

Equal Justice - All people have a right to equal treatment under the law. We support the enforcement of the original Bill of Rights as written and intended by the Founders.

Jobs, Economy and

Currency - We support balanced budgets, reduced regulations, limited taxation and Free Market, allowing growth to the individual and to the economy as a whole.

Education - We are dedicated to reaffirming the importance of safety for students and staff. We support a rigorous "back to basics" curriculum as determined by parents and local school districts.

Keep and Bear Arms - You have the right to protect yourself against enemies both foreign and domestic.

National Sovereignty, Immigration and

Defense - We believe America must have the strongest national defense necessary to defend our borders, homes and national interests.

Individual Rights - We believe individual human rights come from our Creator, not the government. We recognize the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness from conception to natural death. We believe in free speech, thought, worship and dissent without fear of government interference or penalty.

Limited Government - Government is best when it governs the least. Big government infringes upon the rights of the citizens, is prohibitive, inefficient and extremely expensive.

Healthcare - We believe that the best healthcare model is one with very limited government intervention, based around the principle of individual responsibility.

Property Rights - It is the right of all citizens to legally acquire, own, use and dispose of private property. It is your right to protect your property with reasonable force against another person who is threatening to infringe upon it.

Chairman's Chat

P. Brian Noble,
SCRCC Chair/CEO

This Issue:

Infrastructure (Energy, Utilities, Transportation and Technology) -

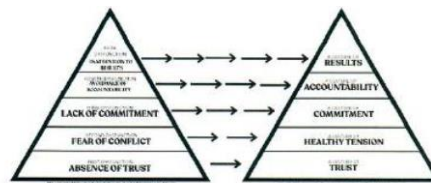
We understand that government must continue to invest wisely in infrastructure and transportation projects, especially those critical to growth and safety and strive to be a leader in energy and information technologies through our free market system rather than with government intervention.

Next Issue:

Family Values - We support the right of families to be free to raise their children according to their personal morals, values and spiritual beliefs.

The Republican party and Republicans, in general, must become an effective team if we want to move our community back to conservative values. This month we are going to talk about commitment.

What is a commitment? Here is a definition from the Oxford Dictionary. "The state or quality of being dedicated to a cause, activity."



We have many areas in which Republicans can commit to serving our community:

- Become a Precinct Committee Officer
 - Become a Precinct Captain
 - Participate in an SCRCC Committee
- Participate in the SCRCC candidate vetting process
 - Sit on county or city committees
 - Run for office

Once you are involved, be dedicated to the activity you have committed to accomplishing. Be a just and brave leader, reach your community, talk to your neighbor, and let's start winning again.

Here is what I know. The mission is critical, the vision is clear, and the strategy will produce results. Let's build a culture of trust, healthy tension, commitment, accountability, and results.

MISSION: ELECT Republicans who will move the Republican platform forward.

VISION: FILL EVERY SEAT in Spokane County with a REPUBLICAN.

STRATEGY: EMPOWER PCOs and their neighbors to be grassroots leaders in their communities to win over people's hearts to conservative values.

God Bless You All. God Bless the United States of America.

THE END IS NIGH

by Juli Skinner

CLIMATE CHANGE Published January 22, 2023 8:00am EST

Al Gore has history of climate predictions, statements proven false

Gore said there was a 75% chance the entire north polar ice cap would likely be gone by 2016

By Thomas Catenacci | Fox News



FOX NEWS

Young people who fall under the spell have an excuse; they blindly believe what they are told because their brains are not developed enough to question things that make no sense. And they don't do their research. Since the 2000s, Al Gore has hysterically warned and John Kerry pathetically whined to everybody that Earth is on a collision course with obliteration if we don't reverse our carbon footprint...NOW! Wrong again. For any climate change activist, it should be a letdown or at the very least, it should elicit some curiosity as to how we are still here – Earth thriving - when seasoned men have so passionately tried scaring everyone to death. Two of the biggest climate change hypocrites if ever there were, have dedicated their lives in furthering one of the biggest hoaxes there ever was. *"It's too hot."* *"It's too cold."* *"It's too wet."* *"It's too dry."* Well people, what is it!? Could it be that our Earth just goes through natural cycles? Nah. Natural events don't scare people as much. The Left has to attach guilt in order to keep those donations coming in and overregulate businesses to justify their cause. On the bright side, corporate overregulation has been good for elitism and fear has been good for fundraising. We concede; climate change exists. But manmade climate change? Before we surrender to an impasse, exploration of the subject is warranted.

<https://www.prageru.com/video/is-there-really-a-climate-emergency>

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/michaelshellenberger/2019/11/25/why-everything-they-say-about-climate-change-is-wrong/?sh=4468b0bd12d6>

"It's settled science", they shout. Now that is a

contradiction in terms. Anyone who has ever taken a college science course knows science is not absolute; it is a constant stream of new information. Moreover, evidence generated by climate activists is tainted and faulty. But laws based on that faulty science are being passed by our biased leaders. As a result, it stifles and hurts economies. Washington is a great example of climate activism gone wild. Store bag fees; paper straws; potential ban on natural gas appliances; potential mileage tax; phasing out of gas-powered vehicles by 2050 despite any evidence that manmade climate change is real or irrevocably affecting our state! WHO ARE THESE PEOPLE? The new carbon emissions law and high fuel taxes are the result of out-of-control Democrats in Congress? *Psst...* Did you all know that we are in the top five states with the most expensive fuel prices?

<https://www.changewashington.org/new-gas-tax-will-make-fuel-prices-far-far-worse/#:~:text=The%20state%E2%80%99s%20official%20fuel%20tax%20wasn%E2%80%99t%20increased.%20But,the%20pump%20while%20more%20money%20goes%20to%20Olympia>

<https://www.krem.com/article/news/verify/washington-46-cent-tax-on-gas-2023-false/293-aa0ee04b-c87c-4986-a459-11ac8f8579a7>

They've bought into the climate change craze. See [Climate Commitment Act](#). Regulations are superfluously adding cost to commerce we invest in and use. And for what? Funding woke companies and legislators?

Low-level street climate change activists go along with the crowd. They're told that capitalism is in the way of their quality of life. And they truly believe it. Conversely, high-level bureaucrats know the truth but leave the worry to you. They travel via private jet, lecturing us Plebs on why we must drive electric. They rake in power and prestige while calling for successful businesses to bow down to the Order. Overzealous and restrictive regulations that the radical Democrats are pushing onto business owners are based on theory, NOT "settled science." It seems to be more about destroying certain business owners and levitating themselves than saving our planet.

<https://www.yahoo.com/news/bill-gates-climate-change-criticizes-impoverished-lifestyle-idea-200125212.html>



The Constitutional Corner

By Lori Burns

Freedom, in our Constitutional Republic, means that we should have choice in every aspect of our lives that is appropriate in a civilized nation. To prevent living in anarchy, we must have laws that we agree upon, such as those against murder, thievery, kidnapping, etc. Typically, those laws are universally accepted. However, the Communists, posing as Democrats, are doing everything in their power to remove as many choices as possible from us as citizens. The Constitution does not give the federal government, or any state government for that matter, the power to determine what kind of vehicle we drive. If individuals choose to buy battery powered vehicles, fine. But if we don't want one, we shouldn't have our choices limited by any government. Is it the "States" business what kind of stove we choose for our kitchen?

The obvious answer is "no".

The above examples are just a few of the ways that our rights continue to be eroded in the name of Green. COVID lockdowns opened the floodgates and accelerated the pace, but it all started with the Chicken Little crowd programming us for years to believe the sky is falling; it is our fault and that we must self-immolate our economy upon the altar of the Green gods or risk total and absolute destruction. Never mind that none of their predictions ever come true and, more importantly, do not ask any questions about where batteries, windmills or solar panels come from or the environmental destruction they cause. You may not question the orthodoxy of the left and challenge these environmental practices lest you be labeled a "flat-earther" or "climate-denier."

We are being manipulated and lied to. As we shut down our oil and natural gas production, we

buy those same products from Russia, Venezuela and Iran; enemies all. We utterly fail to improve or harden our electrical grid while living in a world increasingly driven by electronics and forced to drive battery-powered cars. We have a rail system that is obviously crumbling when it is one of the most energy-efficient and cost-effective ways to move goods. And we are letting our development of AI (Artificial Intelligence) outpace our ability to analyze and establish safety protocols. What does it all mean? Control. The left wants total control; unquestioning obeisance and omnipotence. It is a gross understatement to say that these are not the hallmarks of a free nation. The absolute root cause of our terrible economy is founded in the self-inflicted wounds of green energy policies—policies which are neither green nor beneficial—which are instead leading us to enslavement.

WAKE UP SPOKANE COUNTY

PRECINCT COMMITTEE OFFICERS (PCOs)

Terms began -
December 1, 2022.

If you do not know your Precinct number, you can find it at:

<https://voter.votewa.gov/>

Submit your name and birthday & click registration link to get your precinct number.

PCOs are such important connections between the people and the candidates. Please let us know if you do not have a PCO in your precinct.

<https://wsrp.org/assets/uploads/2022/05/2022-PCO-Manual.pdf>

Would you
consider
volunteering

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Apprenticeship logjam

Before we can rebuild and expand aging energy infrastructure, we need to rebuild respect for the men and women who make it happen. It takes apprentices who invest as much or more time and effort into learning their professions as most undergraduates put into pursuing a four-year college degree.

A bachelors degree at the University Washington requires 180 credits, typically earned within four years. Figuring classroom and study time at a generous 60 hours per week, a proud Husky will have invested 7200 hours and over \$40,000 in tuition. If they've chosen a major wisely, they may find a job that pays enough to cover their student loans before they're ready to retire.

To become a Journeymen Lineman requires an apprenticeship with 7000 working hours, plus seven months of Saturdays in the classroom and 10 days of intensive training at a specialized controlled facility, according to Will Power, IBEW Local 77 Eastside Construction Representative.

"It's basically equivalent to a four-year college degree and possibly more time commitment," wrote Power in a recent email exchange. "There are written quizzes, midterm and final tests each year and requires the endorsement of three Journeymen Linemen with over three years experience at the Journey level." And successful apprentices "graduate" without a mountain of college debt. We do society and individuals a disservice in pushing "college for all."

The Sustainability Action Plan [adopted] by the Spokane City Council sets an ambitious goal to require all new construction to include "on-site renewable energy generation" by 2025, in addition to moving more of our transportation and heating demand to the electrical grid. While it's great to include "expand local and national apprenticeship programs to meet growing demands for a skilled workforce" as a priority strategy for the long-term, it will not help the IBEW staff up to bring more power to the people in less than four years.

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LEGISLATIVE WATCH

---SB 5599--- 2023

Gender affirming treatment for runaway or homeless minors without parental consent or notification Passed both chambers with only Democrat support. This bill must be vetoed. If you don't think this state is undermining parental rights at a legislative level – think again. They are separating us from our children. SAVE our children. VOTE these people out of office NOW.

Keep track of some of the "Good" and "Bad" bills in the legislature: **WSRP Olympia Watch**, <https://wsrp.org/olympia-watch/>. Watch the progress of the bills. Contact your legislators to voice your support or opposition. Your input is critical.

Find bills at <http://leg.wa.gov>. Add the bill number to get the text of a bill, a summary, when a public hearing will occur and videos of hearings. When a bill has passed out of one chamber, you can also see who voted "yea" and "nay" by clicking on View Roll Call.

IMPORTANT NEWS: WE STAND with Chief Craig Meidl. PETITION in support has over 2000 signatures. There's still time to add your

name: https://petitionbuilder.org/petition/we-stand-with-chief-meidl-7u1u?fbclid=IwAR1bq3e1IMRs0uS-I9WSHGW90eo8sFW6KRq8_cVpPDLSP23Nkemiubo--jlhttps://www.spokanegop.com/chief_craig_meidl_04_06_2023

GOP Resolution in support of Police Chief Craig Meidl and Mayor Nadine Woodward. https://www.spokanegop.com/chief_craig_meidl_04_06_2023

EASTER REVIVAL.

He is Risen.

How was your Easter? Did you eat candy; make deviled (ugh – the spices) eggs; partake in Easter egg hunts; stuff yourself at the table; make your bi-annual trip to Church?

Have we all forgotten?

Non-believers celebrate our Sacred day, not for Christ but for the lure of secularism. We have all been programmed to forget what Easter really is and what it represents. If you are a Believer, your duty is to spread the News. Yes, it is an old traditional phrase but we can revive it. If you have questions; ask them. If you have doubts; lay them at the Feet of Christ. If you need fellowship; find a Christian Church. Even if you are a non-Believer, you don't have to pray in church – just listen. Through righteousness, we can revive decency in this country. But remember, we are not fighting people that disagree with us; we are fighting what is influencing them to persecute the innocent. At this moment in time, we are fighting the evil lurking from the shadows of the Socialist Democrat Party. True Democrats see their Party being perverted. They fear going against their own Party. Reach out to your friend. Help them see and find the courage to speak out. Through prayer, virtue and sacrifice, we will prevail against this evil. Now go forth people and spread the Good News.

SAVE THE DATES

Saturday
August 19 2023

UNITY IN THE COMMUNITY

10 AM
Spokane River Front Park

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Ponderosa Republican Women, PRW
<http://www.PonderosaRepublicanWomen.com>

House Republicans

<https://housepublicans.wa.gov/2021/02/01/how-you-can-be-involved-in-the-legislative-process/>

Interested in sharing your ideas, knowledge or time? Please consider volunteering for a GOP committee position. If interested in helping with the Communications Committee or submitting work, you **MUST** meet the submission deadline. Contact Terri for more information at terrizalevits@gmail.com.