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#### **A Letter from AFSWFLC President Terry Angley**

Good afternoon America First members. This is Terry Angley, your America First Southwest Florida Caucus President. The first thing on my presidential letter is, as you know, our lawsuit, which has been going on for 20 months.

We've had numerous hearings, depositions, mediations, spent tens of thousands of dollars and then last month on October 14, we went to trial. It was a ten-hour trial. Yes,

you read this correctly. I was on the stand for two hours as were several of us.

It was not a jury trial, but a judge trial. She informed us at the end of the ten hours that she didn't have to decide that day or the next. That she could wait a few months to let us know her decision.

So that's where we stand. The trial is over, and we don't have a decision. I thank all of you for your support, prayers and donations. We've spent far less than half of what our opponents who are suing us have spent. They spent over \$100,000.

I was pleased with our attorney, and we'll see where we go from here. When I know more, you'll know more.

On to happier times. We have a Christmas party in lieu of a December membership meeting; it will be held at Hotel Venezia on US 41 just north of Venice Avenue. We're going to have music, an extensive buffet with two hot dishes, one being fish.

We have a congressional race to get behind Greg Steube who has a 100% constitutional voting record. We need to know about any elections that exist in the four cities in Sarasota County. Some of us may live in Venice, but also what happens in Sarasota and Longboat Key, which is partially in Sarasota County, is important to know what is happening in our county and interact with other elected officials. There is much to do.

I hope to see you all at the Christmas party where we are celebrating with the Sarasota MAGA Patriots group. There will be music, the food will be fabulous, and the service great. I have been very pleased dealing with Hotel Venezia.

If you have any questions call or text me at 941-223-2879 or email tangley4trump@gmail.

I look forward to seeing you all soon. Take care and God Bless.

Terry Angley



Celebrate the season with good food, good friends, good times and the blessings of Thanksgiving.

#### **AFSWFLC's Annual Christmas Luncheon**

**December 10, 2025,** is the next month's AFSWFLC meeting., which is the annual Christmas Luncheon. This year it's held at Hotel Venezia, 425 U.S. 41 N. Venice 34285 941-308-7700.

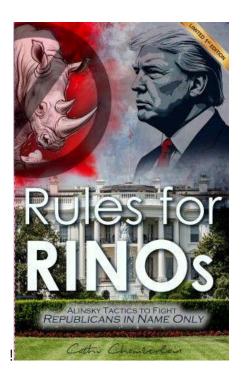
https://www.hotelveneziafl.com/location.php

Purchase your tickets here: https://americafirstswflc.org/christmas-luncheon



# Tuesday, November 11, Veterans Day is the 314<sup>th</sup> day of 2025. There are 46 days left in the year.

November 12, 2025 - Join us for a powerhouse patriotic luncheon with best-selling author Cathi Chamberlain, the no-holds-barred voice behind the explosive new release *Rules for RINOs* and the chart-topping *Rules for Deplorables*. From founding the nation's first all-female construction company to turning a near-fatal fall into a year-long war-room exposé of Saul Alinsky's playbook, Cathi has spent years arming freedom-loving Americans with the exact counter-moves the left never saw coming. Roger Stone calls her work "a must-read," city leaders call it "phenomenal," and readers nationwide call it the battle plan that's saving the Republic—one RINO at a time. Bring your appetite for lunch, truth, and your sharpest questions: Cathi will unpack how to spot, isolate, and neutralize squishy Republicans who hand victories to radicals on a silver platter. You can leave with a signed copy of *Rules for RINOs*, fresh tactics to take back your party, and a belly full of fire (plus a delicious lunch). Join us now and lock arms with the deplorables who refuse to lose!



### Author/Speaker (727) 320-7746

Rules for RINOs: Alinsky Tactics to Fight Republicans In Name Only

ORDER: www.amazon.com/dp/1733274316

Rules for Deplorables: A Primer for Fighting Radical Socialism

ORDER: <a href="https://www.amazon.com/dp/0692170987">www.amazon.com/dp/0692170987</a>
WEBSITE: <a href="https://www.RulesforDeplorablesBook.com">www.amazon.com/dp/0692170987</a>

#### **Sarasota School Board Meetings**

The board has recently changed the meeting times for board meetings from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m., a decision that has drawn mixed reactions from the public. This change was approved by the board, with members Robyn Marinelli, Karen Rose, and Bridget Zeigler supporting the move, while Tom Edwards and Liz Barker dissented, citing concerns about reduced public attendance, particularly from working parents, students, and teachers. The board's next regular meeting is scheduled for November 18, next on December 16, then January 14, 2026.

To email all School Board members:

<u>schoolboardmembers@sarasotacountyschools.net</u>

#### **Sarasota Memorial Hospital Board Meetings**

Tuesday, November 18, 2025, 2 - 4 pm at a new building on SMH Sarasota campus: Research and Education Institute,1880 Arlington Street, SRQ 34239. Contact Lisa Roulet lisaroulet@proton.me

Vic Rohe on the Hospital Board, announced the hospital millage rate, 1.0420, was unchanged. There is progress on the new hospital in North Port on Sumpter Blvd.

#### Sarasota Co. Legislation Delegation Meeting

Thursday, November 13 at 9 am, at the Anderson Building, 4000 S. Tamiami Trl, there is a Legislation Delegation meeting. It's too late to speak, but come and back the speakers who will be supporting medical freedom, SB 180 legislation and the Home Rule provisions of the Florida constitution for the county Charter.



Do you know America's founding principles? Are they worth fighting for? Come to the free workshop and renew your resolve to support our Constitution. Nov. 15 at the Hollow. Bring your lunch and drink.

#### Michelle Pozzie - Candidate for School Board

Michelle Pozzie - Is a candidate for Sarasota County School Board District 5 to replace Karen Rose who was appointed by Gov. DeSantis to fill the vacancy of Tim Enos. She expressed determination to re-imagine the educational system and fulfill the Mission Statement for Sarasota County Schools: Engage, elevate, and empower every student, every day!

#### Michael Sabga

**Michael Sabga** – In October, <u>Florida Field Coordinator for the John Birch Society</u>, provided "An Introduction to the John Birch Society." The John Birch Society provides many easy-to-read brochures to hand out to reach others and to take back control of Congress.

**Educational Materials** - books; literature; the *New American Magazine* - a monthly printed and online publication with timely articles about current events <a href="https://thenewamerican.com/">https://thenewamerican.com/</a> **SUBSCRIBE** 

**A Home-Schooling project** - Freedom College Academy [Freedom Project Academy] that offers a fully accredited, Common Core—free, Classical education for kindergarten through high school.

https://jbs.org/education/fpa/

**Action Alerts** - personal notifications via email or phone with details on critical upcoming legislation. Sign up at: <a href="https://jbs.org/subscribe/">https://jbs.org/subscribe/</a>

Action Alerts, available regardless of membership, contain a link to automatically contact your representatives Be informed and SUBSCRIBE.

**The Freedom Index** - a biannual rating of members of Congress on how closely they follow the Constitution <a href="https://thefreedomindex.org/">https://thefreedomindex.org/</a>

**A Scorecard** - a voting record score of Congresspersons based on legislative adherence to the U.S. Constitution <a href="https://thenewamerican.com/freedom-index/report/scorecard-119-1/">https://thenewamerican.com/freedom-index/report/scorecard-119-1/</a>

Many such tools are provided for free to non-members.

IMPORTANT: Contact our representatives with regard to H.R.3245 — a bill to repeal The USA PATRIOT Act, a.k.a. the "American Privacy Restoration Act", introduced by Representative Anna Paulina Luna (R-FL-13) Call House Representatives and Greg Steube at 202-224-3121

https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-bill/3245

Take advantage of these free tools to educate the low information voters. <u>REMEMBER</u> only 16% of registered Republicans voted in the last school board election when they sat on their couches giving a conservative seat to the Democrat-socialists.

#### Call to Action

**Support H.R.3245** - The American Privacy Restoration Act

Please get on board with this bill - support Representative Anna Paulina Luna, and co-sponsor H.R.3245 — a bill to repeal The USA PATRIOT Act, a.k.a. the "American Privacy Restoration Act." **Call Rep. Steube 202-224-3121** 

https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-bill/3245

#### **Call to Action**

Rep. Brandon Gill, R-TX, announced that he has filed articles of impeachment against US District Judge James Boasberg, accusing him of being "an accomplice in the egregious Arctic Frost scandal." Gill said that Judge Boasberg signed off on frivolous nondisclosure orders to conceal the fact that sitting US Senators were being surveilled."

Gill called it a "gross violation of the separation of powers." Call House Representatives at 202-224-3121

#### **Turning Point USA Chapters in High Schools Get Pushback**

The rise of a conservative student club on high school campuses has spiked both a discussion on harassment and the line between politics and public office in Sarasota County Schools. Headquartered in Sarasota is TPSRQ.com
Staff pushback over the recent increase of Turning Point USA student clubs in the district has escalated to district involvement, according to one School Board member. <a href="https://www.yoursun.com/northport/news/local-turning-point-usa-high-school-chapters-qet-pushback/article">https://www.yoursun.com/northport/news/local-turning-point-usa-high-school-chapters-qet-pushback/article</a> 74b9c82c-bb05-4a95-a80f-f3e977666901.html

#### DONATIONS AND VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED

We appreciate and welcome volunteers' **stamp** donations for our mission to reach new registered Republicans. We have a total of **133,850** total active registered Republican voters as of 10/23/2025. Our outreach program has welcomed over 10,000 newly registered Republican voters to Sarasota County. First class stamps are \$.78.

## Please Donate to the Lawfare Suit <a href="http://www.americafirstswflc.org">http://www.americafirstswflc.org</a>

<u>LEGAL DONATIONS</u> \*Please make checks payable to AMERICA FIRST SWFLCAUCUS and mail to: AFSWFLC. PO Box 352, Venice, FL 34285

America First SWFLC website: <a href="http://www.americafirstswflc.org">http://www.americafirstswflc.org</a> Visit the website to see our pictures and newsletters, plus updates throughout the month.

#### **Call Our Officials**

| Gov. DeSantis     | 850-717-9337 |
|-------------------|--------------|
| Sen. Rick Scott   | 202-224-5274 |
| Sen. Ashley Moody | 202-224-3041 |
| Rep. Greg Steube  | 202-225-5792 |
| Fiona McFarland   | 941-361-2465 |
| James Buchanan    | 941-429-4560 |
| Danny Nix         | 941-899-0810 |

#### **Legislation on Florida Bills**

The season is starting soon, and to keep you informed here is some information.

Watch tracked bills: <a href="https://flsenate.gov">https://flsenate.gov</a>

Meredyth Morrow 908-343-5104 and Andy Dubois 352-933-6353 andy@libertycitizen.com

The 2A group is working on bills to get supported. - <u>this takes action from the members to call and set appointments</u>- contact Kevin McAuliffe to get involved. 401-924-1744 km727@aol.com

**FastDemocracy** <u>mailto:notifications@fastdemocracy.com</u> Sign up to get House and Senate bill updates.

**Our goals are:** 1. SOE must verify citizenship, 2. Continue cleaning up voter rolls, 3. More in-depth audits of election machines as well as precinct and count options, 4. Tighten VBM requests.

Lobby Days in Tallahassee are January 21 & 22, 2026. Plan to go.

Defend Florida has Voter Integrity ZOOM calls on Tuesday nights at 7pm. <a href="DefendFlorida.org">DefendFlorida.org</a>

Citizens Renewing America Alliance Phone call every Thursday, 5-5:30 pm <a href="https://slingofdavid.com/signup">https://slingofdavid.com/signup</a> 4919 Pass WG8Fw2

#### MAKE CONTACT: Congress at your Fingertips

If you call 877-827-3321 you can get the *Congress at your Fingertips* book for \$20. You can then call any governor, Senator or Representative directly. You should call, too: **202-225-5792**. Tamzin Rosenwasser



## Do you choose to be a victim or a warrior? Nobody is born a warrior.

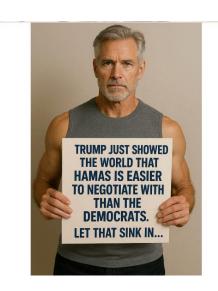
You choose to be one when you refuse to stay seated.

You choose to be one when you refuse to back down.

You choose to be one when you stand up after getting knocked down.

You choose to be one because in a world filled with sheep you would rather be a lion.

Stand up. Speak up. Wake up. "Courage is a decision." Gen. Mike Flynn



Spend Cash on Fridays! Support our economy by using cash.

The problem today is that too many of us want to win without making heartfelt sacrifices. ...we don't want to ruffle any feathers. The sacrifices made today aren't for nothing, our current sacrifices are for everything." Gen. Mike Flynn (Ret.)

#### MEMBERSHIP DONATIONS DUE

If you know a Republican, NPA, or patriotic conservative who wants to join the **America First SWFLC**, bring them to a meeting for informative, political news and entertainment plus meet new conservatives with a similar heart for America, or send them to our website at <a href="http://www.americafirstswflc.org">http://www.americafirstswflc.org</a>

#### We make it happen! We are America First SWFLC!

**Annual membership dues**: \$35 individual, \$60 couple, and \$20 each additional family member.

**Time to renew your membership dues.** Bring cash or a check to the meeting, or use the link below to pay by credit card. Send checks to our P.O. Box 352, Venice, FL 34285-0352. http://www.americafirstswflc.org

We are an active grassroots organization dedicated to traditional economic and social conservative Constitutional Republic values. We pool our talents and energy into electing conservatives to public offices. Patriots to save our country. We're a working and social club where you can share your ideas for America's future with friends to implement political plans into action.

Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month (except December) at Venice Community Center (Ballroom D), 326 S. Nokomis Ave. near Jervey Library on the island. Light refreshments served at 11:00 am. Guest speakers are scheduled.

#### Write a 250 word or less letter to *The Venice Gondolier* editor.

Ronald.dupont@yoursun.com Sign your full name, include an address and phone number, but it won't be used. Mail letters to: The Venice Gondolier, Letters to the Editor, 200 E. Venice Ave., Venice, FL 34285. PLEASE send compliments, complaints, considerations. Jump in and voice your opinion.

### By the President of the United States of America, a Proclamation

George Washington issued a proclamation on October 3, 1789, designating Thursday, November 26 as a national day of thanks.

Whereas it is the duty of all Nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey his will, to be grateful for his benefits, and humbly to implore his protection and favor-- and to recommend to the People of the United States a day of public thanksgiving and prayer to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many signal favors of Almighty God especially by affording them an opportunity peaceably to establish a form of government for their safety and happiness.

Now therefore I do recommend and assign Thursday the 26th day of November next to be devoted by the People of these States to the service of that great and glorious Being, who is the beneficent Author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be-- That we may then all unite in rendering unto him our sincere and humble thanks for the great degree of tranquility, union, and plenty, which we have since enjoyed and particularly -- for the civil and religious liberty with which we are blessed and also that we may then unite in most humbly offering our prayers and supplications to the great Lord and Ruler

of Nations and beseech him to pardon our national and other transgressions—to render our national government a blessing to all the people, by constantly being a Government of wise, just, and constitutional laws, discreetly and faithfully executed and obeyed, and to bless them with good government, peace, and concord—To promote the knowledge and practice of true religion and virtue, and the encrease of science among them and us—and generally to grant unto all Mankind such a degree of temporal prosperity as he alone knows to be best.

Given under my hand at the City of New York the third day of October in the year of our Lord 1789.

Go: Washington

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