fundamentally change us and how we live — and not for the better. Learn how to resist. * Zoom Only

Save Our Children — And Our Nation

More than 85% of American children are being indoctrinated by radicalized government schools. Alex Newman shows how dangerous this threat is and what you and every American should do about it.



Crisis in Contemporary Education

How did we get here? Recent educational overreaches have finally awakened parents across the country to the ongoing transformation of education that has been occurring right under our noses. Dr. Duke Pesta explains how we've moved from emphasizing knowledge-based mastery of subject matter to a politicized approach that diminishes achievement in favor of social-justice indoctrination. He also offers alternatives for education, and explains how parents can take action against the degrading public school system.



China: The Deep State's Trojan Horse in America

The problem with Chinese communist infiltration and influence in America is overwhelming, yet few Americans know the depth of it. Plus, if not for the influence of the Deep State, China would not be a problem either internationally or within the United States.

Restore Election Integrity

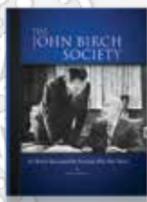
Although 2020 is the year millions of Americans lost faith in our elections, election systems all across the country have been deteriorating for decades. It's time to secure our elections with transparency and simplification.

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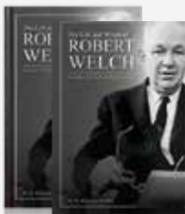


The John Birch Society: Its History Recounted by Someone Who Was There

by John F. McManus
An inside historical look at The John Birch Society as presented by someone who closely worked with JBS Founder Robert Welch and became one of its most important leaders. (2018, 472pp, hb, 1/\$20.95ea; 2-11/\$16.95ea; 12+/\$16.00ea) **BKJBSST**

Birchtionary — BOOKLET

Designed for John Birch Society activists, this booklet defines words and terms used by JBS members. Entries range from JBS "in-house" terminology to words pertaining to the globalist agenda that are relatively unknown to most Americans. Perfect for new members. (2018, 53pp, 1-9/\$3.95ea; 10-49/\$3.70ea; 50-74/\$3.45ea; 75-99/\$3.20ea; 100+/\$2.95ea) **BKLTJBSB**



The Life and Words of Robert Welch

by G. Edward Griffin
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Historical Prints — Set of Six

Includes three documents (Declaration of Independence, Bill of Rights, and Constitution) and two paintings, plus a free *Call to Arms* print. (\$39.95ea) **HISPRINTS**



2022 JBS Calendar

Plan your activism activities with this new JBS monthly calendar. It includes available start and end dates for state legislatures and valuable coupon codes, exclusive to calendar buyers, for ShopJBS.org! Made in the USA! (1/\$7.95ea; 2-4/\$6.95ea; 5+/\$5.00ea) **CALJBS22**



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This mug is wide at the bottom and outfitted with non-skid rubber for sturdiness. Just try to knock it over! Also comes with a snap-on, thumb-slide lid and is double-wall constructed so your beverage stays hot (or cold)! Polypropylene material, BPA free, made in the USA. Hand-wash recommended. (1/\$7.95ea; 2+/\$6.00ea) **MUGJBSCH60**



JBS 60th Anniversary Ceramic Mug

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JBS 60th Anniversary Pin

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JBS Eagle Lapel Pin

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The Robert Welch Presentations — Six DVD Set

by Robert Welch
The Robert Welch Presentations capture the best of Welch's uniquely prophetic speeches from 1959 to 1974. These speeches established the philosophical foundation and grassroots organization of The John Birch Society, and provided the impetus for today's rapidly growing movement to restore freedom under the Constitution. The set includes six DVDs: 1. *The Life of John Birch*; 2. *An Intro to the JBS, What Is the JBS, and An Invitation to Membership*; 3. *The Touch of Sanity*; 4. *The Truth in Time*; 5. *In One Generation — Part 1*; 6. *In One Generation — Part 2, Look at the Score*. (2009ed, 553 total minutes, \$29.95ea) **DVDSRWP**



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Here is a little preview of our new look!

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Support Stop Article V Convention Applications (contact your state legislators)

Go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/state/> to urge your state legislators to oppose all Article V Convention applications. Additionally, if your state already has an active Article V Convention application, urge your legislators to rescind it.

Support Nullification to Enforce the Constitution (contact your state legislators)

Nullification, rooted in Article VI of the Constitution, is the Founders' solution to an out-of-control federal government. Urge your state legislators to pursue strong bills that uphold the U.S. Constitution and nullify unconstitutional federal laws and edicts. Many realistic methods exist for legislators to pursue. For more information, go to <https://jbs.org/alerts/state/>. ■

General and Miscellaneous

Make the Most of Local and Social Media

by Paul Dragu, Director of Communications

On September 29, the *Kingman Miner*, a small, local

newspaper in Kingman, Arizona, published an article titled "John Birch Society gets Kingman chapter."

"The Kingman chapter of the John Birch Society, with a 'foundation in the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and a belief in God who endows each person with rights,' aims to educate locally while making national and international impacts," the lead reads. The reporter goes on to quote Kingman JBS Chapter Leader Kris Rodarte, who explains how that Chapter came about and what the JBS is about. The article is fair, even when it mentions the negative publicity the JBS has received in the past.

This is a good example of how we can help spread the word about our local Chapters by using local media. While Birchers, of all people, have good reason to be skeptical of the news media, given the fractious history between the media and the JBS, keep in mind that there are many small newspapers all across the country run by normal people with no connections to leftist Big Media — people who are part of the community they write about.

If there is a local paper nearby, we encourage you to reach out to the editor next time you have an event, or for other newsworthy reasons. Write the editor an

email or visit him in person. Let him know about your local Chapter and the work you are doing, and ask if he would like to cover it.

Of course, there is a risk. If you know for sure that your local newspaper is run by raging leftists, you might as well save your efforts. But if you're not sure, or if you have reason to suspect that your local paper is run by reasonable, objective news people, it might be worth the risk to try to get exposure. If successful, this can help your Chapter's influence.

Also, we'd like to encourage Birchers who are already active on social media to regularly share JBS and TNA content on your personal social media page. Since Big Tech shadow-bans and outright restricts our content, we already have an uphill battle. But if the Bircher army provides an organic social media "boost," it would help offset the censorship efforts of Big Tech.

Thank you for everything you do, and keep up the great work! ■

Patriots Corner

In Memory of Cliff Goehring

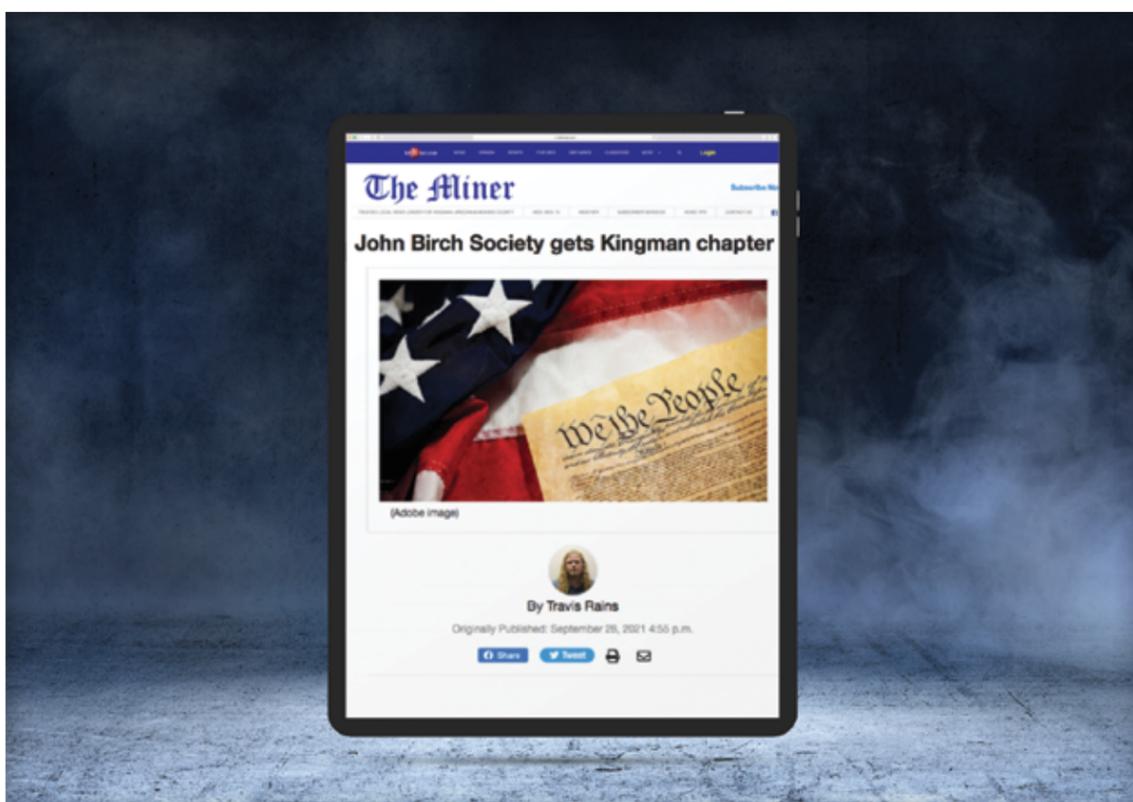
Former Council & Executive Committee member, Chapter & Section Leader, Speaker & TRIM Chairman, & Bookstore owner. He did it all & will be missed by thousands of patriots.

— Charles and Linda Everett

In Memory of Chapter Member John Potts

Loving Husband, Father, Grandfather, & Patriot.

— Claremore, OK Chapter



The *Kingman Miner's* September 29 article (shown above) reporting on the establishment of a JBS Chapter in Kingman, Arizona, is an excellent example of using local media to aid in recruiting efforts.

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