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Happy 244th birthday America!

I sure hope you are planning a celebration this Fourth of July! I sure am! Maybe a picnic on the deck with family...or a gathering with close friends or perhaps you've got a neighborhood party planned. As long as you celebrate the birth of this great nation, it's all good! In some areas of Oregon it's tougher to get out and about, but by golly, you can do something to LET FREEDOM RING!

Our freedoms have eroded these past months and we must be ever vigilant that what has transpired does not become a way of life. We cannot be stripped of our rights as American's and say it's all good because we're saving lives. That goes for Covid-19 as well as our 1st Amendment RIGHT of free speech and our 2nd Amendment RIGHT to keep and bear arms. Do not be deceived by the plots and plans of the Democrat Party.

Many of us on our online Spring Board of Directors meeting just a few days ago were inspired and encouraged by the words of Dr. Linda Lee Tarver, NFRW Region 1 Director. Dr. Tarver is a black woman from Michigan with a heart the size of Texas and a love of God to match any of us. She spoke to us about the anarchy and violence we're witnessing in our blue controlled cities and states. I'm ashamed that Oregon is numbered among them; we MUST turn Oregon RED!

I have invited Dr. Tarver to our October Board meeting IN PERSON! Let's hope and pray NFRW is back to having her and others travel to places where no quarantine is required. She will inspire you; she will teach you great and historically accurate things.

We, so often referred to as the silent majority, cannot allow ourselves to be silenced. We must stand tall, be resilient and steadfast! We know we are right in this fight for justice and liberty for all.

May God bless you and may He continue to bless the United States of America,
Chris

Marching on to Republican Victory!



Happy Independence Day July 4th

#BlackVoicesforTrump
Dr. Linda Lee Tarver

President Trump

- <https://www.delgazette.com/opinion/80155/trump-helping-black-communities-thrive>
- BLACK EMPLOYMENT
- BLACK HOME OWNERS
- FIRST STEP ACT
- OPPORTUNITY ZONES
- EDUCATION CHOICE
- DIABETES CARE
- AMERICA FIRST

³ We live in such a way that no one will stumble because of us, and no one will find fault with our ministry. ⁴ In everything we do, we show that we are true ministers of God. We patiently endure troubles and hardships and calamities of every kind. ⁵ We have been beaten, been put in prison, faced angry mobs, worked to exhaustion, endured sleepless nights, and gone without food. ⁶ We prove ourselves by our purity, our understanding, our patience, our kindness, by the Holy Spirit within us, and by our sincere love. ⁷ We faithfully preach the truth. God's power is working in us. We use the weapons of righteousness in the right hand for attack and the left hand for defense. ⁸ We serve God whether people honor us or despise us, whether they slander us or praise us. We are honest, but they call us impostors. ⁹ We are ignored, even though we are well known. We live close to death, but we are still alive. We have been beaten, but we have not been killed. ¹⁰ Our hearts ache, but we always have joy. We are poor, but we give spiritual riches to others. We own nothing, and yet we have everything. — 2 Corinthians 6:3-10 NLT

My Perception:

When the Floyd explosion erupted, I remember being angry. What was new? What good would it do? Racism has been around all over the world for all my life as a brown woman. When I left Singapore and came to America, I watched as my new grandparents in law greeted when my ship landed. Their first look was a questioning one as they took in my black hair and brown skin. I remember later on in our relationship, grandma saying “If we scrub hard enough we can maybe scrub the brown off, and I never trust anyone with red eyes!” My eyes are hazel. I remember strolling my little blonde kids in their stroller and being sure the passers-by were taking me for their maid. I remember Oregon, one of the first places I lived in the U.S., and feeling out of place and being unable to meet so many hostile eyes. I remember worrying that my White husband, a pastor, would not be accepted because of me. Oregon in the 1970s was very white, and even today Bend has a less than 1% Black population.

Unfortunately, there is prejudice the world over. I remember in Singapore playing badminton with a group of Indian girls when four Chinese girls walked onto the court. The Indian girls started to leave and I said, “Stay! We have not finished our game.” It was understood there that the Chinese were superior. As a Eurasian, I had a foot in both worlds, but that did not exclude me from prejudice. In Singapore, the riots between the Chinese and Indians, or Chinese and Malays, were an accepted thing in the 1960’s and whoa betide the White man caught in the middle. I remember during one riot when my family watched the riots, the burnt out cars and the riot police in all their gear and tear gas and shootings, and worried about my White dad not being home from work. We found out later he had hidden under the seat in the bus and ran for help to the nearest police station where they weren’t going to let him in but he managed to persuade them and stayed overnight. So the injustice of racism was not and is not new to me. Last week at the Zoom Board Meeting, Dr. Tarver touched on what is going on with the looting and killing we see on the streets of our cities and she opined that it was a spiritual manifestation of evil and wickedness. I think we can all agree that we need to pray for our cities and state for a spiritual encounter with the only one that can touch our hearts and put out the fire of racism and the embers of division, namely, God.

Your Editor

WHY GO ONLINE TO THE NATIONAL FEDERATED REPUBLICAN WOMEN WEBSITE?

Clubs get a giant network of like-minded women who offer up ideas without us having to reinvent the wheel, PLUS have the ability to be a part of creating a new wheel if one is needed! If you are not trolling on the NFRW website, let me encourage you to do so. There is an absolute wealth of information on it. nfrw.org is the website. Create an account for yourself. Then peruse the website.

Having NFRW headquarters near Washington, DC. keeps our national president in tune and a part of our Republicans who are in leadership in the House of Representatives, Senate, and the White House. So important!

NFRW has what is called Strike Force, which was used successfully in a recent California special race (not primary) where 20,000 Republican women from all over the

United States made calls on behalf of Mike Garcia and he won! I am requesting a Strike Force be put in place for Oregon as we now move on to the general election. We must do all we can to TURN OREGON RED.

As members of NFRW we all receive a weekly email from President Ann; always good information and a good message of Republican sisterhood and like-mindedness.

And as you use the NFRW website you'll see all kinds of ways to impact and/or help the programs your club has or wants to have. Caring for America, Leadership Development, Campaigns & Elections, Literacy & Education, etc.

Like most organizations, NFRW and OFRW strives to improve how they operate and relate to its members. I know I am. Club presidents and their club members are the very essence of OFRW. What you all bring to the table is crucial for OFRW to stay an important voice in the political arena.

Let me close by introducing you to a 5 month push we're calling OFRW Klubs for Kim. Senator Kim Thatcher is our Republican nominee for Secretary of State and one of our own. Getting her elected is so important. I'm asking EVERY CLUB to pass the hat for Kim at every event you hold (in person or virtual, mail in the money, collect it in person...you decide...) Former OFRW president Linda Hellenthal is spearheading this push. We want all our state central committees to get on board with their own version; Kounties for Kim. I have it on good authority George Soros has targeted the races for Secretary of State across our great country as evidenced by the high-dollar television ads the Oregon democrat candidates for SOS were able to put forth in the primary. True or not, Senator Thatcher needs our help.

Keep the faith and God bless you-----CHRIS

Bacon Inspires Boldness and Makes Things Better, I don't know who looked at pig belly and said, "Lets rub that with salt, fry it, and eat it," but I'm thankful. Maybe it was the same person who said, "You can eat those brown things that drop out of chickens." History: Bacon's history dates back thousands of years to 1500 BIC. The Chinese cured pork bellies with salt, creating an early form of bacon..." (Bacon Scout) I love the Chinese. Better: Bacon makes everything better. Would you prefer broccoli cheddar quiche or broccoli cheddar BACON quiche? I rest my case! Frankly, I don't know what broccoli is doing in there in the first place. Macaroni and cheese is good. Mac and cheese AND bacon is better. Dates are good. Dates wrapped with bacon are better. Hamburgers are good. Hamburgers with bacon are better. Be like bacon. Make everything better. If you're NOT a leader, start making things better and you'll get a chance to lead. Confusion, faultfinding, and tearing down aren't leadership talents. But noticing strength, creating clarity, and building-up are. Boldness: Bacon inspires boldness. Forget about using carrots to motivate. I'll do anything for bacon. I'm not a fan

of green food, but I'd try bacon braised greens. I read a frittata recipe that included butternut squash, bacon, kale, and goat cheese. Any frittata with bacon is worth a try. Remove the bacon and I'm out. (Don't you love how "frittata" rolls off the tongue?) Be like bacon. Inspire boldness. Making people timid isn't a leadership talent. What takes teams farther? Timidity or boldness? Show up today to make something better. Show up today to inspire boldness. The purpose of our Federal Government, as found in the Preamble of the Constitution, is to "establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our posterity."

--Article by Dan Rockwell

Sue Hyers of UVRW's input on the question of DEFUNDING THE POLICE.

If you think the most important purpose of government is protection, which includes national security, personal security (IE., laws that prevent harm & crime), and providing a safe infrastructure, then you and I agree that police departments in America **must be adequately funded.**

As Heather MacDonald says in her book, *The War on Cops*, "American police are often painted as bad guys due to the media, Black Lives Matter, and even flaws within the judiciary. These attacks on cops are a blatant attack on law and order itself, and serve to make everyone less safe."

The presence of police can help maintain order in a society that will generally wane toward chaos without it. From traffic stops or drug raids to attempted rape and robbery, a nearby police force provides aid for people who need it, particularly folks who are young, elderly, without a personal firearm, or just vulnerable.

I believe bad cops should be held accountable, just as we should recognize and honor those who serve their communities according to their oaths of office and mission statements. If you thought crime was bad now, it would certainly increase without a police department.

We must support law enforcement at every level. They put their lives on the line for us every day.

"Uncomfortable Conversations with a Black Man"

"Extra's" Charissa Thompson had a candid conversation with her Fox Sports colleague Emmanuel Acho about his new online series "Uncomfortable Conversations with a Black Man." After just two episodes, the show has already received more than 20 million views. Explaining where the idea came from, Acho said, "It was really simple. I grew up with a lot of white people and I grew up in white culture. I realized that as a black man, so many of my white colleagues, they have questions about black people that they never get answered." He continued, "Rather

than letting them sit in ignorance now that they're finally willing to listen... I said, 'I'm going to proactively answer the questions,' because hearts are now ready, Charissa... Everybody is, like, at the table, waiting to be fed this meal, and I just happened to be the chef who's preparing it in such a way **that** they can digest it."When asked if he were willing to prepare this meal for someone like Derek Chauvin or President Trump, Emmanuel replied, "So, life is all about tact. You can yell in an empty room and nobody will be willing to hear you. I am always willing, but there are **two** sides of the coin."He added, "So I will stand in the middle and I will try to bridge that gap and I will have my hands stuck out, waiting for the other person to shake. If they don't want to shake it, so be it, but my goal isn't to save everybody, but let's save those and let's change the hearts of those who want to be changed." He recently sat down with Matthew McConaughey, and he revealed who else he wants to talk with: "Jennifer **Aniston** is my goal." Meanwhile, he said, celebs are getting in touch with him."It's funny. Like, so many people reached out to me since the first video. Matthew McConaughey, he actually called me... So there is an appetite — insatiable appetite — for more of this dialogue, more of this content." Emmanuel also shared his definition of white privilege, saying, "White privilege is not saying as a white person, your life hasn't been hard. Privilege is simply saying your skin color hasn't been a contributing factor to your life. As a black man, I live in an affluent neighborhood in Austin, Texas, soon to be Los Angeles. And when I pull up to the mailbox, I sit in my car if I see a white woman walking up, because I don't want her to **perceive** me as a threat."He continued, "If I'm on an elevator with a woman like you, I would push the button first and try to scurry off the elevator first, because I never want to be perceived as a threat. I have to live my life calculated. White people get to live their life unconsciously, so white privilege, to me, is to live **your** life unconscious."He also said people need to speak out more: "Call out racism. It's not enough for you to be not racist. You've got to be anti-racist... So what you can do is first educate yourself, but then speak out when you **see** something unjust."Watch "Uncomfortable Conversations with a Black Man" on [Emmanuel](#)

Voters are on our side. Nearly two-thirds (62%) say there is fraud in US. elections, and that fraud would concern them under Democrats' nationwide mail-in ballot system. Americans overwhelmingly approve of the safeguards. Democrats are suing to eliminate like signature matching (84%), voter identification (80%), and a ballot receipt deadline of election day (83%). Voters also oppose (67%) allowing campaign workers to collect mail-in ballots, a practice known as ballot harvesting Americans deserve to have confidence in their elections, and we will not stand idly by while Democrats try to sue their way to victory in November.

Here is the latest article from Republican representative, Cheri Helt. (See my comments in red below for areas where I disagree with Rep. Helt. Editor). Cheri Helt Republican state representative wrote: "The murder of George Floyd by a police officer in Minneapolis has laid bare the grim reality of our nation's history with racism. Despite all the progress and changes we've made throughout the years, there's still much work to be done. Thankfully, out of this tragedy, peaceful demonstrations locally and across the country are calling for justice and change and providing us with hope for the future. As a citizen and elected leader, I am doing my best to listen and learn from the voices marching on our streets. Sadly, those with a different agenda that justice – lawbreaking, violence and anarchy – have tried to hijack legitimate protest. We must hold the lawbreakers legally accountable and not let them overshadow the majority of peaceful voices united for justice and change. Now more than ever, we

need all of our leaders to step up, but throughout this national crisis, President Trump has not only failed the test of Presidential leadership – he is making the crisis worse and has failed America. I'm not surprised. I didn't vote for Donald Trump in 2016 because I believed he was unfit to serve as President -- I believe that even more strongly today. **(This is difficult to hear from a Republican representative. ED)**. At a moment when America needs a President to show compassion, restore order and lead for constructive change, President Trump creates chaos and exploits fear and division. He simply lacks the character, temperament, integrity and moral authority to lead our nation. When America was confronted with the global pandemic, the President's response was bad **(I disagree with this statement. ED)** – but his rhetoric and actions since the killing of George Floyd are even worse. America has serious problems that began before Trump and will last beyond him - but Trump has made our problems worse, our divisions deeper and our politics and culture more corrosive. **(I disagree with the last part of this statement. ED)** In November, America needs to elect a new President who can lead our nation in a more positive direction. **(Who is Rep. Helt suggesting that we elect? ED)** Given what's at stake, I feel I must speak out against the President who happens to share my Party registration but does not share my moral compass and values. **(I disagree with the implication here. ED)**. For the past ten years I served on the Bend – La Pine school board and now as Bend's state representative. I am a working mom with three kids and a local restaurant owner. I didn't run for office to get involved in Party politics or to offer social media commentary on national politics. In fact, I've avoided both. I run and serve because making Bend a better place is my passion. The work of combating inequality isn't new to me. At the heart of my school board service was ensuring access to a quality education for every child as a means to combat poverty and create opportunity – no matter your skin color or economic circumstances. But even well-educated children and adults with black or brown skin are not immune from racism and injustice. Which is why change, reform and accountability is needed. Words are a good place to start – but leadership and action is how we will be measured. As your State Representative, I will continue my focus on the issues that matter to all working families in Bend – schools, jobs, health care and affordable housing. But I will do more. I will work with my Democratic and Republican colleagues to advance police accountability and other reforms to ensure communities of color are heard and our policies in education, health care, and housing reflect the value and benefits of diversity, opportunity and justice. I will continue to work with our outstanding local police and will support Police Chief Jim Porter's proposal for a body camera program. More than ever, we must work together to repair and bridge our historic and racial divides. I am ready. In his letter from a Birmingham Jail in 1963, Martin Luther King, Jr. said it best, "Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere. We are caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied in a single garment of destiny. Whatever affects one directly, affects all indirectly." - Cheri HeltCentral Oregon / Government-politics / News / Top Stories.

BHRW met again via Zoom on June 18 and had another good turn out with 27 members and 7 guests. We heard several candidates including JoRae Perkins (US Senate), Kim Thatcher (Oregon Secretary of State), Jeff Gudman (Oregon Treasurer), and Shawne Mae (campaign manager for Ron Noble, State Representative HD24). Suni Danford, ORP Finance Chair, spoke about [ORP's Inside Scoop](#) past and upcoming speakers and Kevin Hoar, ORP's Communications Chair, spoke of the party's activities including Recall Kate Brown ([Http://stoptheabuse-recallkatebrown.org](http://stoptheabuse-recallkatebrown.org) [FaceBook page](#), and plans. Members Diane Gruber and Regina Skarzinskas presented their first education pieces on the [US Electoral College](#).

OFRW SPRING 2020

Statewide **“Meet It or Beat It”** Challenge

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1. Beaverton Hillsboro RW donated \$100.00 to OFRW and challenges all other clubs to **“Meet It or Beat It”** by midnight, **August 22, 2020**. Instructions below.
2. The Club donating the most money will be recognized and receive an **OFRW goodie bag** at the Fall 2020 Board meeting.
3. Clubs can donate more than once to stay on top.
4. Clubs are urged to use club funds previously budgeted for Spring Board meeting expenses and hold fund-raising events dedicated to the **OFRW Challenge**.
5. A running total will be posted frequently to facilitate competition.
6. If there is a tie, the clubs will be recognized and receive a round of applause and maybe a cookie.

Ties are discouraged – donate more!

7. Donations can be made by cash, check, or credit card. Contact Laurel Regan, Treasurer, 3801 NW Loriann Dr. Portland, OR 97229, 503-645-3745; laregan88@msn.com

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2020 Election Republican Candidates

US president Trump/Pence
 US Senate- Jo Rae Perkins
 US representative Cliff Bentz

Oregon Secretary of State- Kim Thatcher
 Oregon Attorney General- Michael Cross
 Oregon State Treasurer Jeff Gudman

Oregon Senators running for November Elections for Senate

Jo Rae Perkins 175,472 votes(running against Democrat Jeff Merkley 555,452 votes)

Oregon Republicans running for November Elections for Congress. (Familiarize their names vote for them)

District 1 Christopher Christensen with 27,051 votes (running against an incumbent democrat)

District 2 Cliff Bentz with 37,045 votes (running against an incumbent Democrat)

District 3 Joanna Harbour with 20,847 votes (running against an incumbent Democrat)
 District 4 Alek Skarlatos with 69,380 votes (running against an incumbent Democrat)
 District 5 Amy Ryan Courser with 41,284 votes (running against an incumbent Democrat.)

Oregon Legislature will have 16 Open Seats in 2020

District 3,5,9,10,14,17,19,25,28,30,33,36,49,50,58,60 know your Districts and fight for them.

GET OUT THE VOTE:

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