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This report contains an over view of the public affairs programs and announcements aired by KDOW-AM Radio for the quarter just ended. For some time now, KDOW-AM has demonstrated a firm commitment to serve its listeners by airing in-depth interviews with newsmakers, community activists and community leaders in an effort to address matters that affect the quality of life here in Northern California.

KDOW airs a program that runs at various time during the weekend during peak listening hours called ***"Money Pulse"***, hosted by broadcast veterans Craig Roberts and Mark Morris, who take turns at the microphone. Locally produced, the program seeks to address areas of interest and concern to those living in both our community of license as well as the surrounding areas well within the reach of our signal addressing issues related to personal finance and money management insights with the nation's leading financial advisors.

In addition, KDOW-AM airs a weekly public affairs program called ***"Life!Line with Craig Roberts"***, which is presented each Saturday at 5:00AM and 11:00AM. Locally produced, the program seeks to address areas of interest and concern to those living in both our community of license as well as the surrounding areas well within the reach of our signal.

Topics and areas of concern addressed by the program include, for example, health matters (early cancer detection, treatment and prevention) education (home schooling, funding of public education and comprehensive student/teacher performance guidelines) women's issues (menopausal treatment, breast cancer awareness, employment) and issues of concern to minorities (bi-lingual education, immigration issues, racism), among dozens of other topics.

Issues to be addressed are culled out from a vast list of local activists, listener feedback and interview requests from local and regional community leaders.

Additionally, the program provides opportunities for listeners to speak out on topics of concern, as well as the chance to speak directly with experts and community leaders on a variety of topics that affect the quality of life for them and their family.

The station also airs messages of thirty to sixty seconds in length throughout its broadcast schedule provided to us by a number of community-based and government-based organizations. Subject's in the recent past have included but are not limited to crime reduction, recycling program awareness, senior issues, assistance programs for parents of children with learning disabilities and immunization programs for people at risk (elderly/HIV/children).

The following is a list of problems, needs and interests compiled from over two hundred interviews from a diverse list of community leaders throughout the Bay Area and Northern California.

Problems Needs and Interests

1. Minority Challenges (discrimination, housing, employment, education).
2. Problems of the Elderly.
3. Youth and Education.
4. Unemployment, Finances and the Economy.
5. Gender Challenges (women suffering discrimination, employment problems, and domestic violence).
6. Environment.
7. Urban Problems (overcrowding, urban blight).
8. Housing.
9. Health.
10. Crime and the Criminal Justice System.

The following pages list some of the programs that have dealt specifically with the afore-mentioned list of issues and problems. In addition, because of the nature of our basic programming philosophy and program content, many of our programs often address one or more of these issues on a daily basis. Included are a multiplicity of issues confronting American society today, particularly those dealing with crime, drug and alcohol abuse, racism, sexism, ethical and moral conduct, sexual mores, familial relationships, education, international relations, and terrorism.



**TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P**

PROGRAM DATE: Wed., October 1, 2014

5:20pm-5:50pm

Guest: MELIK KAYLAN

> co-author of *The Russia-China Axis: The New Cold War and America's Crisis of Leadership* (Encounter Books)

> written about international politics and culture for the *Wall Street Journal*, *Newsweek*, and *Forbes* for more than two decades.

Note: He has regularly reported from conflict zones throughout the world, from the North Korean border to the Caucasus, the Middle East, and the former Iron Curtain countries.

Topic: book > a look at the Russians & Chinese and what they're up to in light of recent world events.

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This article may help in your prep. Your guest wrote it:

Ukraine, ISIS, Scotland: A Critical Time When We Could Lose Everything. Everything. What To Do.

As Ukraine's President Poroshenko visits the White House and the US Congress weighs up ISIL, the question arises: which is the higher priority, which the greater threat? Can we deal with both simultaneously and adequately? Realistically speaking,

must we focus on one before the other owing to our increasingly constrained resources? And what about the pivot to Asia – that particular long term strategy, a deeply considered policy compared to the others, seems to have faded from view. In all of this, Scotland thinks it has the leisure to consider secession.

These are exactly the issues addressed in our just-released book "The Russia-China Axis: The New Cold War And America's Crisis Of Leadership". My co-writer Douglas E. Schoen is a prominent political commentator, former pollster-strategist to the likes of President Clinton and Mayor Bloomberg, multiple author of books on domestic and foreign policy. Suffice to say, between us Doug and I bring several decades of expertise to the book's subject. And here's our conclusion: American isolationism creates the kind of vacuums that make the world dangerous for our allies and ultimately for ourselves. We must engage fully but selectively and with planning. Of all the threats we face, superpowers with nukes underpinned by thoroughly orchestrated global strategies present a much greater threat. Plus, as we show in the book, they're in the business of using third party rogue states to keep us distracted.

In recent days, I have personally heard from a friend very well connected to Chinese politburo members that they're very pleased with the trouble in Ukraine as a way of distracting the US from Asia. And secondly I have heard from contacts in Ukraine's parliament that the message to them from the Obama administration boils down to this: you're on your own. The Bush administration wasn't much better when it came to Putin's invasion of Georgia. All because of our enmired condition in the Mideast.

After all, it was during the Iraq-Afghan ten years war that Moscow re-expanded leverage over its former Empire and China grew into a global economic giant. You may or may not believe my personal sources but recent history shows how the US, even at its most engaged abroad, cannot manage multiple world challenges effectively.

We must choose. Not least because distracting developments such as those in Iraq and Syria could well be intentional. Just in the last days, the Iranians have actually bemoaned America's reluctance to put boots on the ground. Assadists have bombed moderate Syrian rebels while leaving ISIS/ISIL untouched, just one more illustration of how Assad has allowed ISIS to grow. There's mounting evidence that America is being deliberately sucked back into Mideast wars.

We seem to have arrived at a moment of maximum vulnerability and toothlessness, not to say aimlessness, in our global affairs. When I say we, I mean the US and the West generally. As our rivals and enemies gear up, co-ordinate and take aim at our interests, we forget yesterday's lessons and refight the wrong battles. Our rivals have a vision, we don't. We blunder randomly in and out of complex scenarios, unprepared, incoherent in our responses. Imagine how it looks to our allies, or to any country on the point of choosing sides, from the Caribbean to Africa to the Pacific.

Meanwhile our own partners act as if they have all the time and leisure to doodle with internal preoccupations. Scotland, for heaven's sake! Our enemies expand in size while we fragment. We have no such luxury in the real world but we refuse to live in it. Europe refuses to defend its borders. Germany is addicted to Russian gas, London to oligarch money, the US to investments in China and loans therefrom. It's harder

for us to maneuver resolutely now than it was during the Cold War because we have become so dependent on our authoritarian rivals – who have no such problem because they control their economies, their media and public opinion, and can steer decisively.

What to do. President Obama cannot afford to dwell on the Jacobean horrors of ISIS while we fail to face up to the greater threat. As I wrote in a previous column, he seems finally to have evolved some political guile in his approach to that region, making lots of brave noises and looking busy while pushing the players to engage for themselves. An American land war there would only repeat the Bush era mistakes. ISIL's fate offers no index to America's honor or the West's civilization.

Mr.Obama is wise to keep it that way. But Europe and Ukraine are a different matter altogether. To the world, Ukraine's collapse looks like the West's failure and Putin's triumph. Unchecked, the momentum will continue and tilt the global balance. Eastern Europe, Hungary, Belarus, Serbia, all dithering now, will fall under Moscow's shadow again. This week, Prime Minister Modi of India is welcomed a visit from China's leader while gearing up for tete-a-tetes with Putin and Obama. India too can wobble away toward its former non-alignment. All eyes look to American and European resolve in Ukraine. It's no exaggeration to say that Western failure there will trigger a continuous testing by others of our collective borders, our universal principles and our global networks of trade.

This is what our book is about. We embarked on it three years ago with the intention of warning Americans and allies about the rising Russia-China threat. By the time we finished, everything we envisioned in the future was happening in the present. It will continue to happen at twice the pace if we don't push back. That means arming Ukraine for self-defense. It means ending our own unilateral nuclear disarmament as Russia and China up their arsenals. Once again, China's been caught hacking into our defenses

The new Cold War is here in space, cyber-space and economic might. Our media still hasn't awakened to its responsibilities – our rivals can lead us by the nose any time they want via our own media. They easily dictate the news cycle. Georgia's Saakashvili was blamed when Putin invaded his country. Our media swallowed it. The smearing of Ukraine's patriots as fascists found too many takers. Meanwhile Russians shot down a civilian airliner and got away with it. Moscow's ally Assad repeatedly used chemical weapons in Syria and survived it. Like the struggle ahead of us, the argument is a long one and takes a book to unfold with the necessary meticulous evidence and detailed solutions. It's the critical hour and our side cannot ignore it any longer.

6:00pm

Guest: JOE MURRAY

> Writer, Constitutional Attorney, Reporter

Topic: headline news

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1. Ebola in the U.S. With a potential second case, there are some questions mounting. Can this be contained? Could we have done anything to stop it from coming here?

Officials: Second person being monitored for Ebola

Marjorie Owens, WFAA-TV, Dallas-Fort Worth 5:03 p.m. EDT October 1, 2014

DALLAS — Health officials are closely monitoring a possible second Ebola patient who had close contact with the first person to be diagnosed in the U.S., the director of Dallas County's health department said Wednesday.

All who have been in close contact with the man officially diagnosed are being monitored as a precaution, Zachary Thompson, director of Dallas County Health and Human Services, said in a morning interview with WFAA-TV, Dallas-Fort Worth.

"Let me be real frank to the Dallas County residents: The fact that we have one confirmed case, there may be another case that is a close associate with this particular patient," he said. "So this is real. There should be a concern, but it's contained to the specific family members and close friends at this moment."

The director continued to assure residents that the public isn't at risk because health officials have the virus contained.

On Tuesday, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention confirmed a patient at Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas was the first person to be diagnosed in the United States with the Ebola virus.

Thomas Eric Duncan had left Liberia on Sept. 19 and arrived in Dallas the following day.

On Sept. 26, he sought treatment at the hospital after becoming ill but was sent back to the northeast Dallas apartment complex where he was staying with a prescription for antibiotics. Duncan's sister, Mai Wureh, said he notified health-care workers that he was visiting from Liberia when they asked for his Social Security number and he told them he didn't have one.

Two days later, he was admitted to the hospital with more critical symptoms, after requiring an ambulance ride.

Duncan, whose condition was upgraded to serious from critical Wednesday, was in contact with at least five children from four schools before he was hospitalized, said Superintendent Mike Miles of Dallas Independent Schools. Each of those children have been kept home from school and are under precautionary monitoring.

"They are consulting with the county on any additional action that may need to be taken during the course of investigation," district spokesman Jon Dahlander said in a statement. "This is part of routine emergency operations during a health incident in the county. This is same protocol taken during things like flu and tuberculosis cases."

More than a half a dozen CDC employees arrived in Dallas after news of the diagnosis broke. The CDC and Dallas County are working together in what they call a contact investigation.

Anyone who had contact with the patient, including emergency room staff, will be under health officials' observation for 21 days. If any of those being monitored show symptoms, they'll be placed in isolation.

The three paramedics who transported the patient in Dallas are temporarily off duty and among those under observation. They have tested negative for the virus and are being restricted to their homes.

Stanley Gaye, president of the Liberian Community Association of Dallas-Fort Worth, said the 10,000-strong Liberian population in North Texas is skeptical of the CDC's assurances because Ebola has ravaged their country.

"We've been telling people to try to stay away from social gatherings," Gaye said at a community meeting Tuesday. Large get-togethers are a prominent part of Liberian culture.

Ebola symptoms can include fever, muscle pain, vomiting and bleeding and can appear as long as 21 days after exposure to the virus. The disease is not contagious until symptoms begin, and it takes close contact with bodily fluids to spread.

"We don't want to get a panic going," said Roseline Sayon, the association's vice president. "We embrace those people who are coming forward. Don't let the stigma keep you from getting tested."

Texas Health Director David Lakey, accompanied by Gov. Rick Perry, said the state has been preparing for the possibility of the virus landing here since August.

"This is a very sophisticated city, a very sophisticated hospital, ... and the chances of it being spread are very, very scarce," Lakey said.

Timeline

- **Sept. 19.** Thomas Eric Duncan leaves Monrovia, Liberia, for the United States, changing planes in Brussels, Belgium. He has been exposed to Ebola but is not exhibiting symptoms, so he is not contagious. It is unclear whether he knew he had been exposed.
- **Sept. 20.** Duncan arrives in Dallas to visit his sister.
- **Sept. 24.** Duncan's family members tell U.S. authorities this is the day he first felt sick. That is when he likely became contagious.
- **Sept. 26.** Duncan seeks treatment at Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas and is sent back to his sister's apartment with antibiotics.
- **Sept. 28.** Duncan is transported to the same hospital by ambulance. He is critically ill and put in isolation in the hospital's intensive care unit.
- **Sept. 30.** The federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention confirms that Duncan has been stricken with the Ebola virus, the first patient to be diagnosed in the USA.
- **Oct. 1.** Duncan's condition is upgraded from critical to serious, and health officials say they are closely monitoring a second patient who had contact with Duncan. Others who have been in contact with Duncan, including paramedics and children, are being observed for symptoms.

2. Secret Service Screw-Ups - Men are breaking into the WH, doors are unlocked, and an armed felon got in the elevator with the President. Is the Secret Service out of control? How safe is the President?

Secret Service director facing calls to resign after presidential security failures

Published October 01, 2014

Secret Service Director Julia Pierson is facing bipartisan pressure to consider resigning, on the heels of her Capitol Hill testimony on major security failures that have thrown into doubt the safety of the president and his family.

6:00pm-close

Guest: **DENNIS WOLFE**

> Author, *The Sick Solution: The Prescription for National Health*

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Topic: lament; sack cloth and ashes; and a cheerful update on Obamacare shenanigans

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WAL-MART CUTS HEALTH BENEFITS FOR SOME PART-TIMERS

NEW YORK (AP) -- Wal-Mart Stores Inc. plans to eliminate health insurance coverage for some of its part-time U.S. employees in a move aimed at controlling rising health care costs of the nation's largest private employer.

Wal-Mart told The Associated Press that starting Jan. 1, it will no longer offer health insurance to employees who work less than an average of 30 hours a week. The move affects 30,000 employees, or about 5 percent of Wal-Mart's total part-time workforce, but comes after the company already had scaled back the number of part-time workers who were eligible for health insurance coverage since 2011.

The announcement follows similar decisions by Target, Home Depot and others to completely eliminate health insurance benefits for part-time employees. It also comes a day after Wal-Mart said it is teaming up with an online health insurance agency called DirectHealth.com to help customers shop for health insurance plans.

"We had to make some tough decisions," Sally Welborn, Wal-Mart's senior vice president of benefits, told The Associated Press.

Welborn said she didn't know how much Wal-Mart will save by dropping part-time employees, but added that the company will use a third-party organization to help part-time workers find insurance alternatives: "We are trying to balance the needs of (workers) as well as the costs of (workers) as well as the cost to Wal-Mart."

The announcement comes after Wal-Mart said far more U.S. employees and their families are enrolling in its health care plans than it had expected following rollout of the Affordable Care Act, which requires big companies to offer coverage to employees working 30 hours or more a week or face a penalty. It also requires most Americans to have health insurance or pay a penalty.

Wal-Mart, which employs about 1.4 million full- and part-time U.S. workers, says about 1.2 million Wal-Mart workers and family members combined now participate in its health care plan. And that has had an impact on Wal-Mart's bottom line. Wal-Mart now expects the impact of higher health care costs to be about \$500 million for the current fiscal year, or about \$170 million higher than the original estimate of about \$330 million that it gave in February.

But Wal-Mart is among the last of its peers to cut health insurance for some part-time workers. In 2013, 62 percent of large retail chains didn't offer health care benefits to any of its part-time workers, according to Mercer, a global consulting company. That's up from 56 percent in 2009.

"Retailers who offer part-time benefits are more of an exception than the rule," says Beth Umland, director of research for health and benefits at Mercer.

Wal-Mart has been scaling back eligibility for part-time workers over the past few years, though. In 2011, Wal-Mart said it was cutting back eligibility of its coverage of part-time workers working less than 24 hours a week. And then in 2013, it announced a threshold of 30 hours or under.

Taking into account the latest move, Wal-Mart declined to say what percentage of total part-time workers will not have company-sponsored health care coverage starting next year.

Wal-Mart, like most big companies, also is increasing premiums, and out-of-pocket costs that employees pay, to counter rising health care costs. Wal-Mart told The Associated Press that it's raising premiums for all of its full-time and part-time workers: For a basic plan, of which 40 percent of its workers are enrolled, the premiums will go up to \$21.90 per pay period, up from \$18.40, starting Jan. 1.

Wal-Mart employees and their dependents will pay slightly more out-of-pocket for their care next year because the retailer has lowered the percentage of the bill it will cover for doctor visits, tests, and other services to 75 percent from 80 percent after the deductible is paid. But Wal-Mart spokesman Randy Hargrove also noted that the company hasn't changed the maximum amounts that people will have to pay out of pocket annually.

IRS Obamacare Rule Is Arbitrary Capricious and Abuse of Discretion

In his decision, U.S. District Judge Ronald White concluded Tuesday that the IRS rule altering the Obamacare law and providing billions in subsidies is "arbitrary, capricious and abuse of discretion":

"The court holds that **the IRS rule is arbitrary, capricious, and abuse of discretion** or otherwise not in accordance with law, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.706(2)(A), in excess of summary jurisdiction, authority or limitation, or short of statutory right, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 706(2)(C), or otherwise is an invalidation of the ACA [Affordable Care Act], and is hereby vacated. The court's order of vacatur is stayed, however, pending resolution of any appeal from this order."

In September 2012, Oklahoma was the first of several states to challenge the legality of an IRS rule that caused billions in subsidies to be paid out, despite Congress having never authorized those payments.

Oklahoma Attorney General Scott Pruitt hailed the state's victory in its lawsuit challenging the implementation of the Affordable Care Act:

"Today's ruling is a consequential victory for the rule of law. The administration and its bureaucrats in the IRS handed out billions in illegal tax credits and subsidies and vastly expanded the reach of the health care law because they didn't like the way Congress wrote the Affordable Care Act. That's not how our system of government works."

Pruitt said the ruling proves that the administration can't change a law by executive fiat:

"The Obama administration created this problem and rather than having an agency like the IRS rewrite a law it didn't like, the administration should have done the right thing and worked with Congress to amend the law. Oklahoma was the first to challenge the administration's actions and today's ruling vindicates what we recognized early on and that is the administration can't rewrite the Affordable Care Act by executive fiat."

He said the victory is just the beginning, because he fully expects the case to, ultimately, be decided by the Supreme Court:

"Today's ruling is a huge win for Oklahoma, but it's just a first step. Since Oklahoma filed the first lawsuit in 2012, others have followed our lead and made similar claims in other jurisdictions. It's likely this issue will ultimately be decided by the U.S. Supreme Court. We look forward to making our case and continuing the effort to hold federal agencies accountable to their duty to enforce the laws passed by Congress."

Oklahoma Sen. Jim Inhofe (R) also praised Judge White's decision, saying that the Obama Administration is trying to fix a legally-dubious law using waivers and exemptions:

"Today's decision is a reminder that the President's broken promises of affordable, accessible health care are the result of broken policy. The Obama Administration has

tried to make the law work with waivers and exemptions, but the courts continue to confront the legality of this legislation that was rushed through a Democrat-controlled Congress."

"While it will undoubtedly take time for Oklahoma's case to play out in the federal court system, I am confident in Attorney General Scott Pruitt and that our state's argument will prevail."

Tuesday's decision is the latest in a wave of court losses for Obamacare.

Currently, over a hundred lawsuits have been filed against Obamacare - and Obamacare has lost 91% of the cases decided to-date, (71 losses out of 78 decisions), according to the latest tally by The Beckett Fund.

WebMD Has Received 13 point 9M to Promote Obamacare

WebMD has received nearly \$14 million to promote Obamacare, as part of a government initiative designed to get Americans to turn to "official information" on the health care law.

The contract amount is much higher than was previously known, new documents revealed on Tuesday.

The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) released a "limited source justification" to extend WebMD's contract through September 2015. The government has obligated a total of \$13,932,914 for the "Affordable Care Act (ACA) and Health Care Priorities Educational Initiative" thus far.

The initiative gives funding to the health website WebMD to provide information to doctors and consumers about the "benefits" of the law.

"The Affordable Care Act (ACA) was signed into law on March 23, 2010," the contract document states. "As a result, the Act requires that CMS educate consumers about the benefits now available through that legislation."

"Health Care Providers (HCPs) are important partners to assist in this outreach as they interact with the patient in the most crucial time for decision making on health care," it said. "Additionally, CMS handles education on many priority health topics. This task order will allow CMS to reach a broader consumer and HCP audience on the aforementioned topics."

WebMD was first awarded the contract in September 2011. The document released on Tuesday authorizes the company to receive approximately \$650,000 more for the "continued education" of consumers through Sept. 15, 2015.

When the government's deal with WebMD was first revealed last November, the contract was reportedly worth \$4.8 million.

Guest: **SHERRY HIGGS**

> Founding CEO and Executive Director, **Drivers for Survivors, Inc.**

NOTE: In February 2010, at age 43, Sherry Higgs was diagnosed with a rare, and potentially life threatening breast cancer called IBC or Inflammatory Breast Cancer.

Topic:

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"Making a difference, one survivor at a time."

Drivers for Survivors provides free transportation services and supportive companionship for ambulatory cancer patients, freeing them to focus on their health and essential treatment.

Prior to her diagnosis, Sherry worked for 15 years at a Fortune 500 company as a successful Account Executive. She worked with various sized companies implementing full suites of solutions for payroll and Human Resource needs.

Today, Sherry's passion for living!, writing and sharing has led her to chronicle her experiences from the day of diagnosis to present date on her blog, *Boob is just Bob with an "O"*. With her writing, she connects and educates others on breast cancer related issues in a caring way that survivors, their family, their friends can relate and be inspired to advocate for positive change. Sherry has been featured on the cover of San Francisco Chronicle along with stories on both front page and local section of The Argus. Tri-City Voice, Bay Area News Group/Fremont Bulletin, and Tracy Press have also shared her story. She has also been covered on local on-line newspapers, such as Fremont/Newark/Union City Patch (AOL). Sherry appeared on KPIX CBS 5 evening news in an interview for Dr. Kim Mulvihill's Healthcare segment and on NBC's Bay Area Proud after being shadowed by Reporter Garvin Thomas for the day. Most recently she/DFS was featured on Comcast News makers and was heard on KDOW business radio American Dreams segment hosted by Alan Olsen full length interview titled "Success is Saving Lives". Sherry's articles and interviews can be found on her LinkedIn page, www.linkedin.com/in/sherryhiggs/.

Sherry's community educator work is most impactful when sharing her personal story which she does throughout the community. She has spoken for numerous service organizations such as the various local Chamber of Commerce Chapters, neighboring Rotary Clubs, The Lions Club, Citizens for Better Community, Soroptimist, Kiwanis, various church groups and community libraries. In November 2013 she shared her story

as a keynote speaker for Breast Cancer Connections Annual Convention and was invited by HERS Breast Cancer Foundation to speak as Honorary Chairperson for the upcoming | KEEP ABREAST 5k Walk, 5k/10k Run and Community Expo in September 2014!

Sherry was awarded into 2013 Alameda County Women's Hall of Fame as an Honoree for her achievements in Health and in 2014 named Hometown Hero in her community.

Sherry's desire to be an agent of change has set her on a mission to assist cancer patients. This passion has led to the creation of a newly formed 501 (c)(3) nonprofit charitable public organization, Drivers for Survivors. This foundation offers transportation services and companionship during treatments to oncology patients undergoing treatment in the Tri-city area of Newark, Fremont, and Union City. Most recently, in May 2014, ABC7 news covered Drivers for Survivors, on an evening segment in the bay area.

"I can't change the world, but I can change my world one person at a time".

~Sherry Higgs

5:20-5:45pm

Guest: **DR. TED BROER**

- > one of Americas leading nutritionists and biochemists with earned degrees in Biological Science and Chemistry and a second degree in Psychology and Exercise Physiology along with an MBA.
- > Awarded doctorate from South Eastern University.
- > Author, seminar speaker

Topic: Ebola in the U.S. – are we safe? How is it caught? Symptoms?

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Ted's Backup: [REDACTED]

FIRST U.S. PATIENT EBOLA CAS: Contagious Man Spent 8 Days in Dallas Before Going to Hospital; Died.

Unless you are living under a rock, you've heard the news of the first documented case of Ebola on U.S. soil in the history of The United States.

But did you know the man with Ebola walked around Dallas for 8 days after his return from Liberia before being admitted to a Dallas hospital?

For months, Dr. Ted Broer was one of the only health professionals predicting the likelihood that Ebola would make its way to The United States. Now he discusses its likely spreading and precautions Americans can take.

Dr. Broer doesn't candy coat the issue, explaining, "The Ebola virus presents a particularly nasty way to die."

He shares that according to the U.S. Center for Disease Control and Prevention, or CDC, "Early symptoms of the disease include ... sudden fever, chills and muscle aches." Around the fifth day after onset of symptoms, a skin rash can occur. Nausea, vomiting, chest pain, a sore throat, abdominal pain and diarrhea may follow. Symptoms become increasingly severe and may include jaundice, severe weight loss, mental confusion, shock and multi-organ failure."

There is no known cure or vaccine for the virus, and as many as 90 percent of those who contract the disease die from it.

Ted answers questions including: What are the odds of it infecting many people in the United States? Even if air travel is contained, could the porous southern border also

provide an avenue for Ebola to enter the country?

Up until this week, there has been no case of the disease has ever been reported in the U.S., the World Health Organization admits the current outbreak in Western Africa – which has infected at least two Americans working in relief efforts there – is the worst on record. Doctors Without Borders warns the outbreak is “out of control.”

So far, the current outbreak has infected thousands in Africa with some experts saying millions will die within months.

Recent, more alarming reports confirmed by the National Border Patrol Council, or NBPC, and United Nations that some of the detainees apprehended attempting to enter the U.S. illegally are from Africa – where the Ebola outbreak is thriving.

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How the New Obamacare Website Stacks Up Against the Old

WASHINGTON -- HealthCare.gov, the website for health insurance under President Barack Obama's health care law, has been revamped as its second enrollment season approaches. But things are still complicated, since other major provisions of the Affordable Care Act are taking effect for the first time. A look at website and program changes just ahead:

Old: 76 online screens to muddle through in insurance application.

New: 16 screens -- for the basic application that most new customers will use. But about a third of those new customers are expected to have more complicated cases, and how they'll fare remains to be seen.

Old: Prone to crashing, even with relatively few users.

New: Built to withstand last season's peak loads and beyond, at least 125,000 simultaneous users. Actual performance still to be demonstrated.

Old: Six-month open enrollment season, extended to accommodate customers who had to put up with website glitches or got stuck in line at the last minute.

New: Three-month open enrollment season, from Nov. 15 to Feb. 15.

Old: Everybody was new to the system.

New: As many as 7 million existing customers could be coming back -- adding a built-in crunch factor. If returning customers want to make changes to their accounts they'll have to act by Dec. 15 for those to take effect by Jan. 1. Many will want to do so because it could save them money.

Old: Amateur Spanish, to put it kindly.

New: HealthCare.gov's Hispanic-oriented website could still use a going-over from a high school Spanish teacher. But one conspicuous mistake in translating the appeal to "get ready" got fixed quickly. Maybe that's a sign of things to come.

Old: No way to window-shop anonymously when the system went live.

New: Window-shopping for health insurance plans available without first creating an account. But the site still lacks a way for consumers to search for plans by simply entering their doctor's name. Instead, they'll have to follow links to individual insurance company directories. Tip: Double check with your doctor's office to see whether he or she is still in the plan.

Old: Subsidies to keep premiums affordable were paid directly to your health insurance plan.

New: The government will keep paying your health plan, but this year you will also have to show the Internal Revenue Service that you got the right subsidy for 2014. If you got more than you were entitled to, your tax refund will be dinged. If you got less than you deserved, your tax refund will be fatter.

Old: Budget number crunchers for Congress had estimated 7 million people would enroll, but cut that back to 6 million because of website glitches. Eight million actually signed up, beating expectations. In the end, about 7 million were still enrolled.

New: The Congressional Budget Office expects enrollment next year to total 13 million -- the new yardstick for HealthCare.gov.

Old: Pent-up demand from people denied coverage by insurance companies because of pre-existing medical conditions, or who were just unable to afford it.

New: Tougher sell to customers who sat out last year's open enrollment season, even under threat of fines.

Old: Fines for staying uninsured the full year start at \$95.

New: Fines for staying uninsured all of 2015 start at \$325.

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Happy Anniversary ObamaCare, you're the gift that keeps on giving

By Wayne Allyn Root

Published October 09, 2014

FoxNews.com

How ObamaCare more than doubled one family's yearly costs

America observed the one year anniversary of ObamaCare this month. Just like some marriages it seems like it's already been decades. As FDR declared after Pearl, it's a date that will live in infamy. But the GOP shouldn't run away from this sad anniversary, they should embrace it.

ObamaCare is Republican's ticket to a landslide victory in 2014 and 2016. The GOP should scream about it night and day from the highest hill! We should celebrate this dismal anniversary. Never look a gift horse in the mouth.

Here's my advice for my fellow Republicans. Politicians and strategists from the GOP need to get out of Washington and stop listening to the mainstream media.

The Kool Aid-drinking liberal media is either delusional, or lying to cover-up for the massive failure of Obama's one and only "signature achievement."

My fellow Republicans, if we play this right, if we scream about it from the highest hill, ObamaCare's anniversary will be the gift that will lead to a GOP to a landslide victory



TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P

PROGRAM DATE: Tu., October 21, 2014

5:05pm-5:30pm

Guest: **DICK MORRIS**

> Author, ***Power Grab: Obama's Dangerous Plan for a One Party Nation***

(Humanix Publications) well-known for his probing, insightful, hard-hitting, clear commentary on media like Newsmax and the Fox News Channel.

> *Time* magazine has dubbed him "the most influential private citizen in America."

> A well-known Republican strategist, he was the architect of Bill Clinton's comeback landslide in 1996.

> Internationally, he has piloted the successful campaigns of the president or prime ministers on five continents.

Topic: Does Obama know what the Constitution really says??

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POWER GRAB - #1 Bestseller
Obama's Dangerous Plan for a One Party Nation

America is at a crossroads - we can choose the path of the Founding Fathers and keep a strong constitutional government that thrives on our bipartisan spirit, or opt for President Barack Obama's dream: a nation ruled by one political party with a far left agenda.

That's the dire warning from best-selling author and political insider Dick Morris and his co-author, Eileen McGann, in their compelling new bestselling book, **Power Grab: Obama's Dangerous Plan for a One Party Nation** in which the authors make a convincing case that Obama has an overarching strategy in pushing his liberal agenda,

one that grabs power from our traditional and bipartisan institutions in favor of a single party: his Democratic Party.

According to Morris and McGann, Obama has begun:

- Implementing the biggest power grab of all: ObamaCare - the law that says anything supporters say it does;
- To create a permanent government recipient class (with this new health law) who will vote Democratic time and again;
- To gain federal control over state run education systems using Common Core curriculum;
- To gain more control over private business by granting the EPA global governance in the name of climate change, affecting every aspect of our lives;
- Blocking energy independence, thereby slowing economic growth and breeding more dependency;
- Gutting welfare reform and keeping millions on the dole; and
- Turning over regulation of the Internet to the United Nations.

The authors write: "Obama is a left-wing president who is desperately determined to impose his radical agenda to transform our democratic government and free market economy into his socialist-style ideal before leaving office in 2016. He's a president who is obsessively fixated on keeping the left in permanent power by turning our two-party system into a one-party monopoly." He is close to achieving his goal, Morris and McGann say. Only you can stop him.

6:00pm-close

Guest: **DENNIS WOLFE**

> Author, *The Sick Solution: The Prescription for National Health*

NOTE: Dennis started WOLFE Insurance Services and almost immediately, he began writing healthcare benefit plans and became known for his expertise in helping both smaller, growing businesses and larger, internationally established companies develop competitively priced benefit plans. He has designed benefit plans and administered them for a multi-national public company and an international law firm.

Topic: lament; sack cloth and ashes; and a cheerful update on Obamacare shenanigans

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Obama New Ebola Czar Does Not Have Medical or Health Care Background

WASHINGTON (CBSDC/AP) — President Barack Obama on Friday turned to a trusted adviser to lead the nation's Ebola response as efforts to clamp down on any possible route of infection from three Texas cases expanded, reaching a cruise ship at sea and multiple airline flights.

Facing renewed criticism of his handling of the Ebola risk, Obama will make Ron Klain, a former chief of staff to Vice President Joe Biden, his point man on fighting Ebola at home and in West Africa. Klain will report to national security adviser Susan Rice and to homeland security adviser Lisa Monaco, the White House said.

Klain does not have a medical or a health care background.

Rep. Andy Harris, R-Md., slammed the decision on Twitter.

"Worst ebola epidemic in world history and Pres. Obama puts a government bureaucrat with no healthcare experience in charge. Is he serious?" Harris tweeted.

Sen. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., praised Obama's decision.

"I've known Ron Klain for over twenty years. He is smart, aggressive, and levelheaded; exactly the qualities we need in a czar to steer our response to Ebola. He is an excellent choice," Schumer told CBS News in a statement.

Meanwhile, the World Health Organization admitted to mistakes of its own in failing to contain the outbreak still spreading out of control in Liberia, Sierra Leone and Guinea.

"Nearly everyone involved in the outbreak response failed to see some fairly plain writing on the wall," the U.N. health agency said in a draft internal document obtained by The Associated Press. The response was marred by incompetency and ineffective bureaucracy, the document says, and experts should have realized that traditional containment methods wouldn't work in an African region with porous borders and broken health systems.

Under pressure from Republican lawmakers, Obama on Thursday expressed some openness to considering restricting travel to the U.S. from the three Ebola-stricken West African nations. But he said health and security experts continue to tell him that the screening measures already in place for travelers are more effective.

Government officials said early Friday that they were seeking to remove from a Caribbean cruise ship a Dallas health care worker who handled an Ebola lab specimen, although she has shown no signs of infection for 19 days. The ship did not get clearance to dock in Cozumel, Mexico, on Friday, a day after officials in Belize would not allow the woman or her spouse to leave, a Carnival Cruise Lines spokeswoman said.

The cruise company said that the woman, a lab supervisor traveling with her spouse, remained in isolation "and is not deemed to be a risk to any guests or crew."

Still, under new tighter travel rules placed on the staff of a Dallas hospital where two nurses caught Ebola from a Liberian patient, the woman would not have been permitted to be on the ship.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention says Ebola isn't contagious until symptoms appear. Ebola isn't spread through the air like the flu; people catch it by direct contact with a sick person's bodily fluids, such as blood or vomit.

Doctors at the National Institutes of Health in Maryland said that a Dallas nurse, Nina Pham, brought there for Ebola treatment was very tired but resting comfortably Friday in "fair" condition.

The second nurse to contract Ebola, Amber Vinson, was being treated at Emory University Hospital in Atlanta, as precautions related to her personal travel spiraled wider.

Passengers and crew aboard seven Frontier Airlines flights were affected, too, as well as a handful of people in the Akron, Ohio, area. An Akron bridal shop that Vinson visited was closed and shoppers were being contacted.

A CDC official said Vinson may already have had Ebola when she flew from Dallas to Ohio to visit relatives. The agency had earlier said Vinson didn't become sick until the morning after she returned to Dallas.

Officials are investigating whether she had symptoms as far back as Saturday, Oct. 11, or possibly earlier, said Dr. Chris Braden of the CDC.

"Some more information that's come through just recently would say that we can't rule out the fact that she might have had the start of her illness on Friday," Braden said.

Police said Vinson stayed at the home of her mother and stepfather in Tallmadge, northeast of Akron, and the home has been cordoned off with yellow tape. Eight individuals in northeast Ohio were under quarantine, health officials said.

Frontier Airlines said it would contact passengers on seven flights, including two that carried Vinson and others afterward that used the same plane.

Airline officials put two pilots and four flight attendants on paid leave for 21 days and said they did not know when the aircraft, which has been cleaned several times, would return to service.

In Dallas, officials took a tougher approach toward monitoring dozens of health care workers who were exposed to the virus while treating Liberian traveler Thomas Eric Duncan, who died at Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital.

The health care workers were asked to sign legally binding documents agreeing not to go to public places or use public transportation. The penalties for anyone who breaks the agreement weren't disclosed.

The chief clinical officer at the hospital, Dr. Daniel Varga, said the hospital was caught short when Duncan came to the institution "with non-specific symptoms."

"I think we all in the health care community underestimated the challenge of diagnosis," he said on ABC's "Good Morning America" Friday.

He also said the two nurses who contracted the disease had followed standard hospital procedure. "We have no indication that Nina or Amber had any break in protocol. We were working with the best information we had," Varga said.

Canceling a campaign fundraising trip for the second straight day Thursday, Obama met into the evening with top aides and health officials. The White House said Obama also placed calls to Canadian Prime Minister Stephen Harper and Swedish Prime Minister Stefan Lofven to discuss a need for an international response to the outbreak in West Africa.

Unable to Meet the Deductible or the Doctor

Patricia Wanderlich got insurance through the Affordable Care Act this year, and with good reason: She suffered a brain hemorrhage in 2011, spending weeks in a hospital intensive care unit, and has a second, smaller aneurysm that needs monitoring.

5:35-6:00pm

Guest: **JOHN KABATECK**

> Executive Director of National Federation of Independent Business/CA

Topic: California gas tax increase

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NFIB/CA Calls on CARB to Stop "Hidden" Gas Tax

Sacramento – Beginning in January 2015, the people of California become direct stakeholders in the cap and trade program. This proposed expansion of the program will directly impact family budgets by increasing the price of vehicle fuel.

Fuel price increases throughout California are inevitably going to have a significant effect on California's businesses, economy and residents. According to the California Air Resources Board's economic impact analysis, fuel costs will increase a minimum of 16 cents per gallon, based on the market price of carbon credits.

Join NFIB/CA and our small business members as we discuss the impact increased fuel costs will have on small business.

sfgate.com

Why California gas prices might jump in 2015

Chevron Corp. wants you to know that your gasoline prices could go up next year - perhaps a lot.

Starting in January, fuels sold in California will fall under the state's cap-and-trade system to fight global warming. Oil companies already have to buy "allowances" to cover the greenhouse gases that their California refineries pump into the

atmosphere. Now, they'll also have to pay for the emissions produced by burning the gasoline, diesel and jet fuel they sell in the state.

The result, according to the San Ramon company, will be a sharp rise in California's gasoline prices, already among the highest in the continental United States. While state officials and some economists consider that fear overblown, the oil industry is pushing hard to get fuels exempted from cap and trade, or at least delay their inclusion in the system. A bill to do so, from Assemblyman Henry Perea, D-Fresno, failed at the end of the legislative session.

Chevron executive vice president Mike Wirth - who leads the company's global refining, marketing and chemicals businesses - spoke with The Chronicle about prices and cap and trade. The following has been edited for space and clarity.

Q: Assemblyman Perea's bill to delay bringing fuels under the cap-and-trade system died last month. What do you do next?

A: The main thing that we're doing now is trying to ensure there's some transparency in how this policy will in fact work. The average person probably doesn't pay much attention to these things. And we think California motorists need to know three basic facts about this: (1) California's government itself says this will increase gasoline prices, (2) it will have no impact on the global inventory of greenhouse gas emissions, and (3) it will create billions of dollars of new revenue for the politicians in Sacramento.

If you look at the entire objective of California's system, the greenhouse gas reductions envisioned for 2020, it's less than 0.2 of 1 percent of the global greenhouse gas inventory in 2020. It's less than three days of China's emissions. The irony here is that the state's economy will be put under more duress for no measurable benefit, other than billions of dollars for Sacramento.

Q: Chevron and the other oil companies have already been buying and banking allowances to cover fuel emissions next year. So why would gasoline prices go up?

A: The ones banked to date are a tiny fraction of what will be required. I can't cover two weeks worth of my obligations next year with what I'm carrying forward, much less a year.

The reality is, California right now pays about 40 cents more per gallon than the national average for fuels. And that is going to increase. The Air Resources Board said anywhere from 16 to 76 cents. The Boston Consulting Group looked at it and came up with 14 to 69 cents.

Q: What's Chevron's position on global warming? Does the company acknowledge that it's real and a problem?

A: Chevron's position is that we understand and share the concerns that people have about this. We believe that policy needs to be balanced and recognize environmental, economic and energy-security considerations. And, in fact, a global approach is really important to make any true progress on the issue. If you look at

what's happening around the world, Australia passed a carbon tax and then rescinded it. Germany embarked on a very aggressive policy and is now backing off. You just can't do this by yourself.

Q: So what steps would you recommend to deal with global warming? Would you do away with cap and trade?

A: We have not necessarily advocated a solution. We think that's something for policy makers to decide.

Q: California's political atmosphere, particularly on this issue, isn't as friendly to oil companies as Texas'. You already have a lot of people in Houston. Could this issue drive you out of the state, with you transferring the headquarters to Houston?

A: We're a California company. We've been in California for more than 100 years. We have deep roots here. We want to be part of a strong, vibrant California for many years to come. This isn't an issue where we'd go to that extreme. What we want to do is engage in the dialogue to make a strong, vibrant California for the future.



TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P

PROGRAM DATE: Thu., October 23, 2014

5:10pm-5:30pm

Guest: **SETON MOTLEY**

> President of **Less Government.com**

> Editor in Chief of StopNetRegulation.org.

Topic: ebola and millions of bland i.d. cards ordered by administration

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If You Like How the Government is Handling Ebola...

by Seton Motley On October 20, 2014 @ 7:27 am

...you'll love how they'll handle the Internet.

The late, inordinately great Ronald Reagan rightly observed:

"The nine most terrifying words in the English language are: I'm from the government and I'm here to help."

So when the federal government says about Ebola "We've got this" – people have a problem believing it.

Ah, the Barack Obama Administration – which has been caught lying over and over and over again.

81 percent of Americans believe that Obama lies to them at least "now and then" on "important matters."

The Obama Administration has again and again offered Ebola assertions and assurances that Reality has subsequently demonstrated were...wanting.

The President has asserted Ebola isn't transmittable beyond direct body fluid contact. That's not true.

In one of the most breathtakingly on-its-face anti-Reality statements ever, the Administration asserted a flight ban from afflicted countries would INCREASE the spread of the disease.

The American people think otherwise.

Democrats are blaming the Administration's Center for Disease Control (CDC)'s serial Ebola incompetence – the CDC being the government's alleged "expert agency" on, well...disease control – on budget cuts. That's not true either.

At \$7 billion, the Centers for Disease Control 2014 budget is nearly 200 percent bigger now than it was in 2000. Those evil, stingy Republicans actually approved CDC funding increases in January larger than what President Obama requested.

The CDC has spent their titanic tally on just about everything – except disease control.

So the American people can be forgiven for arriving here:

Meanwhile, the Obama Administration's Federal Communications Commission (FCC) is gearing up to unilaterally commandeer control of the Internet.

On Ebola, the allegedly Disease Controlling Administration – in fine Kevin Bacon "Animal House" fashion – has been repeatedly proclaiming "All is well" as things continue to get worse and worse.

Conversely, the Internet has been since just about its inception a government-free zone. And has a result become an ever-expanding free speech-free market Xanadu.

The Administration has been the Chicken Little of the World Wide Web. Running around decrying a "problem" that does not exist – and demanding a Huge Government "solution."

The fake "problem?" Internet Service Providers (ISPs) may – one day, someday, maybe – block you from websites. Only they haven't. And they won't. Because they are in the customer service business – but won't be for long if they refuse to serve their customers what they want.

The fake "solution?"



TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P

PROGRAM DATE: Wed., October 29, 2014

5:10pm-5:45pm

Guest: STEVE JANJIC

> CEO of Amercanex, founded to provide a transparent, neutral and non-manipulated marketplace for institutional cannabis-industry participants, including growers and retailers. The commodities exchange strictly adheres to the centralizing regulatory and reporting requirements to local and regional regulatory authorities.
> Also the global head of eFX Sales and Distribution at Tullett Prebon, one of the world's largest institutional brokerage firms, with 168 years in the marketplace.

Topic: With marijuana decisions on many November ballots what should responsible voters consider?

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Legalize it or not??

Voters in seven states, one U.S. territory, and at least 17 cities and counties across the nation will face a marijuana initiative when they go to the polls in November. For some, the question is easy: They're either for legalizing marijuana or against it.

But for many others, the issue is not so cut and dried. Decriminalizing marijuana can be good for the country – and it can be potentially dangerous, says this Cannabis Industry Expert.

"I'm a part of the industry, but that doesn't mean I'm in favor of every measure to legalize pot," he says.

"We need to proceed with care and thoughtful consideration of possible consequences, intended and unintended. We have the opportunity to fix some problems through

decriminalization, but we don't want to end up with even bigger problems down the road.

SUGGESTED QUESTIONS:

- If marijuana possession is no longer a crime in Colorado, wouldn't that account for the decreased crime rate?
- Has the reduced crime rate saved the state any money?
- How much tax revenue have sales generated in Colorado?
- Has the state had any problems collecting revenue and maintaining a transparent marketplace for marijuana?
- Have states with medical marijuana laws experienced any problems that we can learn from?

5:45pm-6:00pm

Guest: **SETON MOTLEY**

> President of **Less Government.com**

> Editor in Chief of StopNetRegulation.org.

Topic: Democratic shenanigans the week before elections.

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**CONGRESSIONAL DEMS BEGGING OBAMA ADMIN TO DO THEIR
JOBS BY FIAT**

We have spent just about all of the Barack Obama Administration decrying its myriad abuses of powers it doesn't have.

Often, the font of these power grabs are President Obama executive orders.

The Executive Branch is called that for a reason – it executes laws, it does not write them.

Every Executive Branch Department, Agency, Commission and Board is actually a creation and creature of the Legislative Branch – Congress. None of these arms of the Leviathan can do anything unless and until Congress passes laws giving them the authority.

These laws also establish the parameters within which the agencies are supposed to work – limiting the flights of regulatory fancy we now so frequently see.

For decades, these agencies have been warping beyond all recognition the laws written to constrain them. Worse still, they are incessantly creating out whole cloth all new authorities – generating “laws” they then get to execute.

The courts, for their part, have far too often lost their Constitutional perspective on the proper separation and balance of powers.

The Executive Branch has grown (and grown, and...) to become legislators, executors and enforcers – all by their onesies.

Congress – whose Legislative Branch powers are the ones being usurped – should be outraged, right? And be fighting mightily to rein in the runaway Executive?

Democratic Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee said that the new Congressional Full Employment Caucus will "give President Obama a number of executive orders that he can sign."
Not so much. For Democrats – and we have long known this – ideology way trumps the Constitution.

Why did these Democrats run to be legislators – if they are willing to actively assist the Executive Branch in end-running their elective reason for being?

One of the areas in which the Executive Branch has been most progressively proactive is the Internet. Likely because they have so little Congressionally-granted authority – and they want to play catch up. For instance:

The Executive Branch's Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has twice imposed Network Neutrality. The D.C. Circuit Court has twice unanimously thrown the FCC's imposition out – as lacking Congressionally-granted authority.

That authority would emanate (it actually does not) from the 1996 Telecommunications Act – the last time Congress wrote relevant law. Nowhere therein is the FCC told to impose a neutral network.

That same law also classified the Internet as an Information Service (Title I). Not as a Communications Service (Title II) – which is where the devoid-of-innovation landline telephone has been consigned since the 1934 Telecommunications Act.

Does the law matter to these guys?

Of course not. Their "solution" to not having been given the authority by Congress' law to impose Net Neutrality – is to unilaterally rewrite Congress' law to grant themselves authority.

Congressional Democrats (Sheila Jackson Lee and her gaggle aside) are outraged at this brazen usurpation of their gigs – right?

Representative Anna Eshoo is urging the FCC to oversee Internet providers using Title II of the Communications Act....

Representative Zoe Lofgren also called for a mix of Title II and forbearance....

Rep Waxman's proposal also relies on Title II....

Not so much. They are – in Jackson Lee Gaggle-esque fashion – happily helping the Executive Branch illegally do their jobs for them.



**TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P**

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PROGRAM DATE: Fri., October 31, 2014

4:00p-5:00p

Guest: JOE MURRAY

> Writer, Constitutional Attorney, Reporter

Topic: headline news

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1. Ebola in the U.S. With a potential second case, there are some questions mounting. Can this be contained? Could we have done anything to stop it from coming here?

Officials: Second person being monitored for Ebola

Marjorie Owens, WFAA-TV, Dallas-Fort Worth 5:03 p.m. EDT October 1, 2014

DALLAS — Health officials are closely monitoring a possible second Ebola patient who had close contact with the first person to be diagnosed in the U.S., the director of Dallas County's health department said Wednesday.

All who have been in close contact with the man officially diagnosed are being monitored as a precaution, Zachary Thompson, director of Dallas County Health and Human Services, said in a morning interview with WFAA-TV, Dallas-Fort Worth.

"Let me be real frank to the Dallas County residents: The fact that we have one confirmed case, there may be another case that is a close associate with this particular patient," he said. "So this is real. There should be a concern, but it's contained to the specific family members and close friends at this moment."

The director continued to assure residents that the public isn't at risk because health officials have the virus contained.

On Tuesday, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention confirmed a patient at Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas was the first person to be diagnosed in the United States with the Ebola virus.

Thomas Eric Duncan had left Liberia on Sept. 19 and arrived in Dallas the following day.

On Sept. 26, he sought treatment at the hospital after becoming ill but was sent back to the northeast Dallas apartment complex where he was staying with a prescription for antibiotics. Duncan's sister, Mai Wureh, said he notified health-care workers that he was visiting from Liberia when they asked for his Social Security number and he told them he didn't have one.

Two days later, he was admitted to the hospital with more critical symptoms, after requiring an ambulance ride.

Duncan, whose condition was upgraded to serious from critical Wednesday, was in contact with at least five children from four schools before he was hospitalized, said Superintendent Mike Miles of Dallas Independent Schools. Each of those children have been kept home from school and are under precautionary monitoring.

"They are consulting with the county on any additional action that may need to be taken during the course of investigation," district spokesman Jon Dahlander said in a statement. "This is part of routine emergency operations during a health incident in the county. This is same protocol taken during things like flu and tuberculosis cases."

More than a half a dozen CDC employees arrived in Dallas after news of the diagnosis broke. The CDC and Dallas County are working together in what they call a contact investigation.

Anyone who had contact with the patient, including emergency room staff, will be under health officials' observation for 21 days. If any of those being monitored show symptoms, they'll be placed in isolation.

The three paramedics who transported the patient in Dallas are temporarily off duty and among those under observation. They have tested negative for the virus and are being restricted to their homes.

Stanley Gaye, president of the Liberian Community Association of Dallas-Fort Worth, said the 10,000-strong Liberian population in North Texas is skeptical of the CDC's assurances because Ebola has ravaged their country.

"We've been telling people to try to stay away from social gatherings," Gaye said at a community meeting Tuesday. Large get-togethers are a prominent part of Liberian culture.

Ebola symptoms can include fever, muscle pain, vomiting and bleeding and can appear as long as 21 days after exposure to the virus. The disease is not contagious until symptoms begin, and it takes close contact with bodily fluids to spread.

"We don't want to get a panic going," said Roseline Sayon, the association's vice president. "We embrace those people who are coming forward. Don't let the stigma keep you from getting tested."

Texas Health Director David Lakey, accompanied by Gov. Rick Perry, said the state has been preparing for the possibility of the virus landing here since August.

"This is a very sophisticated city, a very sophisticated hospital, ... and the chances of it being spread are very, very scarce," Lakey said.

Timeline

- **Sept. 19.** Thomas Eric Duncan leaves Monrovia, Liberia, for the United States, changing planes in Brussels, Belgium. He has been exposed to Ebola but is not exhibiting symptoms, so he is not contagious. It is unclear whether he knew he had been exposed.
- **Sept. 20.** Duncan arrives in Dallas to visit his sister.
- **Sept. 24.** Duncan's family members tell U.S. authorities this is the day he first felt sick. That is when he likely became contagious.
- **Sept. 26.** Duncan seeks treatment at Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas and is sent back to his sister's apartment with antibiotics.
- **Sept. 28.** Duncan is transported to the same hospital by ambulance. He is critically ill and put in isolation in the hospital's intensive care unit.
- **Sept. 30.** The federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention confirms that Duncan has been stricken with the Ebola virus, the first patient to be diagnosed in the USA.
- **Oct. 1.** Duncan's condition is upgraded from critical to serious, and health officials say they are closely monitoring a second patient who had contact with Duncan. Others who have been in contact with Duncan, including paramedics and children, are being observed for symptoms.

2. Secret Service Screw-Ups - Men are breaking into the WH, doors are unlocked, and an armed felon got in the elevator with the President. Is the Secret Service out of control? How safe is the President?

Secret Service director facing calls to resign after presidential security failures

Published October 01, 2014

6:00pm-close

Guest: **DENNIS WOLFE**

> Author, *The Sick Solution: The Prescription for National Health*

NOTE: Dennis started WOLFE Insurance Services and almost immediately, he began writing healthcare benefit plans and became known for his expertise in helping both smaller, growing businesses and larger, internationally established companies develop competitively priced benefit plans. He has designed benefit plans and administered them for a multi-national public company and an international law firm.

Topic: lament; sack cloth and ashes; and a cheerful update on Obamacare shenanigans

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This looks like an effort by The AIDS community to scam Medicare for one last dose of AIDS cocktails.

HEALTH CARE

Medicare bought meds for dead people

Published October 31, 2014 [Associated Press](#)

Call it drugs for the departed: A quirky bureaucratic rule led Medicare's prescription drug program to pay for costly medications even after the patients were dead.

That head-scratching policy is now getting a second look.

A report released Friday by the Health and Human Services Department's inspector general said the Medicare rule allows payment for prescriptions filled up to 32 days after a patient's death -- at odds with the program's basic principles, not to mention common sense.

"Drugs for deceased beneficiaries are clearly not medically indicated, which is a requirement for (Medicare) coverage," the IG report said. It urged immediate changes to eliminate or restrict the payment policy.

Medicare said it's working on a fix.

Investigators examined claims from 2012 for a tiny sliver of Medicare drugs -- medications to treat HIV, the virus that causes AIDS -- and then cross-referenced them with death records. They found that the program paid for drugs for 158 beneficiaries after they were already dead. The cost to taxpayers: \$292,381, an average of \$1,850 for each beneficiary.

Medicare's "current practices allowed most of these payments to occur," said the report. It underscored that the problem extends beyond HIV drugs.

Investigators found that of 348 HIV prescriptions dispensed for dead beneficiaries, nearly half were filled more than a week after the patient died. Sometimes multiple prescriptions were filled on behalf of a single dead person.

Among the examples investigators documented:

- Medicare paid \$1,200 for a prescription for a 90-year-old Boston-area beneficiary that was dispensed 25 days after he died. The man had no history of HIV in his Medicare record.

- A Miami pharmacy filled a prescription for an 80-year-old beneficiary 16 days after he died. Medicare paid \$1,800 for two HIV drugs. That very day, the same pharmacy dispensed the same two drugs on behalf of an 81-year-old woman who died 10 days earlier. Neither had a history of HIV in their Medicare records.

Investigators don't know what happened to the medications obtained on behalf of dead people, but some may have been diverted to the underground market for prescription medicines. The report said HIV drugs can be targets for fraud because of their high cost.

Medicare is the government's premier health insurance program, providing coverage to about 55 million seniors and disabled people. Prescription coverage delivered through private insurance plans began in 2006 as a major expansion of the program. But it's also been a target for scams.

The report did not estimate the potential financial impact across the \$85 billion-a-year Medicare prescription program known as Part D. But investigators believe the waste may add up to millions of dollars.

"The exposure for the entire Part D program could be significant," said Miriam Anderson, team leader on the report. "The payment policy is the same for all drugs, whether they are \$2,000 drugs to treat HIV or \$4 generic drugs."

In a formal response, Medicare agreed with the investigators' recommendations.

"After reviewing this report, (Medicare) has had preliminary discussions with the industry to revisit the need for a 32-day window," wrote Marilyn Tavenner, the Obama administration's Medicare chief.

Medicare had originally maintained that the date of service listed in the billing records could instead reflect when a pharmacy submitted bills for payment. That billing date

might have actually occurred after a prescription was filled, since some nursing home and institutional pharmacies submit their bills in monthly bundles.

However, the inspector general's investigators found that about 80 percent of the prescriptions for dead beneficiaries were filled at neighborhood pharmacies, undercutting Medicare's first explanation.

Investigators said they stumbled on the billing problem during an examination of Medicare coverage for AIDS drugs. That previous investigation raised questions about expensive medications billed on behalf of nearly 1,600 Medicare recipients. Some had no record of an HIV diagnosis, but were prescribed the drugs anyway.

Prescription drug fraud has many angles. The high prices of certain drugs can create an underground market. And some medications, like painkillers and anti-anxiety pills, are sought by people with substance-abuse issues.

This is going to further decrease the ability of people to find doctors who contract with ObamaCare

Less than half of doctors in insurance directories may be available

 **REUTERS**

(Reuters Health) - More than half the dermatologists in Medicare Advantage plan directories were either dead, retired, not accepting new patients or specialized only in specific conditions, researchers found when they tried making appointments.

Inaccurate directories of doctors covered by an insurance plan may lead to people having very few options and to the U.S. government approving plans that don't meet standards regarding provider availability, the study team writes in JAMA Dermatology.

"I think it just identifies a big area that needs a lot of help to increase transparency to patients," said Dr. Jack Resneck, Jr. from the University of California, San Francisco, the study's lead author.

The U.S. requires private insurance plans offered through Medicare (the government-run insurance program for the elderly and disabled) and through exchanges set up by the Affordable Care Act to offer plan participants a variety of doctors.

Even so, insurers have been increasingly "narrowing" their networks by eliminating contracts with physicians, the researchers write.

They add that there is increasing attention toward the limited choices offered to patients through the private plans in Medicare - known as Medicare Advantage - and the Affordable Care Act.

5:45-6:15p

Guest: **ESTHER KOCH**

- > Founder of Encore Management, a Medicare and Aging Advisory Services firm. She assists people with their initial Medicare elections and subsequent annual Medicare Prescription Drug elections as well as any Medicare-related questions either from a Medicare beneficiary themselves or their caregiver.
- > Aging Network Partner with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid.
- > Her professional credentials include USC gerontology, Stanford MBA, PricewaterhouseCoopers CPA, and CFO. She was also the primary caregiver to her mother during the last ten years of her life.

Topic: Medicare Open Enrollment period which lasts from October 15th to December 7th,
Navigating Medicare Prescription Drug Plans and Medicare Advantage

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Since this is the annual Medicare Open Enrollment period which lasts from October 15th to December 7th I recommend that the focus of our discussion be **Medicare Prescription Drug Plans** and how to select the best plan for you.

(Note: It is best if the below questions are asked in this order/flow to enhance the viewer's understanding)

Suggested Questions:

What is Open Enrollment and how does it apply to Medicare Prescription Drug Plans?

How does the Medicare Prescription Drug Program work?

What is the best way for Medicare beneficiaries to save on prescription drug costs?

You talk about the importance of an annual drug plan review. Why is it so important?

How does one use the Medicare Prescription Drug Plan Finder?

Where does one enroll in a new Medicare Prescription Drug Plan?

What if I don't take any prescription drugs?

So what is this "Donut Hole" and when will we stop having to think about it?



**TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P**

www.KFAF.com

PROGRAM DATE: Tu., November 25, 2014

5:20pm-6:00pm

Guest: **STACY WASHINGTON**

- > a member of the National Advisory Council of the Project 21 black leadership network
- > currently a local talk radio host on "*Stacy on the Right*" program can be heard on **KFTK-S in St. Louis, Missouri.**
- > Emmy-nominated television personality and popular public speaker.
- > Stacy is a frequent television and radio guest on the Fox News Channel and the other cable news networks.
- > Stacy has served as the guest host for Glenn Beck on The Blaze, where she has also guest hosted the popular Dana Loesch radio show
- > Written for Family Events, Conservative Daily News, Townhall magazine and Big Journalism, among others.

Topic: Ferguson riots after Michael Brown murder verdict; what can be done to stop the provocative posturing by the White House, let alone the Ferguson residents, who are just stoking the flame for everyone that has a beef, real or imagined? Who is responsible?

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Ferguson on guard for another night of unrest as governor vows tough response

Published November 25, 2014

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Residents and business owners around the Ferguson, Mo. area warily awaited dusk on Tuesday afternoon as Gov. Jay Nixon vowed tough measures to protect a region scarred by rioting and clashes between demonstrators and police.

More than 1,500 National Guard troops will join about 700 guardsmen already on the scene to help local law enforcement protect residents and property in the Missouri city, one day after a grand jury declined to hand up an indictment against Ferguson police officer Darren Wilson, who shot and killed unarmed teenager Michael Brown in August.

"No one should have to live like this. No one deserves this. We must do better and we will," a stern Nixon said at an afternoon press conference. "Lives and property must be protected. This community deserves to have peace."

Nixon's comments came after a turbulent night in the city of roughly 21,000 people, with scenes of armored police firing tear gas and pepper spray at protesters, some of whom, in turn, looted stores and vandalized property.

Twelve commercial buildings in Ferguson were burned down during the protests, and firefighters responded to blazes at eight others, Assistant Fire Chief Steve Fair said. Other businesses were looted, and 12 vehicles also were torched.

There were 61 arrests in Ferguson overnight, many for burglary and trespassing, and 21 in St. Louis, where protesters broke some store windows along South Grand Avenue.

Jon Belmar, chief of the St. Louis County police, said that unless his agency could bring in 10,000 officers, "I don't think we can prevent folks who really are intent on destroying a community."

At least 18 people were injured and sought treatment at area hospitals, including someone who was shot and was recovering Tuesday at SSM DePaul Health Center. The hospital didn't give any details about the shooting. Two other people were admitted to Barnes-Jewish Hospital for undisclosed injuries. Everyone else was treated and released.

By midday, a mix of weary unease, fear and hope had set in among locals.

"We're expecting it to flare up again, especially when it gets dark," said the Rev. Dusty Thompson, of Ferguson Church of the Nazarene. "There's definitely some trepidation for tonight, but we are just praying that peace will be pursued and that our community will come together."



**TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P**

PROGRAM DATE: Tu., Dec. 2, 2014

5:20pm-5:45pm

Guest: CHRISTINE HARBIN HANSON

> Federal Affairs Manager at Americans for Prosperity

Topic: Affordable Care Act: a bill that was almost 1,000 pages and regulations which now are 11,000 pages long, *"it was quite easy to pull one over on the American public..."*; Jonathan Gruber and how Americans can combat these political games in the future; what can Americans learn from this to prevent falling for the same political tricks in the future?

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We have to pass the bill so that you can find out what is in it," quickly became and sustained as the rallying cry against Obamacare.

However, this past month Jonathan Gruber has given that a run for its money with statements like this: *"Call it the stupidity of the American voter or whatever, but basically that was really, really critical for the thing to pass."*

A bill that was almost 1,000 pages and regulations which now are 11,000 pages long, it was quite easy to pull one over on the public.

What can Americans learn from this to prevent falling for the same political tricks in the future?

Nets instantly jumped on GOP Hill aide story; ignored Gruber flap for days

News of an obscure GOP Hill staffer's resignation was quickly covered by the big three networks Monday, but days had passed before they began reporting the Jonathan Gruber scandal.

Elizabeth Lauten quit Monday as communications director for Rep. Stephen Fincher, R-Tenn., after her Facebook criticism of Sasha and Malia Obama sparked a huge media backlash.

"It is one of the few rules that the news media and the mob usually both adhere to: Leave families out of the fight. However, tonight a Republican staffer is out of a job after something she wrote on social media about the first daughters," NBC News' Brian Williams said during Monday's evening newscast.

"CBS Evening News with Scott Pelley" followed suit: "[E]lizabeth Lauten: A congressional aide whose Facebook post about President Obama's daughters, Malia and Sasha, sparked a firestorm."

ABC News' "World News Tonight With David Muir" said this Monday: "The Republican aide [sparked] a firestorm when she posted criticism of the first daughters."

In a now-deleted Thanksgiving Day post, Lauten wrote this about the Obama girls and the White House turkey pardoning ceremony: "Dear Sasha and Malia, I get you're both in those awful teen years, but you're a part of the First Family, try showing a little class. ... Act like being in the White House matters to you. Dress like you deserve respect, not a spot at a bar. And certainly don't make faces during televised public events."

She later apologized for the remarks, writing on Facebook: "After many hours of prayer, talking to my parents, and re-reading my words online, I can see more clearly just how hurtful my words were. I'd like to apologize to all of those who I have hurt and offended with my words, and I pledge to learn and grow (and I assure you I have) from this experience."

Lauten's critics kept up the pressure, however, and her resignation followed.

In contrast to the coverage of the GOP staffer flap, the networks were much slower to cover recently unearthed footage showing Gruber, one of the chief architects of Obamacare, saying the healthcare law was passed in 2010 thanks to a "lack of transparency" and the "stupidity of American voters."

"Lack of transparency is a huge political advantage," Gruber said during an academic panel discussion in 2013. "Call it the stupidity of the American voter or whatever. But basically, that was really, really critical to getting the thing to pass."

The conservative activist group American Commitment first uncovered Gruber's 2013 remarks and posted the video to YouTube Nov. 7.

Six days later, CBS Evening News with Scott Pelley offered that network's first Gruber comment, saying Republicans had turned him into "an all-important player." CBS News' Jan Crawford also reported on Gruber's remarks the same day.

"NBC Nightly News with Brian Williams" has yet to cover the Gruber controversy. NBC News' Chuck Todd did, however, address the issue on Nov. 16 when he asked Secretary for Health and Human Services Sylvia Mathews Burwell during a "Meet the Press" interview to respond to the MIT health economist's remarks.

"World News Tonight With David Muir" didn't cover Gruber's controversial comments, which continued to grow in number with the unearthing of additional videos from separate events, until Nov. 18, when the network dedicated one minute and 16 seconds to the topic.

On Nov. 18, Todd told Newsmax TV's Steve Malzberg that the networks likely responded slowly to Gruber's remarks because it's a "political story."

"I'm not saying it's not a story. Look, I'm not in charge of any of those newscasts, but what is the news today of that? It's a political story. Network news in general hasn't been covering the political-back-and-forth of Washington a lot lately," Todd said.

Spokespersons for ABC, CBS and NBC News declined to comment when asked by the *Washington Examiner* about the disparity in coverage and timing of the Lauten and Gruber stories.

Fox News' Bret Baier said Monday the difference in how Gruber and Lauten have been covered by the three networks is telling.

"A segment on broadcast network news shows (30-minute programs that these days seem to have precious little time for Washington stories), front page treatment in the Washington Post, A16 in the New York Times and multiple segments on cable news yesterday and today," he said.

"Contrast that to the coverage of Obamacare architect Jonathan Gruber's unearthed video comments about how the law was formed thanks to the 'stupidity of the American voter' and other clips," he added.



TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P

PROGRAM DATE: Wed. December 3, 2014

5:10p-6:00pm

Guest: ***TOM PARSONS***

> Travel Expert & Founder, Best Fares.com

Topic: holiday fares and how by being flexible can save you hundreds; Fall/Winter travel tips & specials; an array of cheap airfares, vacation package options; deals to Honolulu, and Maui, airfares to Europe, a \$20 off offer on Southwest Airlines; and he may also talk about 3 night New Year's Eve packages.

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NOTE: *Your listeners can go to the Best Fares site and do a search for KFAX or LifeLine for any of the things Tom mentions this evening.*

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TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO.
5P-7P

PROGRAM DATE: Thu. December 4, 2014

5:20p-5:45pm

Guest: **CHRISTOPHER ARPS**

> Member of the Project 21 national advisory council, is also a managing partner with the digital media and political consulting firm NLB Enterprises LLC and a co-founder of Move-On-Up.org.

> a St. Louis resident

Topic: another police officer is **not** indicted in the (chokehold) death of an unarmed black man. His crime? Selling loose cigarettes.

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Eric Garner's Death Is Mourned, Big Government Is Blamed for Tragedy
"A Man Died over Cigarettes and Tax Revenue"

Washington, DC - WASHINGTON, DC — As members of the Project 21 black leadership network mourn the regretful loss of Eric Garner's life during a confrontation with New York City police officers, they see the root problem in government overreach.

Garner died at least in part from a chokehold administered by a police officer last July after he was accused of selling "loose" untaxed cigarettes outside a New York City storefront. On December 2, a grand jury did not indict the officer who put Garner in the apparently deadly hold. While most protesters are focused on the issue of police brutality, Project 21 members are looking at the bigger-picture problem of an increasingly powerful government which zealously enforces regulations so that even minor offenses can have deadly outcomes.

"A man died over cigarettes and tax revenue. Eric Garner died because of an all too powerful state," said Project 21 member Shelby Emmett, an attorney and former congressional staffer. "We must ask ourselves what exactly we want the police enforcing with such deadly strength. These officers confronted Garner because he was selling single cigarettes and was thus depriving the government of revenue. He was not threatening anyone's life, starting fires or even holding up traffic. He was not suspected of a violent crime, so such force should never have been justified. Any person concerned with individual liberty should be disgusted."

"The overregulated nanny state not only inconveniences our everyday lives, but — as we've now witnessed in New York City — it can even end up costing someone their life," said Project 21 member Christopher Arps, a resident of St. Louis who was witness to both cycles of violence in Ferguson, Missouri after the death of Michael Brown. "I would never condone breaking the law, but it is inconceivable to me that a citizen can be put into a police chokehold and, despite repeatedly saying he couldn't breathe, be allowed to die over the crime of selling untaxed, loose cigarettes on the street."

Besides government, violent cultural factors and unchecked crime within the black community is cited as a factor in the death of Eric Garner.

"Black lives do matter, and Eric Garner should not have died for selling loose cigarettes. I agree with Al Sharpton and the racist lobby that there is a crisis of black men losing their lives, but my harmony with them ends there because they tend to only mourn the loss of black lives taken by whites," said Project 21 Niger Innis, national spokesman for the Congress of Racial Equality and executive director of the TheTeaParty.Net. "The plague on young black men in urban centers is not white racists and nor murderous cops because 93 percent of black men are killed by other black men. There are far too many black men raised in households that have no black male role models and the entertainment-industrial complex perpetuates a gangsta criminal chic. Until so-called civil rights leaders can openly and honestly address this problem, the plague will continue unabated. We need to target the real cause of the genocide of young black men."

6:00-6:15pm

Guest: **JOSH BERNSTEIN**

> Radio Talk Show Host, Spokesman, Strategist, and Writer
> official spokesman for The Association of Mature Americans Citizens

INTERESTING NOTE: In addition, he is also ranked in top talk radio's "Top 100 list of Conservative All Stars" and The Director of Communications of another large Conservative Group that focuses on limiting the size of government and expanding liberty and freedom.

Topic: EPA'S NEW POWER GRAB INCLUDES RAIN WATER, SAYS AMAC

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EPA'S NEW POWER GRAB INCLUDES RAIN WATER, SAYS AMAC

"Government has grown more aggressive as it seeks to trample on our rights with regulations that are so intrusive they are positively inane, including a new one that would give the EPA the right to regulate rain water," according to Dan Weber, president of the Association of Mature American Citizens.

Weber said that he was not amused when the Environmental Protection Agency announced that it would extend its authority under the Clean Water Act to include puddles.

"The Clean Water Act was enacted in 1972 to prevent the pollution of the nation's navigable waters. It was not intended to allow the government to tell us how to deal with naturally occurring ditches on our property just because they might collect rainwater during a storm. But that's exactly what the EPA proposes to do. It would be a joke if it wasn't for the fact that such pervasive authority is bound to cause hardships for America's farmers and for the country as a whole," Weber explained.

Mark Pflugmacher operates a family farm in Champaign County, IL. He is also a

member of the Champaign County Farm Bureau. As he put it in an OpEd article published in his local paper, The News-Gazette: "If the expanded definition is allowed, permits and other regulatory roadblocks — having to hire environmental consultants, for example — would stand in the way of conducting routine business activities like building fences, removing debris from ditches, spraying for weeds and insects, and removing unwanted vegetation on my own farm.

Pflugmacher cautioned that farmers are not the only businesses that will be impacted if the EPA is given the far-reaching authority it seeks. "Home builders, real estate agents, aggregate producers, manufacturers and contractors all would be affected. For these small, local businesses, the proposed rule would increase federal regulatory power over private property. The definitions would create confusion and, because they were intentionally created to be overly broad, could be interpreted in whatever way the federal agencies see fit, costing business owners money and the local economy jobs.'

Weber described it as "yet another example of big government, or big brother, if you will, gaining control of our lives, including the cost of living. The proposed EPA restrictions on the use of plentiful, inexpensive coal to produce affordable electricity will have a profound impact on the price we pay to heat and cool our homes. The new standing water proposals will undoubtedly increase the cost of the food we eat and the homes in which we live."

The AMAC chief noted that the nation's elderly will be the ones who suffer most and called on the new Republican Congress to rein in the regulators "who are usurping the power of our Representatives and Senators to make laws."

6:00pm-6:15pm

Guest: **SETON MOTLEY**

> President of **Less Government.com**

> Editor in Chief of StopNetRegulation.org.

Topic: Should 3 unelected bureaucrats be able to raise taxes whenever they want??

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Think Three Unelected Bureaucrats Should Raise Taxes Whenever They Want? by Seton Motley 12/15/14

That's what Title II Reclassification of the Internet means. And that's what President Barack Obama wants - so as to then impose Network Neutrality. Last month, President Obama said:

I believe the (Federal Communications Commission) FCC should reclassify consumer broadband service under Title II of the Telecommunications Act....

Let's ignore for a moment the fact that the FCC is supposed to be an independent agency - removed from the influence of politicians and political pressure. President Obama dropping this bomb is a nigh unprecedented overt effort to exert influence on the Commission's allegedly non-partisan, fact-based deliberations.

Let's ignore the fact that Congress passed law - signed by then-President Bill Clinton - that classified the Internet the way it is currently classified. Thus only Congress can Re-classify it. This would be yet another unilateral Obama Administration fiat.

Let's ignore the fact that how Congress classified the Internet has already been adjudicated up to and through the Supreme Court - and the Court ruled it's classified as it's classified.

Let's ignore the fact that the FCC has already twice imposed Net Neutrality - and twice been unanimously told by the D.C. Circuit Court that they don't have the

authority to do so.

Let's ignore the fact that being twice with unanimity rebuked for overreaching on Net Neutrality and then going for Title II Reclassification is responding to being twice rebuked for a power grab - with an exponentially larger power grab. Like being twice told you can't have a piece of pie - and your responding by taking the entire pie.

Let's ignore the fact that FCC Chairman Tom Wheeler - a President Obama campaign-coin-bundling appointee - is often developing policies, including his looming prospective Title II-Net Neutrality power grab, while completely cutting out of the process the two Commission Republicans (Ajit Pai and Michael O'Reilly). And that Commissioners Pai and O'Reilly are routinely delivered hundreds of pages on which they're supposed to vote - just a scant few hours before they are supposed to vote. If all of this sounds like, well, most of Congress - it's only because it should.

The FCC is made up of five voting Commissioners - one of whom also serves as Chairman. Three are of the President's Party - two of the opposition Party. So right now it's 3-2 Democrat - and Democrat Chairman Wheeler is more and more pressing his partisan advantage.

Let's ignore all of that. Let's instead focus on this.

Should Chairman Wheeler and his two fellow unelected FCC Democrats behave like President Obama, their fellow Donkeys and their ideological brethren want them to and Reclassify the Internet - any three unelected FCC bureaucrats will from then on be able to raise taxes on the Internet whenever they want??

How do we know this? Phones are regulated under Title II - and this just happened.

FCC Agrees to Raise Taxes on Phones

Except the FCC didn't. Three unelected Democrat FCC Commissioners did.

By an additional 17.2%. Without their two Republican Commission-mates - and without Congress.

The FCC votes on these sorts of items every month. Which means they could raise taxes on phones every month. And - post-Reclassification - the Internet. This phone tax increase will also serve as a preemptive Net tax increase.

And all of this is on top of the gi-normous phone taxes baseline that will immediately apply to the post-Reclassification Web. This 17.2% hike is a Universal Service Fund (USF) tax increase. That tax was already absurdly high - a pre-hoist 16.1% of our phone bill. And even without an FCC vote it goes up every quarter - automatically.

Do we want three unelected FCC Democrat bureaucrats to unilaterally grant themselves the power to tax the Internet at this ridiculous level? And have these tax rates increase automatically - and whenever three unelected bureaucrats want

besides?

I didn't think so.



TALK SHOW GUEST & PROGRAM INFO. 5P-7P

PROGRAM DATE: Wed., Dec. 17, 2014

5:20pm-5:45pm

Guest: **JOHN WARREN**

- > a former federal investigator and co-founder of a large investigation corporation
- > Author of the political thriller, **Turnover**

Topic: Will President Obama Amnesty Plan skew voting process; and why Benghazi still matters...

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Will Executive Amnesty Skew Voting Process?

Does your vote count?

by John P. Warren

President Obama's November 20th, historic action changes to our nation's immigration policy will undoubtedly comply with the law of unintended consequences.

The Heritage Foundation has defined well the shelf of tools useful in upending, perverting, and otherwise manipulating our elections. In most instances, they will be small-time crimes concocted to influence local elections, such as the 2004 mayoral race in East Chicago, Ind., which involved massive absentee ballot fraud. Or the Arkansas state legislator in 2011, who along with his father and two campaign workers, were convicted of vote fraud conspiracy when they bribed voters and destroyed ballots.

These and so many others documented by The Heritage Foundation are important because what happens in local elections, multiplied many times over, ripples out to impact county, state, and national contests, the outcomes of which affect millions of people.

According to the Wall Street Journal, the White House, and the Migration Policy Institute, there are about 11.2 million illegal immigrants in this country, down from nearly 12.5 million in 2007. Of course, the economy had something to do with the downward drift, and so, the economy will have something to do with a strong upward tick, starting now, and in the next year or two, once the new policy takes hold. Of that group, the president says there will be some four to five million eligible to become legal members of our national family. In fact, will that number not be larger?

Whatever multiple of millions is calculated, the new, documented group will have access to various forms of legitimate identification provided by state and local governments, and no matter how one might feel about the wisdom or legitimacy of the president's plan, when those ID cards are issued, there will be no avoiding problems at the voting booth.

Imagine the bureaucratic nightmares all across our land as state and local officials—who may be working with differing legal opinions regarding the president's order—attempt to make sense out of the program. It is they who will be tasked with the on-the-ground local administration of this new policy, which, admittedly, may be temporary if Congress passes alternate legislation in 2015. Ah, the work, re-work, and the paperwork!

Be that as it may, if there was ever a time when the states should inspect and as necessary, re-engineer their voting policies and practices to raise the integrity bar even higher, it is now. What about early and online voting methods, said to make the ballot box more accessible to more voters? Despite these and widespread absentee voting, many have decried the low turnout in the recent Mid-terms. In making it easier for voters who may not vote, are we not making it easier for election miscreants to steal the votes of those who do? And now, how do we ensure that only citizens vote?

States with already tested and effective Voter ID laws will be miles ahead of the pack in the quest for election integrity. To those states that have not taken seriously the sanctity of their electoral processes, one might ask how they keep the confidence of the voting populace, already cynical about the venality of extra-legal national initiatives.

When all else fails to steal an election, there's massive electronic vote theft, of course. Hybrid (paper & digital) systems, with state-of-the-art, non duplicative encryption, routinely sampled (paper v. digital counts) and inspected by independent, qualified forensic accounting firms can go far in protecting our right to vote and have it count. Making sure that only eligible voters vote—only once—can restore the confidence of all Americans.

So, who decides who votes in 2016? We do, but only with vigilance and oversight.

Why Benghazi Still Matters by John Warren

In recent weeks, much of the mainstream media—which I like to call State Media because it so lovingly parrots White House talking points on almost any topic—has trumpeted the fact that the several hearings have found no actionable material regarding the Administration's direction of the Benghazi disaster.

How many hearings? Some say eight House hearings and two Senate reports, and most have dug deeply into every bit of arcana discoverable, for political or altruistic reasons. The investigators have looked high and low, mostly low, this observer suggests, and this is not meant to degrade their efforts or intimate that they have been in vain.

When a U.S. Ambassador is cruelly murdered and his body is dragged in the streets through celebratory crowds like so much garbage, and three other American heroes lose their lives defending him and U.S. interests, it is, indeed, a national defense defeat worthy of our intense interest. National defense? Because certain diplomatic properties are considered soil of the nation they represent, our consulate in Benghazi was, most definitely, on U.S. soil. Because our consulate was not properly prepared for an attack and neither was it properly defensible, the slaughter of U.S. personnel became an inevitable defeat of our national interest.

Yet, none of the hearings found any one person, group, or policy directly accountable in their multitudinous reviews of the Benghazi imbroglio. One or more of the congressional investigations needed to be thoroughly conducted, and the more that Administration partisans, operatives, and State Media parrots (journalists might be too strong a word) protested, the more it seemed that something was being hidden, covered up.

This observer will continue to maintain that investigators looked "too low"—that is, they immersed themselves so completely into the detail of the Benghazi mess that they and their political masters missed what was hiding in plain view. Why Benghazi occurred at all, given that it happened in a country in which this Administration engineered regime change and engaged in half baked nation building is for the foreign policy princes and princesses to debate. Whether or not there was a specific failure of certain persons to install concertina wire on the consulate's walls, or whether the ambassador's calls for additional personnel and physical security should have been heeded, or whether the ambassador should have been there in the first place—just to itemize the main questions—are for the hearings mavens to parse and protest.

What State Media et al cannot protest, however, is the very fact that Benghazi occurred, and that it is the ugly, unforgettable icon of the Obama Administration's implementation of its own version of an Andy Rooney-Judy Garland "Let's Have a Show" foreign policy from somewhere behind the curtain. Benghazi is the concrete result of all that has framed the Obama view that the U.S. should insult Britain (should Prince William have returned Winnie's bust?), turn its back on Israel, kowtow

to China, Iran, Egypt, and yes, Libya, befriend Hamas and the Palestinians, and genuflect to Putin (remember how "flexible" Obama said he could be when he won in 2012?). This was a policy designed to tweak the cheeks of our friends and be obsequious to our adversaries—all to win the world's likability polls.

Today, the U.S. is neither liked nor respected. And despite Secretary Clinton's wish to the contrary notwithstanding, her famous rhetorical has an answer: Just as "Remember the Maine" and "Remember Pearl Harbor" had special meaning for generations past and passing, "Remember Benghazi" must make a difference, Madame Secretary, in how the next president views the world. Americans will demand that answer, and that means State Media may have to independently analyze and report news again. That will not bode well for Benghazi policy architects or adherents.



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Topic: How Law Enforcement Is Coping With The NYPD Slayings; the impact this is having on law enforcement

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Two New York City were ambushed and killed Saturday by a gunman who said he was retaliating for the death of Eric Garner and Michael Brown.

The killer later killed himself. This comes at a time when there are still protests over police handling of the Garner and Brown cases.

Could this lead to copycat slayings of police officers?

How do such things affect police officers and their families?