

Senator Padilla,

It is with great enthusiasm that I greet you through this impersonal means of communication, but I hope affective, in "Sharing an Opinion," that within some levels of Government Reform is necessary, long overdue and will benefit (impact) American citizens nationwide.

Before going into detail about my opinions, let's first open the conversation about a shared philosophy and Dream. That philosophy is that dreams come true, right here in America. You, yourself are proof of that and The American Dream is alive and well today.

This is where I'm going to ask that you consider this idea or concept to be only a half truth. Yes, the American Dream is alive and well for every American born citizen and even those, who have grown in the ranks after immigrating from Mexico and other parts of the world and now are rapidly growing in numbers, enjoying an American middle-class lifestyle. Even further reaching, is the American Dream to those who are provided amnesty and or have been relocated from primarily the Middle East.

So why am I bringing this up, what is the importance and is it a full or half-truth?

Many of the first citizens of America at one time or another, as I indicated above and once again, you yourself are representative of the majority class of Americans, but we are not the first peoples of this nation. I am believed to be a 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> generation Lambert with roots to the best of my knowledge from Canada, France, England, Poland, Italy, and Lithuania. However, being of predominately French and Italian heritage (Lambert side), my family most likely migrated to America long ago through Ellis Island and faced many of the hate, slander, and downright prejudicial treatment that I know your family and perhaps yourself, have experienced, but less severe as several generations most likely make up the Padilla family, in the United States today.

How do I know I know this? Well, I grew up in San Diego and before going any further, let me preface my thoughts as they relate to the Hispanic and or Mexican peoples in general.

I have a great deal of respect for the "Hispanic or Mexican" family unit, which has not eroded over time as opposed to a significant number of white Caucasian families in the United States. The phenomenon is a direct result of the skyrocketing divorce rates, affecting many generations, but mine disproportionately during the late 1970's and 1980's. That has since corrected itself to some degree, but we as a class within America, don't seem to value the family unit or respect its role to one another as much as we did when the American Dream slogan became popular and of which, reflected better times and family values that of the 1950's to 1970's era.

I have found from personal experience the same holds true like that of the Hispanic or Mexican family unit, within our Pilipino, Japanese, and Chinese family cultures and my evidence to that statement is that they often, have several generations living and caring for each other in the same household. Some may argue this is due to the fact that they may not have health insurance and or the cost of living is so high, especially in California. I would argue perhaps so, but at least they care enough, respect each other enough to put family first, in most cases.

There is however, one additional culture/nationality that is often overlooked and or left out all together in this very same conversation and by all accounts, is the original peoples of this land, but on most accounts, their voices are drowned out by the predominant American class (white Caucasians) which at

times believe to be or wish to be the only Americans. However, nothing could be further from the truth, as America today is a deep and rich melting pot of nationalities, of which The Native American Indians should be recognized as the first and very important part of the American fabric and society, that enhances, the above-described melting pot. The Native Americans, rich in tradition, culture and a heritage that is abundant with life. **I for one, have a great deal of respect for these peoples and lands in which, they once natively inhabited.**

Native Americans just seem to understand the proper role of the Elders and the teachings to their younger generations. A bond or mutual respect for one another, that keeps these family units strong, no matter the prevailing evolved ideas within most American cities, towns, and small communities.

So where am I going with all this? All the above individuals of these families have access to The American Dream, in one fashion or another. Some choose (elect) to not necessarily follow this path and they have their reasons, for which I also respect. Others may still have certain preconceived notions of unavailability, whether factual or not, limits or thus impacts their ability to reach for and equally obtain the America Dream.

However, there is one class of American citizens and even though they are predominately born into the nostalgia, of the American Dream and what can be accomplished through hard work and perseverance, yet only some seem to be able to rise to a level, not beyond the slogans of apple pie and baseball, and for them Equality is not king. For this class of American citizens, the American Dream is simply out of reach for those living in poverty and or experiencing homelessness.

I for one, am an example of the above statement and is or was, still struggling to re-emerge from the lowest depths of our society. That depth is well of my pain and tears, as reflected as a transient man's journey from Middle Class America to homelessness. My transient life did not happen overnight nor are the reasons for which it happened nearly as important, as how do I survive as a man in transition, when the cards seemed to be stacked against me and I seem to be seen as a criminal in the eyes of my community. With a lack of leadership that often acerbates the problem, by not understanding the root cause and necessary legislative reform that is needed to ensure that individuals like myself, don't become a statistic and die, as google search indicates a meager lifespan of 50 years.

Mind you, I just turned 50 this year and my health over the course of trying to re-emerge over the last 24 months, has been nothing but short of a miracle, on my own personal account for insuring my survival, I have battled for all purposes, renal failure and that too may be debated, but I assure you, I would be dead if I listened to the so-called experts or would have succumbed to live a life of bleakness. A hopelessness, that most likely would have caused me to take my own life anyway. Just not today or any day going forward.

Today is a new day and this is my story of survival and proving everyone wrong about me. I hope that you will be a part of my continued journey and triumph over the wicked powers and individuals that ruled my world, until today as well.

That said, please I intend to realize the American Dream once again and ensure that it's within reach for all Americans, for Millenniums to come. How? The Government reform that is suggested in my websites and the beauty that can result out of hard work, perseverance and **Fortitude.**

If I've intrigued you and got into your mind, perhaps then you will see the beauty that I suggest and take me up on my offer to co-author legislation that will allow me to be a part of the democratic process and you, a hero for affecting change on a monumental level for 100's of thousands of Americans, nationwide.

At this point, I encourage you to learn more about me, my attempt to affect change for the people and to realize a dream of dreams, for myself. Upon completion of the suggested due diligence, you're in agreement and in alignment that The American Dream needs to be preserved and made available to all Americans, even those living in poverty and experiencing homelessness, such as I did, then I look forward to working with you.

Simply review the following websites, reading like a book from top to bottom and clicking onward to the next available section. It's intuitive and please don't concern yourself with any requests for private investor or crowd funding. That would be considered pandering of which, I've done my fair share of panhandling, and this is not the case. Also, please don't confuse my intentions, I'm simply extending an olive branch and asking for your time and consideration, as it relates to guiding me in the legislative process.

Websites:

- [MnMOne](#)
- [The Lambert Foundation](#)
- [The Good Man](#)

Also, please reference the attached supporting documents in their "very rough draft" form. My plate full at the moment trying to stay focused on my primary concern, which is the continued improvement of my health and of which, has been affected considerably, trying to accomplish all that you will read about and become aware of, as the magnitude of which it represents, is extremely stressful on me and directly affects my health in such a way, that I can longer continue to burn the candle at each end.

Furthermore, I hope to align some of the below suggested items to your direct and sub-committees for further discussion, development, legislation reform and or placed into the proper stakeholder's hands for next steps.

1. **Universal Address for All Americans** – ensuring those without a home are protected by the laws of each state, and our constitution.
  - a. Ensuring no discrimination towards those living as a transient and not by their choice. Providing the means accessible to all Americans like which **our current VP K. Harris is spear heading, which is essentially, Universal Lifeline services which includes mobile services and broadband internet.**
  - b. Note: Why my address for this correspondence indicates General Delivery, USPS location in Santee CA. Otherwise, I would be forced to work with my Missouri Senator or other local representative (s). Not that it's an issue, but this is a reflection of my California efforts, ensuring I keep my word to others that I would help them, if I could.

2. The banning of **sales to hospitals** (all medical facilities) and **the distribution** (administering) of Fentanyl as a means to address non-surgical pain management. In other words, just like cocaine, there is a medical use, I'm only focused on the introduction of a drug to would be addicts or new victims as a statistic of overdose and death, whereby Hospitals chose to be the root cause of their familiarity with this absurdly addictive and non-regulated street drug.

**3. Stretch Goal – Reform the two-party system as such:**

- a. Presidential Candidates no longer select a vice president running mate, but rather the runner up of the opposing party becomes the defacto standard VP. This ensures bipartisan leadership. If they can't agree, then move to a populist model and bring back the Presidential, VP running mate. In my opinion, any opposition to the above is indicative of a Democracy that no longer serves the best interests of its' citizens, but rather that of the individual parties to ensure who has control. Nothing short of a quagmire.
- b. Cannot start showing commercials or campaigning that the media covers outside of 6 months before election day. Case and point...I'm already sick and tired of hearing about former president Trump. I mean no disrespect, so I respect the office, not the candidate. However, no matter the outcome of elections, I respect the President, until I can longer as their actions, words, policies may conflict with my personal philosophies. Sound familiar? Republican or Democrat. Same difference, so we can agree to disagree, but I'm right.

In closing, I realize that the above suggestions might be a tough sell on capital hill, but I'm willing to go there and fight for what I believe is right & just and more importantly, aligned with many Americans thoughts and desires. How do I know this...It's common sense. Hence, common sense legislation which in fact, should be an easy sell, unless party or color, gets in the way. I hope you can guide me in making this a "black & white" issue and not a red or blue. There should be no Gray Area.

Given the critical nature of my still undiagnosed health concerns and or treatment plan, I ask that you please spear head this, but keep me in the loop via email, video conference and of the such. I often work around the clock, but this too, has to stop. This is me, creating a "Trust Relationship" with you and your office. I'm feeling good about this new potential partnership and look forward to hearing back from my California Senator Elect, soon.

Best regards,

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- Email Attachments:
  - Open Letter & Response 2019 CA. Senator Elect, Kamala Harris

- Biden & Harris Intro\_Carbon Free Goal 2050\_Decade Attainment Reduction & Universal Life Line Goal Alignment\_Debt Free Education\_Rough-Draft\_Rev.1