

October 16, 2017, Hudson Common Council meeting, Hudson, Wisconsin

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Tony Bol

Good evening, I'm Tony Bol, I'm at 720 4<sup>th</sup> Street, in Hudson, Wisconsin. Thank you again for listening to our comments, I want to especially thank our juniors from the high school and Kari as well. My comments are, have good and bad news, my comment is that inclusion is happening, the institutions around Hudson, the churches, the YMCA, our arts institutions, our businesses, have little projects of inclusion, they kind of whisper it to me, that they're doing this. They see the letters to the editor, they know this conversation's taking place, but they know that in small steps that they are going to do it, so the good news is that our narrative is making an impact on the people around us and that they are making forward, taking this forward, in the ways that they know how to. The bad news is that Hudson suffers from a particular civic group that seeks out to intimidate and harass people who are out for any form of diversity, that are out to support it. They have gone after you, we've seen your e-mails, we know what they've sent, we know what they have put, they have also gone after River Falls, they've gone after school boards, they've gone after our churches, they go after these things in a swarm, this is the Citizens for the St. Croix Valley, and one of their goals, and I'll read it right from their web site which is build a strong activism network that will protect our community from those who seek to destroy our way of life. And their way of life is not about diversity. Theirs is not about inclusion. We have an outspoken group, that now our group these girls our friends are going to stand up and we're going to stand up to support them support the people who are trying to take a stand for diversity, support you when you're being harassed, support our high school, support our churches, this group is going to continue. We may be in a time of separate (inaudible) but we're not in a time of failure for a lot of movement towards being inclusive to new communities. Thank you for your time. I hope you will bring this inclusion resolution to a vote in November.

(end Tony Bol comments)

Mission and Goals of Citizens for the St. Croix Valley

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ABOUT CITIZENS FOR THE ST. CROIX VALLEY

Our mission is to educate, engage, and mobilize citizens of the St. Croix Valley (Western Wisconsin and Eastern Minnesota) through grassroots efforts to affect the security, economic stability, and preservation of the constitutional republic form of government.

Goals

- To educate ourselves and others on the inalienable rights endowed by our Creator and protected by our Constitution.
- Educate and empower citizens to take action to preserve life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

- Seek out virtuous leaders who support the Constitutional Republic.
- Build a strong activist network that will protect our community from those who seek to destroy our way of life.