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### **Colorado River Tea Party Mission Statement**

The Colorado River TEA Party mission is to attract, educate and mobilize fellow citizens; to secure public policy which stops the growth of excessive government, irresponsible spending and runaway taxes; to help elect, without directly endorsing, political representatives who are consistent with our core values; and to re-establish the Constitutional Foundation of our Country.

## <<>> Calendar

February 16, 2023 Regular Meeting Community Christian Church E Highway 95

Speakers & other programs may be added to or rescheduled for our regular meetings as they become available.

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our copy should address 3 key questions: Who

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Dear faithful Patriots,

The chat of the morning is, of course, the State of the Union. What amazed me about it is that whoever wrote that speech is a highly skilled craftsman. Although it was a dense package of misdirection and lies, it was brilliantly done, and Biden was well trained to deliver it well.

The writer obviously knew what the reaction would be and even programed Biden's responses. You know as well as I that Biden does not have the mental acuity to come up with his responses on the spot. He would have fumbled and stuttered in his usual manner.

Below is a picture of the final act in the WAA ceremony, the Cleaning up of the graveyards. My favorite part of the connection is watching the young people who so enthusiastically participate at every level. Tanya Wright gathered her 4-H group to help here. Rather than taking 4 hours, it only took 1 this year.

Cora Lee Schingnitz, Editor Email me at: coraleemoen@gmail.com ps: Send me your best Thanksgiving picture for the next edition.



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"During the course of administration, and in order to disturb it, the artillery of the press has been leveled against us, charged with whatsoever its licentiousness could devise or dare." --Thomas Jefferson (1805)

### Just for Fun

8:42 - The feminist neighbor complained again that the broomstick of the snow woman needed to be removed because it depicted women in a domestic role.

8:43 - The city's Council on Equality' officer arrived and threatened me with eviction.

8:45 - The TV news crew from ABC showed up. I was asked if I know the difference between snow men and snow women? I replied "Snowballs" and am now a sexist.

9:00 - I was on the news as a suspected terrorist, racist, homophobe and sensibility offender bent on stirring up trouble during difficult weather.

9:10 - I was asked if I have any accomplices. My children were taken by social services.

9:29 - Far left protesters offended by everything marched down the street demanding that I be arrested.

9:45 - The boss called and fired me because of the negative association with work that had been all over social media.

10:00 - I cry into my drink because all I wanted to do was build a snowman.

Moral: There is no moral to this story. It is what this world has become because of a bunch of snowflakes.

### Colorado River Tea Party Minutes February 2, 2023

Jim called the meeting to order at 6:02. Cecil offered the invocation.

Big Wayne led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Cora Lee** read the minutes to the last meeting as Nikki was with her husband at Urgent Care. **Prayers Please** 

**Ruth** gave the treasure's report. Because the post office is expensive, we have set up a box with Pack Rat. The address is Colorado River Tea Party, at 11862, Yuma, AZ, 85367, PMB #59. **Neil** distributed business cards. Don moved that we purchase business cards for the group. Arlene seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Jim updated some 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment news.

1. A judge overturned the decision to ban bump stocks.

2. The ATF demands that we modify our restrictive brace in 120 days or suffer a \$10,000 fine and a 10 year prison sentence. Jim said that the ATF has no power to legislate, so it will go down.

3. Jim recommended that those who carry concealed weapons look at the United States

Concealed Carry Association to secure legal protection. He also recommended their training videos. Dale mentioned you can get a good deal also at Lawyers on Retainer in Phoenix. **Ways and Means:** A spoon and a platter was left after the last meeting. Carla will keep it in the cabinet. She also has some new caps and flags and encouraged people to sign up to help at BBQ and Brew on March 10 -11. **Greg Wilkerson,** Yuma GOP Chairman, and the night's main feature, reported on the results of the GOP Statutory Meeting on Saturday. Mr Wilkerson was overall quite pleased. We got a great slate of candidates, all of whom are focused on the same priorities as our Yuma Republicans are: Chairman: Jeff DeWitt who sets a seven-point plan:

- 1. Election Integrity
- 2. Dramatically improved fundraising
- 3. Overhaul the ground game.
- 4. Transparency and Trust
- 5. Recruit good candidates
- 6. Let the voters decide
- 7. Put the Democrats on Defense.

Secretary: Christine Ong

Treasurer: Elija Norton Sgt. At Arms: Robert Canterbury

Greg mentioned that the candidates passed by an 80 per cent of the vote on the first ballot which indicates widespread support. He is also confident of Yuma County Staff. "They have awakened a sleeping giant."

Jim, after some discussion, asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:15. Done.

Respectfully submitted, Cora Lee Schingnitz, Nikki's Assistant.

# A Commitment to End Woke and Weaponized Government

2023 Budget Proposal



Editors note: Following is a list of a few things the "Thinking Conservative editors would do to balance the budget. Read the article to get some suggestion as to what we can do.

## Defund Woke And Weaponized Examples Proposals In 2023 Budget

To read the article click <u>here.</u>

- \$2.2 million for a "LatinX" science telenovela series (NSF)
- \$15k for University of Illinois to promote LGBTQ inclusion in engineering (NSF)
- \$200k for Science Museum of Minnesota to host "community conversations that
- intersect STEM and racial justice" (NSF)
- \$240 million to sue coal workers (EPA)
- \$6.2 million for abortion services in Pennsylvania (HHS)
- \$279k for the National Black Justice Coalition for social media communication

- with Black Men/Transgender Women (HHS)
- \$1.9 million for an Illinois non-profit to train teachers to "center equity" and be
- "culturally responsive" in the classroom in order to "address the enduring and
- systemic inequities in school systems." (Education)
- \$2.7 million for a Rhode Island non-profit to train teachers and administrators to
- "address the root causes of educational inequities" and transform systems by
- dismantling systemic racism (Education)
- \$1.5 million to the University of Texas Arlington to instruct teachers on how to
- blend math with social-emotional learning (SEL) and other Critical Theory
- concepts (Education)
- \$150k for "Hold onto your Butt": Program brings awareness to cigarette butt litter
- in San Francisco (Commerce)
- \$59k for "Rise Above Plastic Day" telling Oregonians to stop using plastics for 1
- day (Commerce)
- \$3.8 million for UnidosUS, a group that hosts town halls on "the Future of
- Policing in America," and is "committed to showing all Americans what "structural
- racism" is and how to end it (Labor)
- \$41 million for a Soros Group (Acacia Center) that helps illegal immigrants avoid
- deportation (DOJ)
- \$191k for exploring LGBTQ Military Service Member stressors and lived
- experience (DOD)
- \$5.5k for diversity training on the importance of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and
- Transgender inclusion in the United States Military (DOD
- \$1.4 million for Planting Justice, an organization in Oakland, California that
- advances a "food justice" agenda to fight alleged systemic racism in the
- industrialized food system (Agriculture)
- \$50k for The New York Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation for
- so-called LGBT "historic sites"(Interior)
- \$30k for LGBTQIA+ arts & culture in Philly (Interior)
- \$4.5 for Online LGBT poetry readings at a language museum in Latvia (State)
- \$5k Prague Pride events (State)
- \$25k LGBT activist trainings in Senegal (State)
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# Woke & Weaponized Bureaucracy: Prioritize cuts to woke and weaponized federal bureaucracy, including:

7% cut to DOJ, including a 13% cut to the FBI intelligence and counterintelligence programs (while increasing resources for actual crime fighting by 18%).

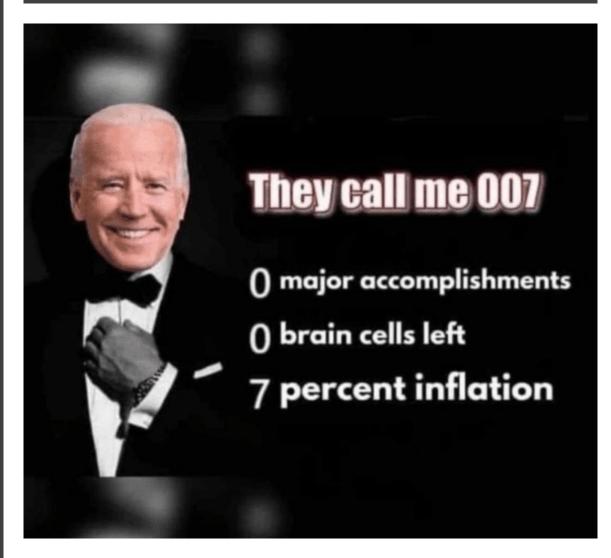
♦ \$22 billion or 20% cut to HHS, including a 37% cut to CDC to refocus its efforts towards fighting infectious diseases away from sexually transmitted and chronic diseases, a 50% cut to NIAD (led by Anthony Fauci) because of its commitment to gain-of-function research, and eliminating woke bureaucracy.

\$26 billion or 43% cut to HUD, including a three-year phase out of Section 8 grants that are a magnet for crime and decreased property values and cuts to the fair housing bureaucracy committed to breaking up neighborhoods with single family homes.

\$26 billion or 45% cut to foreign aid, ensuring that State & USAID are no longer funding drag shows in Equador, the training of LGBT activits in Senegal, or gay pride parades in Prague.

♦ \$18 billion or 26% cut to the Department of Education's bureaucracy funding CRT

and ensuring that states avoid this bureaucracy with a large blockgrant.



## From: 6 Failures of Biden's Presidency in Year Jarrett Stepman

Are you better off than you were two years ago?

From COVID-19 tyranny to a foolhardy retreat from energy independence to a vicious war on parents, the 46th president has proved to be far from the healing uniter he was promised to be.

Though it seems many Americans have already forgotten about it, the disastrous Afghanistan withdrawal remains one of the most humiliating foreign policy fiascos in American history.

### 1.) Immigration Chaos

Biden said that the border crisis didn't begin "overnight." Actually, it pretty much did begin overnight—the moment he took office.

### 2.) Ballooning Debt

Pretty much every modern president and Congress has failed on the national debt issue. But Biden has ratcheted it up to a whole new level. That debt increased by about \$4 trillion since Biden arrived in office . And the administration is eager to pile up more some of the administration's backers suggest that the Federal Reserve create a \$1 trillion coin. Yes, a coin.

### 3.) Inflation

Inflation may be slowing down a bit— while food prices soar—but for the most part, the U.S. economy under Biden has suffered its highest levels of inflation since the Jimmy Carter administration in the late 1970s.

Put another way, the house is burning down, but the good news is, we might save a few chairs.

### 4.) Woke Administrative State

The federal bureaucracy is being transformed into an apparatus more wholly devoted to the cult of diversity, equity, and inclusion.

In April, the Biden administration issued guidance through the Department of Health and Human Services to ensure that "transgender youth receive the care they need."

### 5.) Specter of Scandal

A more recent development in the Biden presidency has been the discovery that he had classified documents from when he was the vice president under President Barack Obama.

Of course, when the FBI seized documents from former President Donald Trump's Mar-a-Lago compound in Florida, the media treated it as the scandal of the century. At the time, Biden said he couldn't believe how "anyone could be that irresponsible" to keep classified documents.

### 6.) No Return to Normalcy

Not only did things generally seem broken and dysfunctional in the past year, but Biden and his administration frequently took opportunities to portray half the country as evil, anti-democratic monsters.

That's a real winning combination.

In Biden's now infamous speech with a blood-red backdrop where he ranted and raved at length about the wickedness of "MAGA Republicans," the president effectively defined his opponents as an existential threat to the country.

To a certain extent, Biden might have been right. What we are dealing with now truly is a battle for the soul of the nation.

For the rest of the story, click <u>here.</u>



Our nation is in a panic. Congress may resume functioning any day now.

#### From:

## In Brief: Equity Is the New Communism

The Left is using equity to seize control over every American institution.

### **By Editorial Staff -- Patriot Post**

"Equity" is among the favorite buzzwords for leftists these days, but they have deprived it of any relation to justice or Liberty under the law. Journalist Daniel Greenfield explains:

In under a decade, equity plans have become widely embedded in American life. And they serve the same function that Communist Party dogma did in the USSR or Communist China.

At the heart of equity is the rejection of meritocracy, of individualism, and, in a bitter irony in the wake of MLK Day, the idea that we should be judged not by skin color, but by the content of our character.

Even more insidiously, implementing equity plans involves hiring equity specialists, activists who function as political commissars, tasked with conducting indoctrination sessions, forcing ideological changes and purging personnel deemed insufficiently loyal to the Left.

Equity plans have embedded a layer of "equity commissars" at every level of society.

Equity is much more comprehensive than class warfare and much more usefully destructive. The intangibility of microaggressions or unconscious bias means that employers can no longer even point to statistical metrics like black and white or male and female employees being paid the same amount. Equity only uses statistics to prove guilt, not to disprove it.

Some governors and executives have recognized equity for what it is, a leftist hostile takeover of American life that duplicates much of the program of Communism under the guise of civil rights, that uses white guilt and racism to take over our institutions and destroy our freedom.

Most have not.

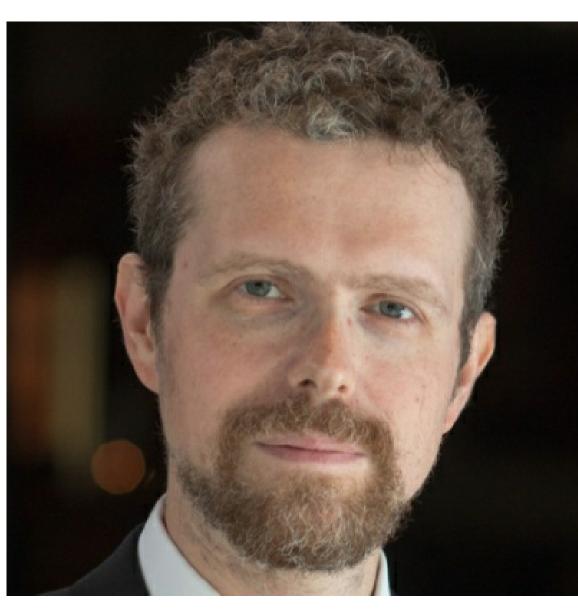
After recounting further proof of his thesis, Greenfield concludes with a dire

warning:

This is a crisis that is rapidly leading to the downfall of the United States. Woke corporations, from tech monopolies to finance platforms, are contriving to make the Constitution a dead letter. Elections are being rigged not only by nonprofits, but by vast amounts of private capital. The evolving new social credit system and totalitarian system is a public-private-radical alliance.

America's institutions are being captured from the top down. And equity, like environmentalism, is one of the key forces responsible for politicizing what was once apolitical. Equity, as many have observed, is not equality, but equity, more importantly, is tyranny.

For the rest of the story, click <u>here.</u>



# Deranged Liar Gives Us His Word

Joe Biden's irrational exuberance about America's future tells us a great deal about his state of mind.

### By Douglas Andrews -- Patriot Post

In all the English language, there's hardly a string of five words more worthy of a spit take than this particular American president saying, "My word as a Biden." It's akin to Bill Clinton saying, "My word as a faithful husband" — which, of course, he never says.

But there he was Sunday, ol' Scranton Joe saying just that: "My word as a Biden." And he put it in front of this: "I've never been more optimistic about America's future than I am today."

The man is certifiably non compos mentis.

Let's begin here. He never tires of telling us that his oldest son lost his life in Iraq. Nope. Then there's the one in which he repeatedly and falsely blamed the death of his first wife and daughter in a car wreck on a truck driver. Biden said he "drank his lunch." The truth, according to the police report, was that the truck driver hadn't been drinking and wasn't even at fault.

It's impossible to cram Biden's biggest whoppers into a standard paragraph, but here's a sampler of the lies he's told in an effort to claim identity in one constituent group or another: He said he was "appointed" to the U.S. Naval Academy. He said he was arrested in South Africa while trying to see Nelson Mandela. He said he was arrested during the Civil Rights movement of the 1960s. And he said he used to drive an 18-wheeler for a living. In addition, Biden has claimed to have visited the Tree of Life synagogue in Pittsburgh after a 2018 massacre there, claimed to have been raised by Puerto Ricans, claimed to have hit a towering home run in a congressional baseball game, and claimed gas prices were above \$5 when he took office. Lies, lies, and more lies.

The dude makes Walter Mitty seem like Walter Cronkite.

As for optimism, well, Ole Joe doesn't have much company there, either, as 71% of Americans think they country's on the wrong track.

But remember: We have his word as a Biden.

For the rest of the story, click<u>here.</u>



## Local School Board Meeting Schedules

### Yuma Elementary School District One (Second Monday)

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Yuma Elementary School District One promoting equity in education: <u>https://www.yuma.org/Our\_District</u>. Education Elements and Yuma District One: <u>https://www.edelements.com/personalized-learning-at-yuma-district-one-az</u> Education Elements and DEI: <u>https://www.edelements.com/diversity-equity-inclusion-personalized-learning?hsCtaTracking=4f36f8f1-6efa-4ce1-a2f1-73b154e20bdc%7C26fd955a-1055-4977-ac5e-0012c3777bf2#StartJourney. Education Elements document with CRT infused in personalized learning: <u>https://www.edelements.com/hubfs/Capture%20The%20Opportunity.pdf</u>.</u>

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### Gadsden

Gadsden Title I funds allocated for social and emotional learning (SEL) and Multi-Tierd Support System (MTSS)- Look into if CRT worldview is preached by companies providing SEL and MTSS: <u>https://www.azed.gov/gadsden-elementary-district-o</u>

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### Yuma Union High School District (Second Wednesday)

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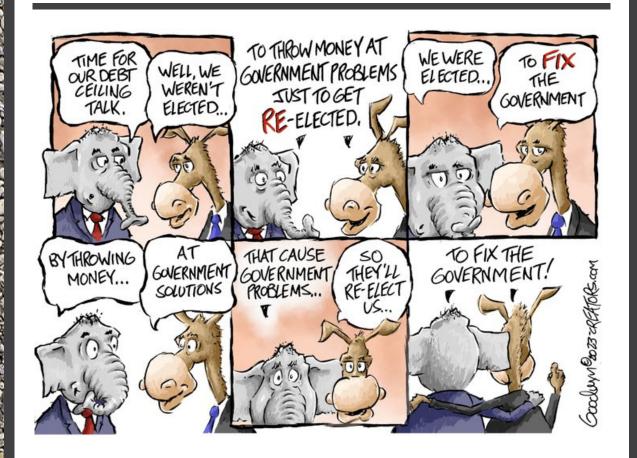
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