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Message from Frank Fluckiger, National Chairman

TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT IMMIGRATION: The Founding Fathers Did.

Despite the media hype and the mushy liberals — and even mixed-up "conservatives," —our Founding Fathers did not encourage unlimited immigration. George Washington felt that immigration should be limited to "useful mechanics and some particular descriptions of men or professions."

Thomas Jefferson was concerned that unrestricted immigration from lands unacquainted with the principle of representative government might undo the careful work of our founding documents. He wisely warned, "from such we are to expect the greatest number of immigrants ... they will infuse into it their spirit, warp or bias its direction, and render it an incoherent mass."

Alexander Hamilton was more precise:

"The influx of foreigners must, therefore, tend to produce a heterogeneous compound; to change and corrupt the national spirit; to complicate and confound public opinion; to introduce foreign propensities. In the composition of society, the harmony of the ingredients is all-important, and whatever tends to a discordant intermixture must have an injurious tendency."

What binds these observations together is a policy of welcoming to our shores people of skill, faithfulness to the hard fought vision and mission of United States, and a loyalty that will make them Americans first and foremost. As Teddy Roosevelt said, "If (an immigrant) tries to keep segregated with men of his own origin and separated from the rest of America, then he isn't doing his part as an American. There can be no divided allegiance here . . . We have room for but one language here, and that is English."

Roosevelt was a "rough rider" when it came to patriotism:

"There is no room in this country for hyphenated Americanism. When I refer to hyphenated Americans, I do not refer to naturalized Americans ... a hyphenated American is not an American at all ... This is just as true of the man who puts 'native' before the hyphen as of the man who puts German or Irish or English or French before the hyphen. Americanism is a matter of the spirit and of the soul."

Let there be no doubt: the Founding fathers had a compassionate view of immigration. Consider James Madison: "It is no doubt very desirable that we should hold out as many inducements as possible for the worthy part of mankind to come and settle amongst us, and throw their fortunes into a common lot with ours. But why is this desirable? Not merely to swell the catalogue of people. No, sir, it is to increase the wealth and strength of the community."

That's what the Constitution Party is all about: patriotism to America and our way of life no matter where you came from ... legally.

TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION

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Interview with immigration expert Wayne Lutton, PhD

Dr. Lutton is editor of The Social Contract (www.thesocialcontract.com), and has been a college professor of history and government at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. Wayne Lutton is a frequent guest on radio talk shows and has appeared on C-SPAN a number of times. The complete interview appeared in the Howard Phillips Legacy Society's exclusive newsletter, the VICTORY REPORT.

How Many Illegals are there in America?

The number is probably much higher than agreed upon "official estimates" of 11-12 million. Seven years ago, experts from four disciplines co-authored a study we released. They concluded that the official estimates (from the White House, U. S. Census Bureau, INS) of the number of foreign nationals living illegally in the U.S. was a gross understatement and that the real figure was likely double or triple. James Walsh, a former Associate General Counsel of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, has argued that 38 million illegals were living in the U.S. There is no reason to believe that the illegal population has drastically fallen in recent years. Quite the reverse. It is clear that the Administration and Congress don't really want to disclose how many illegal aliens are residing in the U.S.

What about the financial impact?

We have an estimated 22-million or more Americans who are officially unemployed or under-employed. American colleges and universities turn out another 1.7 million graduates who need something to do. Forbes business journal has reported that a record 102 million Americans were not working as of December 2013. I would argue that there isn't enough

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productive employment for the people who are already here. Despite our depressed economy and the large numbers of native-born entering the job market every year, the United States continues to admit over one million additional Legal Permanent Residents (LPRs) every year. And this does not count the additional hundreds of thousands of "temporary" legal workers entering with special employment visas. Where do these LPRs come from? The top-five countries of origin are: Mexico, the Philippines, Vietnam, China, and India. Sixty-five percent are here on the basis of family ties; 13 percent are employment-based; 16 percent are refugees and asylees [a much-abused category]; and five percent are "diversity" migrants, largely from Africa and the Middle East. We need to curtail illegal immigration and end mass immigration while we focus on raising the opportunities and living standards of the people who are already here. This is not an "anti-immigrant" position, but, rather, a "pro-American" stance.

Is this a liberal vs. conservative issue?

One commentator described the open borders lobby as "cheap labor importers, job exporters, ethnic tribalists, and religious hypocrites" who are trying to pass a set of 'comprehensive' immigration laws that would triple legal immigration during the coming decade by providing 30 million green cards to immigrants while giving "temporary" work permits to an additional 15-million or more 'guest workers." The opposition is a coalition of patriotic conservatives, pro-American workers, proenvironmentalists (since immigration-fueled population growth has undermined environment and conservation goals) and liberals concerned about job opportunities for the less advantaged. I urge readers to visit www.ProgressivesforImmigrationReform.org to gain insight and information about many of the unintended consequences of mass immigration viewed from a liberal, but pro-American, perspective.

TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION

"United States is stupid ... I come back every time." — illegal alien Rolando Mota-Campos

Mota-Campos was arrested <u>11 times</u> for crimes ranging from abduction, vehicular assault, attempted robbery, and domestic violence. <u>He has been deported three times and swears he'll return again</u>.

Famed Arizona Sheriff Joe Arpaio recently revealed that <u>40 percent</u> of illegal aliens booked into his county jail had previously been arrested on other charges. A Congressional investigation showed that figure holds true across the nation.

Illegal immigration is a "hot button" issue among rank and file voters. The Constitution Party's platform and our candidates recruit friends and allies just on that urgent problem alone.

Our 2016 political strategy is to grow the party by reaching out to constituencies such as those fighting the invasion of illegal aliens.

Did you know that in a national survey just a few months ago, 62 percent of Americans said they believe the government is not aggressive enough in deporting illegal immigrants?

That's <u>our</u> target constituency, and reaching out to them is how our Constitution Party will grow.

There is no political party bringing people to the polls on this issue ... *no other party*.

The Constitution Party platform is clear and courageous: "We affirm the integrity of the international borders of the United States and the Constitutional authority and duty of the federal government to guard and to protect those borders, including the regulation of the numbers and of the qualifications of immigrants into the country."

It takes the Republican platform six long paragraphs to explain their position on immigration — with no mention of the Constitution — and slipped into the GOP plank are such lines as "Just as immigrant labor helped build our country in the past, today's immigrants are making vital contributions in every

aspect of our national life."

At what cost? Between 2000 and 2014, according to a report by the U. S. Census Bureau, the number of working-age native-born Americans with jobs declined by 127,000, while the number of immigrants with jobs soared by <u>5.7 million</u>.

Stealing jobs from hard-working Americans is only one threat from Washington's open borders policy.

- Retired Adm. James Lyons, former U.S. military representative to the UN: "Fixing our porous borders is one of combating the threat of terrorism that America faces. In the various efforts to reform the U.S. immigration system, often overlooked in the debate is its impact on national security."
- The Center for Disease Control: 97 percent of measles, respiratory illness, tuberculosis, and other communicable diseases are a result of illegal aliens crawling over the border.
- California Hospital Association: health care for illegal aliens costs state taxpayers well over \$1 billion a year. Eighty-four hospitals across California have been forced to close because of unpaid bills by illegal aliens.

Voters fear — and are angry — that the political elites have created a threat to our way of life by the uncontrollable illegal aliens crisis. We have answers and a unique program to get our message out.

In his campaign for the West Virginia State Senate, Jeffrey-Frank Jarrell told the media: "Illegal immigrants are just that — illegal. Until naturalized or given a visa, if they come to this country, they are outlaws subject to arrest and deportation. I welcome anyone who comes to this country properly."

He earned support for the Constitution Party with his honest and logical approach that attracted voters, and we can reach more voters with that message.

<u>How</u>? (see next page)

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A special circle of friends formed the Howard Phillips Legacy Society. Named for the Constitution Party's founder, donors who give regularly underwrite projects designed to <u>grow our party</u> by reaching out to constituencies such as those on the front lines in the fight against illegal immigration.

The work of the Howard Phillips Legacy Society underwrites our fight against the invasion of illegal aliens. That issue is essential to spreading the word. Did you know that ...

A Government Accountability Office study of 55,322 illegal aliens taken prisoner in which analysts discovered that those who streamed across the border were <u>re-arrested</u> at least a total of 459,614 times, averaging about eight arrests per illegal alien. Approximately 12 percent had records of violent offenses such as murder, assault, and sex-related crimes.

Bringing anti-immigration activists into the voting booth to support Constitution Party candidates requires ballot access drives, promotional materials, and social media outreach.

We are doing all that, but a reliable source of income helps our party expand every activity.

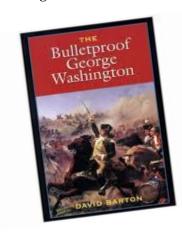
When you join the Howard Phillips Society there are several different ways to participate — starting at just \$12 and \$20 — and at each level there are premiums of appreciation for taking a special role in our Constitution Party.

Among the thank you gifts you'll receive are ...

- "The 5000 Year Leap: A Miracle That Changed the World" by W. Cleon Skousen (the *New York Times* calls him "the constitutional guru of the Tea Party movement.")
- A one gram 999.9 pure silver ingot especially created for the Constitution Party (a unique way of showing you believe in a constitutional monetary policy).

"The Bulletproof George Washington," his account of a 1755 battle during the French and Indian War

 a significant event of his early years. In this book you'll read his personal reminisces of the battle and excerpts from his letters to his family where Washington tells of God's deliverance.



Thank you gifts aside, you should really consider this question: why participate in the Howard Phillips Legacy Society? Right now, there's <u>urgent</u> reason ...

There are a little over 400 days before America votes.

We have about 400 days to recruit candidates, train campaign staff, develop party literature, organize new state affiliates, and earn ballot access. 400 days is a very short timeline in the world of politics.

Just read the newspaper headlines and see what the elitist-controlled major parties are doing *already*.

Vicious thugs and huge shipments of dangerous drugs are coming across the border. To keep the Constitution Party in the battle, we need more members of the Howard Phillips Legacy Society. Will you step up to be a party leader by investing \$12, \$20, or \$30 a month?

You give a lot in time and resources to support the Constitution Party, but your membership is key to our strategic plans that are growing the party.

Whether you join the Howard Phillips Legacy Society or give a generous one-time gift of \$50, \$75, or even \$25, our party has work to do, and it's crucial that we hear from you right away.

To join the Howard Phillips Legacy Society, click here.

TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION

The Constitution Party is Fighting Back!

Our party doesn't just complain or wring its hands. We are aggressively telling the truth to the American voters about illegal immigration. Patriots in the fight against illegal immigration need tools, and we have just designed a new one.

Below is a reproduction of a one page card made to fit in an envelope or as a hand out at county fairs, Tea Party and other patriotic organization meetings.

Prices are set so the maximum number of state affiliates and party activists can use them. Order so you can tell the truth about illegal immigration.

The

Constitution Party Opposes the Invasion of Illegal Aliens

No other party believes that. The Constitution Party does.

The Constitution Party platform is clear: "We affirm the integrity of the international borders of the United States and the Constitutional authority and duty of the federal government to guard and to protect those borders, including the regulation of the numbers and of the qualifications of immigrants into the country." Why do we hold these beliefs?

- ★ U. S. Census Bureau: from 2000 and 2014, the number of working-age native-born Americans with jobs declined by 127,000, while the number of immigrants with jobs soared by 5.7 million.
- ★ Center for Disease Control: 97 percent of respiratory illness, tuberculosis, and other communicable diseases in the South come from illegal aliens.
- ★ Government Accountability Office: in a study of 55,322 illegal aliens taken prisoner, analysts found that these criminals had been rearrested some 459,614 times, averaging eight arrests per illegal alien. About 12 percent had records of violent offenses such as murder, assault, and sexrelated crimes.

BORDER SECURITY

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The Constitution Party believes in what Teddy Roosevelt said:

"The old parties are husks, with no real soul within either, divided on artificial lines, boss-ridden and privilege-controlled, each a jumble of incongruous elements, and neither daring to speak out wisely and fearlessly on what should be said on the vital issues of the day."



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Room reservation deadline is October 15th ... *reserve early!* Remember to mention the "Constitution Party" when registering.

Parking Fee is \$8.00 per day. Free airport shuttle available, reserve when making reservations.

REGISTRATION:

Early Bird Discount – \$175.00, *extended* until October 10th.

Regular Registration – \$185.00, between October 11th and October 20th.

Late Registration – \$200.00, after October 21st and at the door.

Student Registration - \$150.00

Registration includes two breakfast, two luncheons, and Friday night reception.

AGENDA:

Registration opens on Friday and Saturday at 7:30am

Friday, October 30:

Executive Committee Meeting, 8am-4pm

Extensive training by Center for Self-Governance

Evening reception with speaker

Saturday, October 31: Highlights of National Committee meeting

- Building the Party by Running Candidates for Local Office
- Establishing a Constitution Party speakers bureau
- The Influence CP Members at the Local Level
- Party business including proposed by-laws changes and resolutions, update on the National Website,
 ballot access drives, selection of a host city for Fall 2016 National Committee meeting
- Presentation: "Who Wanted a War" by Jack Monnett, Mayor of Spring City, Utah
- So you've got a State Affiliate: Now What?
- What the FEC is and the Steps To Compliance (a clarification and simplification of the FEC process)
- Keynote Speaker: former Congressman John Hostettler, "Restoring the Natural Feebleness of the Supreme Court"

