

The New York Young Republican Club Record

Letter from the Advisory Chairman: Manhattan Project Begins Construction



We learned in 2020, and again in 2022, that voting alone does not work.

In order for a representative to do the people's job, that representative needs an office of between nine and 18 capable individuals who can handle the logistics of our government. This involves delegation: each of those individuals takes control over the representative's actions in their designated areas. These are the voices we need to worry about, and for too long we have ignored them. Staffers, situated in their swamps, have the long-term goal of career advancement. Rising in career means building relationships: one's relationships with the swamp. To maintain those relationships, the staffers conform, and so the swamp maintains itself.

Manhattan Project changes this. At first, the task will be difficult. We must build a network of staffers in DC, Albany, and every state capital, who are devoted to advancing each other's careers — not based on the desires and whims of the establishment, but based on the desires of the American people. We will recruit staffers, train them in the basics (with help from established institutions that already do this), and place them into positions with legislators who want to loyally support their constituents.

Once these initial steps are completed, the network will arise from continued membership and programming of Manhattan Project. Staffers in this network will gain credibility based on their adherence to basic virtues of governance, and not capitulation to established bosses of the swamp. Such a network will, over time, further itself into a new institution. The institution will arise from, rather than be imposed upon, the American nation.

Our republic is clearly sick. For the first time in our nation's history, a majority of Americans are disaffected with democracy. Rather than a focus on voting, we need a focus on those institutions for which no vote is cast, for those institutions match if not exceed legislators in power. The NYYRC launched Manhattan Project, and I will continue to lead it, with hope that the American nation will someday be once again a nation to be governed, not managed, and a people to be heard, not swayed.

If our government has abandoned policymaking through "democracy" then we should cease to treat it as a democratic institution. The Obama and Biden administrations, and the failures of the Trump administration, make this clear. Power has left the seats of Congress and taken to their offices. When the king takes his throne, look to the court for change.

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Opinions

Why the West Went Woke *By: Nicholas Rafael*



The West has gone soft. Did that offend you? Good, thanks for proving my point. The reason that declarative statement, which to remind you is nothing more than intangible words on a computer screen, hurt your feelings is because you actually don't have any *real* problems to worry about or deal with, assuming you live in the prosperous West, that is.

When I say *real* problems, I'm referring to the day-to-day struggles most of the world has to deal with and Americans don't. For example, food, shelter, healthcare, security, posterity or in a single word: survival. The basic tasks we need to do to make sure we wake up tomorrow and the day after that until we die old in our beds.

In the West, survival has been drastically trivialized. Americans don't scour for sustenance because food is plentiful and available at grocery stores everywhere. We don't worry about shelter because we have an infrastructure of affordable housing ready to be rented, instead of having to build a fragile hut like those in third world countries. Hospitals are abundant in America and healthcare is available to all Americans, whether it's through your employer or Medicaid. We sleep safely and soundly at night because we have police officers and a criminal justice system that maintain a relatively civil society compared to warlords and small militias in Uganda and The Congo who act deviously with impunity.

Survival is a *real* problem because if you don't address it, you die, and before World War II, even Westerners had to deal with it. But through the advances of computing and machine technology leading to greater production and wealth, we no longer have to struggle with these day-to-day encounters. They're quite secondary in the grand scheme of things.

Good news, right? Well, sort of.

While men much smarter than you and I have removed much of the physical suffering in the Western World through new technology, medicine, and wealth, they have given us too much time on our hands. They made life "too easy" and therefore we have to fill up all this extra time with other tasks and responsibilities. Humans aren't any more satisfied or better off now that life is easier. No, we replaced real problems with fake ones. What do I mean by fake problems? Let me explain.

In 2018, a group of scientists performed a study in which the results later became known as The Blue Dot Effect.[1] They showed American college students 1,000 dots ranging from very blue to very purple and everything in between. Students had to determine the color of each dot. At first, students were shown an equal number of blue and purple dots, but as trials went on, scientists started to decrease the number of blue dots present, and, as a result, students started to change their earlier perceptions of what was purple to blue.

They repeated the study again with a spectrum of safe to threatening faces and ethical to unethical scenarios. Starting with equal numbers of both faces and scenarios, as the number of threatening faces and unethical scenarios decreased in subsequent trials, people started designating previously-safe faces and ethical scenarios to their opposites. In short, a reduction in threatening faces and unethical scenarios led people to seek more of them. They sought after, almost mistakenly, a base level of adversity.

What this study showed is that all humans require a minimum amount of adversity in our lives, and since the dawn of man, that was fulfilled by survival. Once the West trivialized survival, our brains needed to develop new forms of adversity, but there is none anymore. So, what do we do? We make it up.

We create problems where there aren't any. Problems like getting mad over trans jokes, pronouns, canceling comedians and other personalities for past comments, unscientifically and absurdly claiming there are more than two genders, and arrogantly changing the definition of words in the English language. Basically, anything you see a person complaining about on "Libs of TikTok" is man-made adversity to distract our brains.

Humans need to feel accomplished. We need conflict and resolution. I'm hungry, so I hunt a deer or forage for berries. I'm cold, so I build a shelter with my two bare hands. There's little to no satisfaction through paying your mortgage through an autopay or having groceries delivered right to your feet by pressing buttons on your smartphone.

Hunting and foraging takes hours. Building a shelter takes days, if not weeks. But now that's all done for us through industry and money as a medium of exchange. So what are we supposed to accomplish then? We become social justice warriors. We go WOKE. We create problems that aren't *real*, so now that they "exist," we can try to "solve" them so we can feel accomplished.

Needless to say, this is bad for society. These problems aren't *real* issues and we've essentially created busy-work for ourselves to get through

the day and give our lives meaningless purpose.

So, what do we do? How do we stop the involuntary need to go woke to fill our days?

We must focus all this additional time and energy toward meaningful tasks and purposes. Get a second job, go to church, meditate, do contract work on the side, work out, read more, call your mom, visit your grandmother in the hospital. Something, anything that improves your life and the lives of those around you, instead of creating fake problems just for the sake of "solving" them. It's futile and a waste and it's leading to the downfall of the West.

While third world countries are trying to establish infrastructure and achieve a better sustainable life for their people, Americans waste time arguing whether a biological man who identifies as a woman has the right to use the women's locker room at the gym. It's sheer fabricated nonsense.

Get off TikTok, delete your social media, turn off your Xbox, only watch a few hours of TV a week. Completing these tasks doesn't accomplish anything; they merely just pass the time. And the more time you waste, and the fewer tasks you accomplish, the more inclined you are to go woke.

[1]https://www.science.org/doi/10.1126/science.aap8731

The Battle for the Soul of the Republican Party: Analyzing the 2024 GOP Primary By: Aleksei Sincerbeaux

It's early in the 2024 election cycle, but with the first debate taking place in August, candidates are already digging in for a contested race. Several big names have already thrown their hats in the ring, and it would seem that a few large shadows loom over the primary. As the Republican Party prepares to select its standardbearer for next year's presidential election, we must examine the strengths and weaknesses of each candidate, their chances, and their potential impact on the Republican Party.

The battle lines are still forming, but it's very clear that the central question of this primary is whether the GOP is going to give President Trump another shot, much to the chagrin of the establishment. They won't go down without a fight. Let's take a look at the declared and



potential candidates and analyze their platforms and key issues.

Donald J. Trump

The former president needs no introduction. In 2016, he took the nation by storm in another competitive primary, where the combined might of the establishment of both parties fought their hardest to keep him as far from power as possible. A culture warrior and unorthodox Republican, Donald Trump's MAGA movement has defined the last eight years of American Politics. Regardless of this primary, the GOP will likely never be the same as it was before Trump.

Donald Trump's platform for 2024 takes issues from 2016 while throwing in new twists and innovative ideas to excite the base. The reinvention of key issues played a massive part in Trump's victory in 2016; he brought immigration to the forefront of the national discussion, and it paid off eventually netting him the Republican Party's nomination. Trump's economic nationalism, borrowed from the likes Perot and Pat Buchanan, remains, Ross promising to bring tariffs, fair trade, and energy independence. Trump has also brought back his immigration policy this time around, promising to restore national sovereignty and create a merit-based immigration system that benefits and protects American labor.

A newer issue that Trump has picked up on is using the arm of the government to strike at the heart of the drug problem – the cartels. This could lead to hundreds of thousands of lives saved if successful. Trump has mentioned several times that he plans on getting Congress to authorize the death penalty for cartel members, striking fear into the hearts of those who profit off of American deaths.

One of the most important doctrines of MAGA is a rejection of globalism. In the past it has perhaps been THE key issue for Donald Trump. Now that he's ready to get back in the White House, putting America first is also high on the priority list of the former president according to his platform.

Ron DeSantis

Although Governor DeSantis has not yet officially announced his presidential run, tensions are high as he is increasingly viewed as the only potential Republican candidate capable of defeating Donald Trump. As Trump continues to insult and attack DeSantis, the anti-Trump camp is looking for a candidate who can challenge the former president and secure the nomination. The Republican establishment is already rallying behind DeSantis, with various dinners and donor support being established in anticipation of a potential campaign. Jeb Bush has even urged DeSantis to run, indicating that he has significant support within the party.

While it is impossible to predict exactly what DeSantis's campaign platform would look like, he is highly praised for his response to the COVID-19 pandemic. He chose to keep Florida open, shielding the state from the lockdowns that much of the country faced. Additionally, DeSantis has made significant strides in fighting against Big Tech and protecting Conservative voices from censorship.

If DeSantis chooses to run for president, it will likely be a bloody and costly fight between him and Trump. He will need to navigate the difficult task of finding a middle path to retain or even grow the current level of support he has among all the camps, all this while fending off the onslaught of attacks from Trump himself. It remains to be seen how DeSantis will choose to approach the primary, but it is clear that he is seen as a significant contender for the Republican nomination.

Nikki Haley

The former governor of South Carolina and U.N. Ambassador under President Trump has established herself as a contender for the GOP nomination. A well-known figure within the party, she has been a vocal supporter of Donald Trump in the past despite being closer to the old establishment GOP than the MAGA movement. Haley's most notable policy position, which separates her from the crowd, is her hawkish view on foreign policy, being the former U.N. Ambassador. Outside of this, she is generically conservative, pro-life, pro-Second Amendment, and very pro-"free trade," criticizing President Trump's policies in the past.

Nikki Haley has also shown support for a pathway to citizenship for undocumented immigrants, taking a weaker stance on the immigration than others. Outside of this she is yet to release an official platform for 2024 so we can only speculate on how she will navigate the divisions of the Republican Party without angering either the establishment or Donald Trump as she has set out to do.

Notable Mentions:

Vivek Ramaswamy, a businessman and entrepreneur from Ohio, is an interesting figure to watch. He has made waves in conservative circles for his vocal criticism of woke culture and has been seen as a potential dark horse candidate. However, he has no political experience, and it remains to be seen if he can build a significant base of support.

Mike Pence, the former Vice President and Indiana Governor, is another potential candidate, but his relationship with Donald Trump may hurt him in the eyes of both Republican voters who have grown disillusioned with the former president and those who support him either for his closeness or his perceived betrayal.

Larry Hogan, the former Maryland Governor, is often mentioned as a potential candidate who could appeal to both the establishment and anti-Trump wings of the party. He has been critical of Trump in the past, but his potential support is yet to be seen.

Mike Pompeo, the former CIA Director and Secretary of State, is another potential candidate who is seen as being in the Trump mold. He has been a vocal defender of the former president's foreign policy and has been making the rounds on Conservative media outlets in recent months, but it remains to be seen if he can build a significant base of support.

Finally, John Bolton, the former US National Security Advisor, has been mentioned as a possible candidate, but his hawkish foreign policy views may not be in line with the current direction of the party.

Impact on the GOP and Conclusion

It is becoming clear that the battle for the soul of the Republican Party is well underway. The two main factions are the Trump loyalists and the establishment Republicans, with some Republicans caught in the middle.

On one hand, Donald Trump remains a powerful force within the party, with his MAGA movement still commanding significant support. Trump's candidacy in 2024 could mean a continuation of the populist, nationalist policies that defined his presidency, and a further shift away from orthodox conservativism. On the other hand, the establishment Republicans are pushing back against Trump's influence, hoping to reassert their control over the party. This faction includes figures like Nikki Haley and Jeb Bush, who are more closely aligned with the neoconservative wing of the party.

Ron DeSantis represents a potential middle ground between these two factions, with his support coming from all camps. His response to the COVID-19 pandemic and his fight against Big Tech has made him a popular figure among Conservatives, but it remains to be seen if he can navigate the difficult path of appealing to both Trump loyalists and anti-Trump Republicans.

The future of the Republican Party hinges on the outcome of the 2024 primary. Will the party continue down the path set by Donald Trump, or will the establishment Republicans be able to reassert their control and return the party to its neoconservative past? Only time will tell, but one thing is certain: the stakes have never been higher.

"Young Republicans are a very, very important constituency. Along with little old ladies, they provide the foot soldiers for the Republican Party." - Roger Stone

Ask the EC: President Gavin Wax



Ask the EC is our latest exposé in which our members ask political and fun questions to a member of our Executive Committee. The EC is comprised of seven individuals and this week we are starting at the top with our fearless leader, President Gavin Wax.

Q: Will you run for office?

I have no plans in the near future to run for public office. I am focusing right now on my own career growth. I think people should make it first in the private sector before jumping into running for elected office. It also doesn't help that I live in Manhattan, which is inhospitable to Republicans running for higher office. I would like to get more involved in the party at the local and state level, along with expanding my involvement behind the scenes through running the Club or other Republican affiliated organizations. I think my skill set is better focused on conservative media and working with candidates than being one myself.

Q: What is your best advice for ordinary people to make a great impact on politics?

Get involved in your local political party or other Republican clubs and organizations and help them with door knocking and other grassroots campaigning. Write articles for your own blog or get them published online. Make an active social media profile where you can share conservative content and opinions. Attend protests and rallies - there is strength in numbers. Ultimately, you need to be social, and engage and network with like minded people. If you are an isolated and atomized person with no contact to other conservatives, you are doing yourself and the rest of us no favors. We need to organize and build parallel structures to the establishment.

Q: Pancetta or Guanciale?

Guanciale is the superior meat. It is seasoned well and very fatty, and is great to use as the base of a sauce. Cook it slowly and let it render out, and it will elevate any pasta dish you make, especially the traditional classics like Carbonara, Amatriciana, or Pasta alla Gricia. Very few places use guanciale in the US and it is hard to come by. You will show off your Italian culinary skills by using guanciale over pancetta or regular bacon.

Q: Are there any philanthropy events you're planning and how can we get involved?

I have been very impressed by the hard work of our Philanthropy Chairman, Jude Somefun, who has been extremely proactive in leading the Club's charitable efforts. We plan to host events in support of Veterans around both Memorial Day and Veterans Day. This is in addition to our regular participation in the Big Apple Honor Flight. We will also participate in the Tunnels to Towers 5k run/walk again this year. Last year, we raised over \$21,000 with the support of Advisory Board Member Raheem Kassam. In addition, we plan to continue our participation in the Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk and the American Foundation for Suicide Prevent Walk. There will be several other events throughout the year where revenue will be split with a charitable organization.

Q: What is your advice on dealing with family members that have different political views as you?

I'm lucky that I generally have a pretty reasonable to conservative family. We have some liberals, but they mostly ignore me and/or my politics. I'm always cordial, and I never bring up politics in general since I talk about it all the time anyways. It's usually not my go-to topic for discussions with family members.

Q: How can I get my hair to be as nice as Gavin's?

I use a very high quality shampoo and conditioner set. It is Sulfate Free, Phthalate Free, Artificial Color Free, Paraben Free, and Formaldehyde Free. It is also loaded with rich

minerals and vitamins which include the follow:

• Nettle Extract: DHT Blockers such as nettle extract helps promote healthier hair

• Saw Palmetto: Saw palmetto reduces hair thinning and promotes thickness

• He Shou Wu: He Shou Wu improves circulation and health from scalp to tip

• Red Korean Seaweed: Red Korean Seaweed supports healthy hair growth

• Argan Oil: The superior natural hair moisturizer

• Black Cumin Seed: Black cumin Seed penetrates deep to keep hair and scalp healthy

• Aloe Vera: Aloe Vera juice as a water substitute moisturizes hair all day long

• Tea Tree: Protects hair from itchiness and scalp irritation

• Biotin: An essential hair nutrient that supports healthy and thicker looking hair

• Niacin: Plays an important role in circulating key nutrients to improve hair and scalp health

• Vitamin E: Locks in moisture from scalp to tip

I shampoo and condition every day, and I use a shower filter for my shower head. I also take pre and probiotics and a multivitamin. Basically, I am very heavy on zinc and magnesium. I blow dry my hair daily and use a volumizing brush. Sometimes I brush and style against the grain to increase volume and I switch up where I part it. Also, I rarely use hair products. Ultimately, I'm grateful for my genetics. My maternal grandfather has good hair and never went bald, which I think is where you inherit your hair genetics from.

Q: What's your day to day like as President?

It's basically a second job. Lots of emails, follow ups, texts, website work, newsletters, etc. Basically, running a company of 30+ employees. There are many moving pieces, expenses, and events to organize. But I enjoy it and it's for a good cause, so it doesn't feel like work. I'm grateful for the great team around me who make it all possible, but it has been a learning experience. I was 25 when I took over the Club in April of 2019, and now I am 29. In the beginning, especially, I was managing people older than me. I learned how to manage people, egos, and personalities, all while tempering my own.

Q: How do you deal with working for a woke company?

I have been fortunate enough to not have had to work for a woke company in quite some time. The last one I was at was unbearable and I quit. That's basically my advice. Quit. Don't force yourself to endure that sort of toxic workplace. I rather take a pay cut than work under those conditions.

"There are many qualities that make a great leader. But having strong beliefs, being able to stick with them through popular and unpopular times, is the most important characteristic of a great leader." – Rudy Giuliani

Statements

NYYRC's Response to DirecTV's Anti-American Activities

The New York Young Republican Club condemns AT&T subsidiary DirecTV's decision to deplatform Newsmax. We embrace the fundamental American values of freedom of speech and association, and the spirit of the open free market. DirecTV's actions, as an operator in an unduly concentrated market, defy these values.

DirecTV has an established history of authoritarian, anti-American activities. Within the past year, it also deplatformed One America News Network. The cabal of globalist technocrats who aspire to homogenize public opinion and dismantle freedom worldwide have their sights on free thinking outlets like Newsmax. DirecTV has become a tool of their larger project.

DirecTV's claim that this decision was based on financial terms seems unfounded because Newsmax was not charging them for the privilege

of carrying the content. There must be another explanation; our chauvinistic overlords correctly recognize that the mainstream discussion of conservative ideals is the greatest threat to their creeping anti-human global order. Their latest censorship of a conservative-leaning outlet is a cowardly admission of this fact.

Hundreds of thousands of customers are rightly canceling their subscriptions to AT&T services like DirecTV in response to the anti-American behavior of DirecTV executives. After announcing last month that it will be laying off 10% of its management personnel, we would think DirecTV and AT&T investors would prefer to avoid alienating large swathes of the American public.

The New York Young Republican Club commends Newsmax for drawing attention to DirecTV's misdeeds, and we call for a serious review of the centralized and oligarchic broadcast media industry. For far too long, the content shoved in our faces has been defined by far too few people. It is time to put an end to this. The New York Young Republican Club takes the position that when the Republican party is in power, such monopolies shall be broken up and brought to heel under the force of law.

NYYRC Responds to President Joe Biden's Second State of the Union

Last month, Joe Biden reminded us of the dangers that arise when a populace votes on vague notions of likability rather than on policies rooted in American philosophy, history, and culture.

While we were pleased that Biden dropped the dystopian theatrics of his infamous red backdrop and refrained from declaring half the country enemies of the State, reality stands that he delivered a vision aligned with the worst impulses of the Democrats' globalism-promoting establishment and the "woke" revolution.

Biden has failed to deliver a return to normalcy and a pre-COVID economy. During his final State of the Union address, President Donald J. Trump

presided over a nation with plentiful jobs, organic real wage growth, low inflation and falling costs of living for families and households. Biden has squandered those successes. He has mired our nation in high inflation, with falling real wages and a shrinking labor force. While illegal aliens invade us and steal jobs from our people, ever more Americans drop out of the labor force and adopt the ignominious title of welfare queens and overcredentialed, under-employed, coastal coffeeshop sitters.

Biden again failed to account for his embarrassing and deadly withdrawal from Afghanistan, which recalled the fall of Saigon, and he offered no indication that he will avert

the emergence of severe conflict with the Russian Federation.

In fact, the very agenda that he celebrated has induced the collective West to prop up a corrupt regime in Kiev; Biden and his administration make blunt decisions and show no care for the requisite balance of competing views incumbent on global actors. This folly will not end in peace as he continues to fan its flames. He also failed to address the provocative Chinese spy balloon that he permitted to traverse the entire Continental United States.

When President Trump last addressed a joint session of Congress, before the plague attacked us from the East and handed the Deep State an unparalleled opportunity to subdue Freedom, our nation was on an upswing. Absent a media landscape, President Trump would have been heralded for his tremendous success. Today, even with a frenetically sycophantic media lauding his every utterance, Biden fails to come close to achieving this unity of national purpose.

Last night, Joe Biden restrained himself; he managed to make a speech without expressing anger and outright vilifying swathes of American citizens. And he got through it by pushing numerous misleading and out-of-context facts and figures. But it was too little, too late, for American pocketbooks, for American border and national security, and, most saddening of all, for the American spirit, which needs a boost from a true cheerleader.

President Donald J. Trump Commends Gavin Wax

The New York Young Republican Club thanks President Donald J. Trump for issuing a statement commending Club President Gavin Wax's article "There is no 'Trumpism' Without Trump", which was published on February 19, 2023 by Townhall.

n the article, Wax noted that "Trump answered the prayers of millions of Americans and delivered on his mandate, unlike any president in modern history." Without Trump, "the Republican Party will fall back into the Bush-era neoconservatism of old," yielding "open borders placating illegal immigrants, and offering watered-down liberalism to win over the votes of new demographics as the founding stock of Americans is washed away."

In his statement on the article, President Trump noted that other Republicans "don't know how to talk to the other side, they can't cajole, be jovial or be, perhaps, angry."

Wax's recent article is the latest in a series of pieces he has written underscoring the criticality of President Trump to the promulgation of America First values and policies. It follows the New York Young Republican Club's endorsement of President Trump in the 2024 Republican primary, which the Club issued on November 15, 2022.

The New York Young Republican Club Announces Partnership with the Budapestbased Center for Fundamental Rights

The New York Young Republican Club is proud to announce the establishment of a formal partnership with the Budapest-based Center for Fundamental Rights. This partnership builds on years of collaboration and dialogue, including meetings between the organizations which have taken place on both sides of the Atlantic. In the partnership agreement executed by New York Young Republican Club President Gavin Wax and Center for Fundamental Rights Director General Miklós Szánthó on February 22, 2023, the two organizations noted that they "do not think in terms of supranationalism, but in terms of cooperation between national forces."



The "resolve[d] to organizations formally reaffirm [their] joint efforts to make Western Civilization, based on Judeo-Christian culture, and the transatlantic conservative relationship even stronger." This critical action will grant the New York Young Republican Club access to additional thought leadership generated by the which relevant Center. is because "[c]onservatives around the world are confronted with similar threats. Advocates of left-wing progressivism have turned human rights against the people. They have made radical, extreme demands of the rational majority, and have raised the banner of relativizing the facts inherent in the natural order of things."

The New York Young Republican Club and the Center for Fundamental Rights look forward to

announcing further details of the partnership in the coming months.

Wax led a multi-day New York Young Republican Club delegation to Budapest, where he also engaged in a media tour. Television interviews aired on the M1 and Hír TV networks on February 22, 2023. The New York Young Republican Club will announce Wax's additional media appearances after their respective releases.

The New York Young Republican Club is the oldest and largest Young Republican club in the United States, with a heritage dating to 1856. Today, it is the most vocal America First organization operating in the New York Metropolitan Area, and it sets the trend for innovation in young adult outreach supporting local, state, and federal political candidates.

The Budapest-based Center for Fundamental Rights (Alapjogokért Központ) is a Hungarian research institute dealing with legal analysis since 2013. The Center considers preserving national identity, sovereignty and Christian social traditions as its mission, especially amongst the 21st century's heightened process of globalization, integration, geopolitical and technological changes, affecting the field of law as well. Besides these, it is a well-known aim of the Center to form a counter against today's overgrown human rights-fundamentalism and political correctness that have been affecting numerous aspects of our everyday life. The research fields cover a wide scale of branches of law that are subject of public interest, from questions of classic constitutional law, through electoral systems to EU-law.

"Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other." – John Adams

Objects

To promote and maintain the principles of the Republican Party; to foster within the Republican Party and make practical in service of the municipality, state and nation, the idealism characteristic of youth; to correct in our own party that tendency of all parties to make organization an end rather than a means; to develop sound principle and public spirit in party politics; to promote honest and fair electoral methods, to the end that the expression of the popular will by whatever party or body, shall be as free, untrammeled and equal as possible; to resist and expose political corruption; to advocate merit rather than partisan service as entitling to public office; to watch legislation and to encourage public attention to and efficiently criticize the conduct of government.

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