

## 2024 Park County Resolutions

Passed on Saturday, March 2nd, 2024

## 1. Energy: Support of Coal Powered Electrical Generation

**WHEREAS** as The Republican Party knows Carbon dioxide (CO2) is essential to ALL plant life on this planet and plants are the primary source of food, clothing and shelter; and

**WHEREAS** The Republican Party understands that our forests, farmland and grasslands require CO2 in order to flourish and Wyoming needs all of these to feed and house our citizens; and

**WHEREAS** The Republican Party knows Carbon Capture utilization and storage (CCUS) is unnecessary and detrimental to plant life; and

**WHEREAS** HB 0200 Section 1 37-18-101 defines a principal purpose of CCUS to "prevent carbon dioxide from entering the atmosphere"; and

**WHEREAS** HB 0200 has mandated that coal fired power plants convert to CCUS technology and states in HB 0200 Section 1 37-18 that It " (i) Shall require a public utility to generate a specified percentage of electricity to dispatchable and reliable low carbon electricity"; and

**WHEREAS** The Republican Party supports power generation in Wyoming in the form of coal, water, nuclear and petroleum products and knows CCUS is an unrealistic and detrimental mandate inflicted on our coal fired power plants.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Wyoming Republican Party supports that coal powered electrical generation be relieved from any unrealistic restrictions on their production of essential electricity.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that rate and taxpayers will not be charged for either the study or the funding of retro fitting coal fired power plants until the need and the technology is scientifically proven.

### 2. Energy: Make Wyoming Independent Energy Producer

**WHEREAS** the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has formulated numerous rules and restrictions on the construction of any new oil and gas refineries; and

**WHEREAS** the Federal Government restrictions have prevented any significant new refineries from being built since 1976; and

**WHEREAS** the EPA's power to enforce rules and restrictions lies in the Interstate Commerce Laws; and

**WHEREAS** Article 1, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution grants ONLY The Congress the power "To regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several states and with the Indian Tribes".

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the State of Wyoming shall solicit energy companies to build a Wyoming-based oil refinery that would only sell to Wyoming-based oil and gas distributors.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** the application of intrastate commerce laws would prevent the EPA from enforcing restrictions and regulations on Wyoming-based refineries selling only to Wyoming-based consumers and distributors.

# 3. Crime & Law: Repeal Exemption from Promoting Obscenity/Vote on bill similar to 2023 HB0087

**WHEREAS** books, audio, video and other forms of media have been found in libraries in the Wyoming public systems that portrays inappropriate sexual acts; and

**WHEREAS** child pornography laws in Wyoming are written to protect children; and

**WHEREAS** the Wyoming legislature was unable to vote on HB0087 in 2023.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the exemption from promoting obscenity for public school librarians be repealed.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** any public-school library board to have such media material available to children shall have their library budget suspended by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** the Wyoming legislature should pass a new bill equivalent to HB0087 from 2023.

# 4. Government: Adopt Legislation for Precinct Committee Persons Attendance

**WHEREAS** registered voters elect precinct committee men and women at the primary election every two years; and

**WHEREAS** those elected as precinct committee persons have acknowledged their elected position by either filing for election or accepting an appointed position.

**WHEREAS** precinct committee persons have a duty to participate and represent the members of their respective precincts.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that precinct committee persons who absent themselves from three consecutive meetings, without notification of the respective party leadership, shall be considered to have abandoned their position and creating a vacancy in their respective precinct.

#### 5. Government: No State Funds to Broken Federal Government

**WHEREAS** criminals from all over the globe are pouring into our country bringing drugs, guns and slaves; and

**WHEREAS** felons are no longer held in prisons around the country and are allowed to roam where they please; and

WHEREAS un-convicted citizens are being held in deplorable conditions in our Nation's Capital city and being denied all of their Constitutional Rights as spelled out in the first ten amendments to our Great US Constitution; and

**WHEREAS** these conditions should constitute an immediate state of emergency for our great Nation of States; and

**WHEREAS** until the Federal Government is 'repaired,' our State Government should be in charge of caring for its Citizenry; and

WHEREAS our U.S. Constitution Article IV, Sec 4 States:

"The United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a Republican Form of Government, and shall protect each of them against Invasion; and on Application of the Legislature, or of the Executive (when the Legislature cannot be convened) against domestic Violence."

WHEREAS our current Federal Government is NOT doing its job.

**THEREFORE**, **BE IT RESOLVED** the Wyoming Republican Party requests for the Governor of Wyoming to stop sending any money or resources to the current administration on any Federal leases or contracts until such time as the Federal government actually does the job it is required to do which is to protect our States from enemies which includes securing our borders, to balance our Federal Budget, and to stop sending our money and resources overseas until our own lands are secure.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we in this Great Nation are guaranteed a Republic form of Government and it is the responsibility of the Citizens of this great Republic to participate in its governing or lose our Country.

#### 6. Government: Property Tax Relief

**WHEREAS** the Wyoming Republican Party is opposed to excessive taxation and government overreach.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Wyoming State Legislators provide property tax relief that does not require the citizens of our state to go beg for their money back.

## 7. Government: Support Border Security

**WHEREAS** the border of the United States is to be protected.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** the Governor of the State of Wyoming will send our national guard to the State of Texas to secure the United States border, with the understanding the Wyoming National Guard will be armed and be allowed to protect themselves.

## 8. Land, Agriculture, and Environment: Reinstate Country of Origin Labeling

**WHEREAS** consumers demand the country of origin on the food that they purchase and consume; and

**WHEREAS** meat from other countries has the potential for being tainted, diseased, or infected and unsafe for human consumption.

**THEREFORE**, **BE IT RESOLVED** the Wyoming Republican Party call for the reinstatement of Country of Origin Labeling.

### 9. Education: Teach Founding Documents in Wyoming Public Schools

**WHEREAS** the future of our republic depends on a citizenry educated in our nation's history and founding documents as well as in how our government was designed to operate.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Wyoming Republican Party supports the adoption of a solid initiative that requires Wyoming public schools to educate their students in a working knowledge of the founding documents of the United States including, but not limited to, the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution.

#### 10. Freedom of Travel

**WHEREAS** Freedom of Travel is essential to maintain a free Society.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the form and means of travel should not be mandated by the government. We trust free Market capitalism as determined by consumers to promote the best outcome for consumers.

#### 11. DEI is Unconstitutional

**WHEREAS** the concept of DEI (Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion) is inherently unconstitutional, suppresses 1st Amendment free Speech and has the government picking winners & losers of selected Identity groups.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Park County Republican Party opposes any Government mandated or publicly Supported DEI programs.

## 12. Blood to be Labeled by Vaccination Status

**WHEREAS** that 53% of Wyoming residents have taken the 1st and 2nd COVID vaccine along with the boosters and 61% 0f Wyoming residents have taken the 1st dose only of the COVID vaccine.

WHEREAS that extensive studies of the side effects of COVID vaccines have been done and show side effects in many individuals such as: Gillian-Barre Syndrome, Dementia, Blood clots, Myocarditis, Stroke, Pulmonary Embolism, Spontaneous Abortion, Male fertility issues, Pneumonia, COVID 19, Anxiety/Depression, Cancer (spike protein is a cancer promoter), Multi-inflammatory response, and many more Disorders, to many to name.

**WHEREAS** that current blood donations are unmarked and individuals receiving blood have no way of knowing if they would be exposed to blood containing COVID vaccine.

**WHEREAS** that you have a greater than 50% chance of receiving COVID vaccinated blood.

**WHEREAS** the human body has no way of breaking down the messenger RNA or spike protein and therefore the effects of transfusing blood from a patient that has had a COVID vaccine to others are unknown.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that all blood donated from a person who has received a COVID vaccine be specifically labeled as such. 2 products available: COVID vaccinated blood and unvaccinated blood.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that blood recipients who object to the COVID vaccine blood be allowed to receive non vaccinated blood.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that in an emergency situation, non COVID vaccinated blood be given to the recipient needing blood.

Sources: VAERS, co-managed by CDC

Article: A host of Notable COVID-19 vaccine adverse events, backed by

evidence. Epoch Health 2/24/24.