

# PLEDGE ~~A PURGE~~ ~~OF~~ AMERICA TO



*a new governing agenda built on*

THE PRIORITIES OF OUR NATION,  
THE PRINCIPLES WE STAND FOR



A BUNCH OF REALLY CRAZY SHIT



# A PLUNGE OF AMERICA



America is more than a country.

America is a country and a dessert topping – a yummy, delicious, treat that tastes like chocolate double fudge brownies but actually makes you lose weight, where free people can freely feel free to be free for free, that government’s powers are derived from the consent of its corporate campaign contributors, that each of us is endowed by their Creator with the unalienable rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness...but are good enough team players not to insist on them. America is the belief that any man or woman can – given economic, political, and religious liberty – become buried in debt, vote against their own interests and provide for the common good of the wealthy.

America is an inspiration to those who yearn to yell freely about wanting the government to keep their hands off of their government entitlements and have the freedom and the dignity to attack their own democratically elected black president as a tyrannical secret Muslim agent who wants to help the terrorists remodel the White House into a mosque, behead “whitey” and make all of our kids gay.

Whenever the agenda of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right wing that coincidentally is in power. The people have the right to follow the Koch brothers’ designs on how to institute a new governing agenda and set a different course.

These first principles were proclaimed in the Declaration of Independence, enshrined in the Constitution, and traded away by President George W. Bush for a set of Topps baseball cards and a war of his choosing in the Middle East. In a self-governing society, the only bulwark against the power of the state is carrying a gun in a bar, blaming gays for your sexless marriage and shouting loudly at town hall meetings with spittle flying from your mouth.

An unchecked executive, a compliant legislature, and an overreaching judiciary have combined to thwart the will of the people and overturn their votes and their values, striking down long-standing laws and institutions and scorning the deepest beliefs of the American people. But enough about the Bush years...though we did give you tax credits for buying Hummers!

An arrogant and out-of-touch government of “book-learned”, zipped-up-pants elitists who think spellin’ and changing underwear is important, makes decisions, issues mandates, and enacts laws without accepting or requesting the input of the many who think everything actually disappears when they close their eyes.

Rising joblessness, crushing debt, and a polarizing political environment are fraying the bonds among Americans and allowing us to be ahead in the polls without having to offer one concrete solution to any of the above. America...what a country!

Like free peoples of the past, our citizens refuse to accommodate a government that believes it can take a reasonable amount of time to repair eight years of unrelenting destruction. The American people are speaking out, demanding that one minute eggs be cooked in 20 seconds, that nine month pregnancies be cut to six weeks and that it take no more than 45 seconds for a man to qualify as sexually satisfying his mate.

The need for urgent action to repair our economy and reclaim our government for the people cannot be over-exaggerated by us.

With this document, we pledge to dedicate ourselves to the task of talking as forcefully as we can in as ineffective and general terms as possible, about how wonderful America will be when we hand out magic gold-making machines to everyone in America. This is our Pledge to America.

We pledge to honor the Constitution as constructed by its framers and honor the original intent of those precepts that have been consistently ignored – particularly the bit about black people and women not being eligible to vote and men being able to have as many wives as they want. Oh, and also that part about free bacon too.

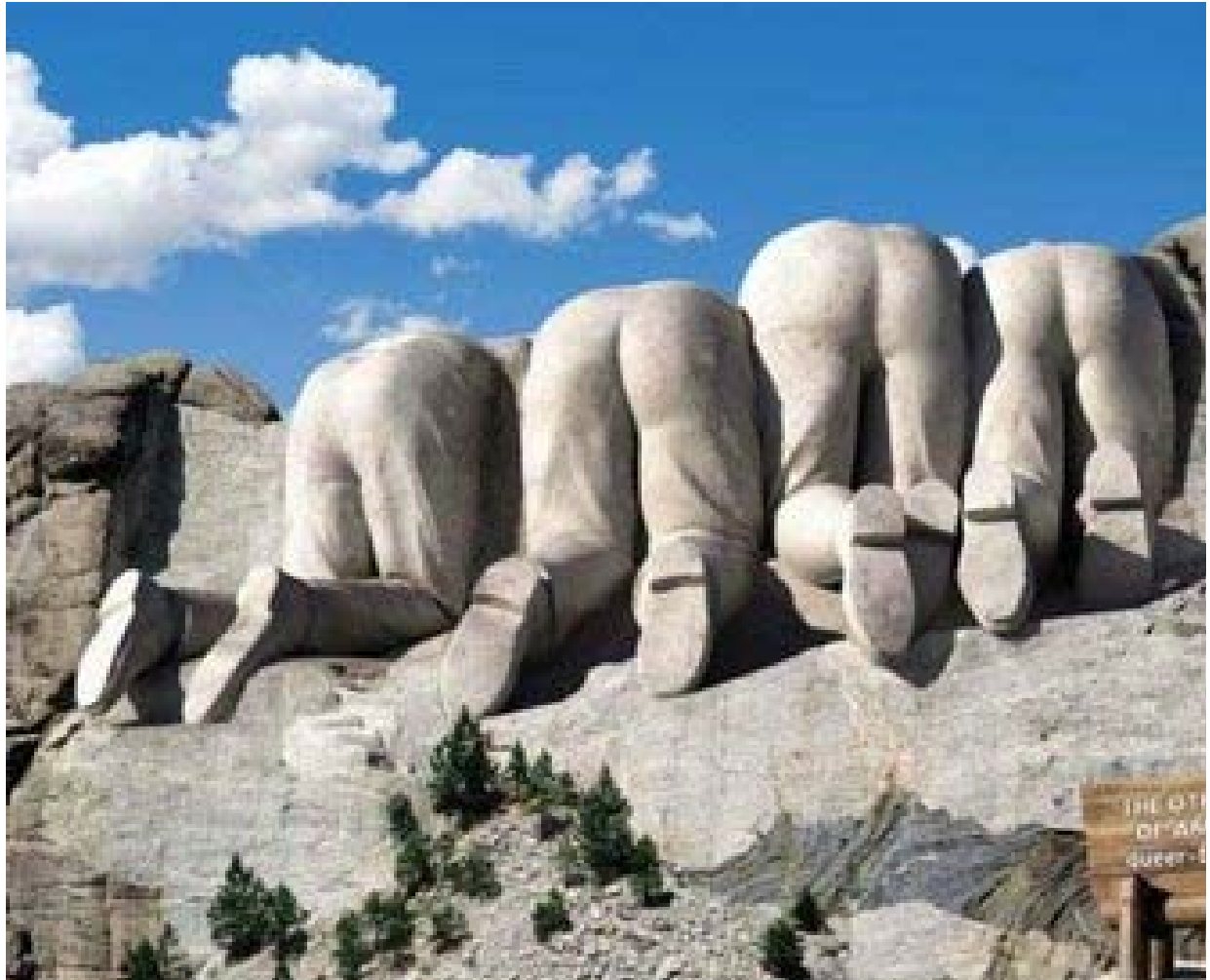
We pledge to advance policies that promote greater liberty, wider opportunity, a robust defense, and national economic prosperity. We will accomplish all of these things by having made wishes before blowing on a dandelion so as much as we’d like to tell you exactly how we will do this, if we tell you, it won’t come true.

We pledge to honor families, traditional marriage, life, and the private and faith-based organizations that form the core of our American values unless in an airport bathroom, hiking on the Appalachian Trail, having the first name “Newt”, able to trade up on a current wife, texting a Congressional Page, doing business with anyone named Abramoff, calling a DC Madam, getting a really big campaign contribution from a lobbyist or running for Senator in Nevada, Alaska, Kansas or Delaware.

We pledge to make government more transparent in its actions by stripping it into shreds and selling off every piece we can pry off to the corporations that finance our campaigns.

We pledge to uphold the purpose and promise of a hateful America, knowing that to whom much anger is given, much is expected in midterm elections and that the blessings of our emotions overriding reason make electing even clinically insane people who are Republicans, possible.

We make this pledge bearing true faith and allegiance to the people we represented the last time we were in power, the wealthy, and we invite fellow citizens and patriots to join us in forming a new governing agenda for America that will finally end the oppression of democracy once and for all.







*a plan to* \_\_\_\_\_

***Stop* OUR CONTROL OVER SPENDING**  
***Reduce* *and* THE SENSE IN GOVERNMENT**



# WHAT THE REPUBLICAN TEA PARTY PLEDGES TO DO TO GOVERNMENT!

- ✓ **End Social Security, Medicare and Unemployment Insurance**, all are unconstitutional. [Source](#)
- ✓ **End separation of church and state.** [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#) – [Source 3](#) – [Source 4](#)
- ✓ **Or...cut Medicare and Social Security benefits by 25%** over 5 years along with all other government services. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Repeal the Civil Rights Act.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Require all Americans to put their retirement money into the hands of Wall Street**...copying the failed plan of Chile's military dictatorship. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Make Affirmative Action illegal.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Eliminate Welfare.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Eliminate the Department of Education, Department of Energy, OSHA, EPA and the National Endowments for the Arts and Humanity.** [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#) - [Source 3](#) - [Source 4](#)
- ✓ **End the VA.** Veterans will buy policies from insurance companies like everyone else. End prescription drug coverage; require all Americans to pay full price for prescriptions. [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#)
- ✓ **Abolish the IRS**, institute a national sales tax, defund or slash funding for all government services. [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#)
- ✓ **Stop government financing of public schools and education.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Repeal the 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment** of the U.S. Constitution. [Source](#)

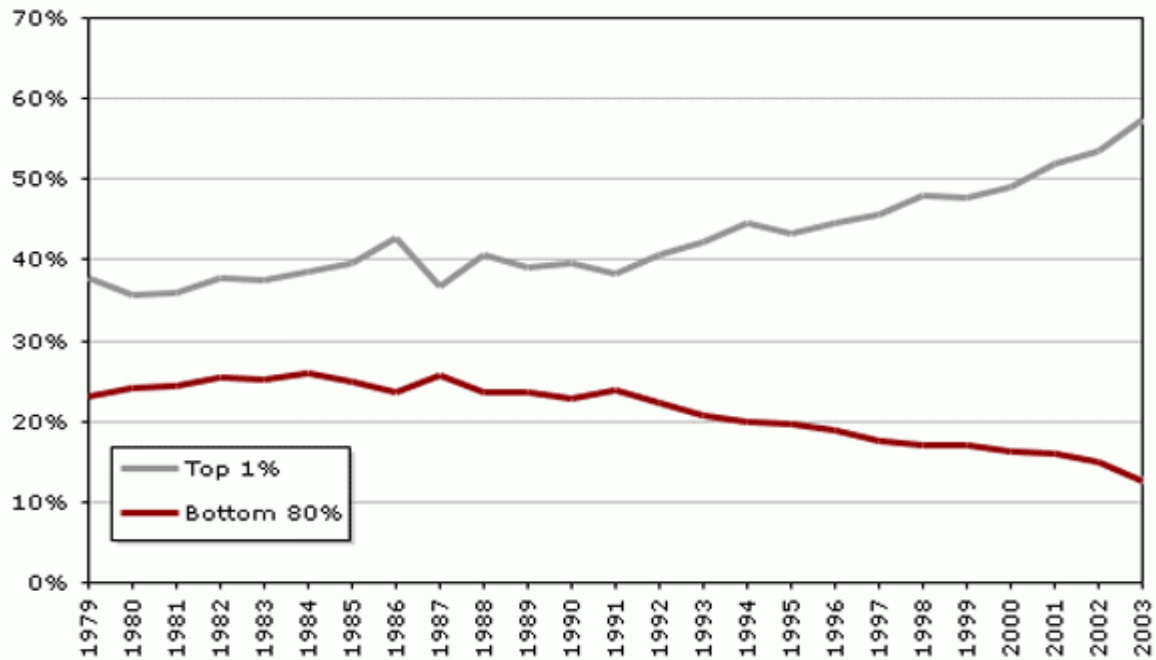
- ✓ Repeal the 17<sup>th</sup> Amendment of the U.S. Constitution: **Take away the right of Americans to vote for Senators** and give it to state governments to choose the people's representatives to The Senate. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Impeach Obama** for not securing our borders well enough against potential terrorists. [Source](#)
- ✓ Make the major focus of Congress for **the next two years investigating the Obama Administration for wrongdoing** and if found, pursue impeachment. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Shut down Congress**, enforce gridlock for the next two years. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Oppose using experts in government.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Repeal all laws on political contributions**, allow politicians to receive unlimited cash from the wealthy and corporations. [Source](#)
- ✓ **The GOP will be no different than under Bush.** [Source](#)

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*Cremate Jobs*  
Add ECONOMIC UNCERTAINTY  
AND  
MAKE CHINA MORE COMPETITIVE

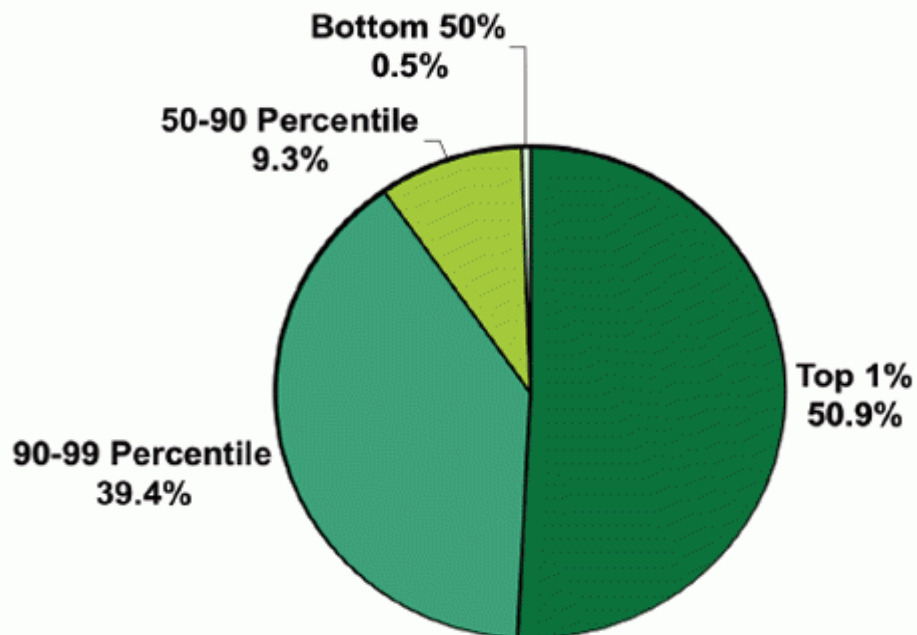
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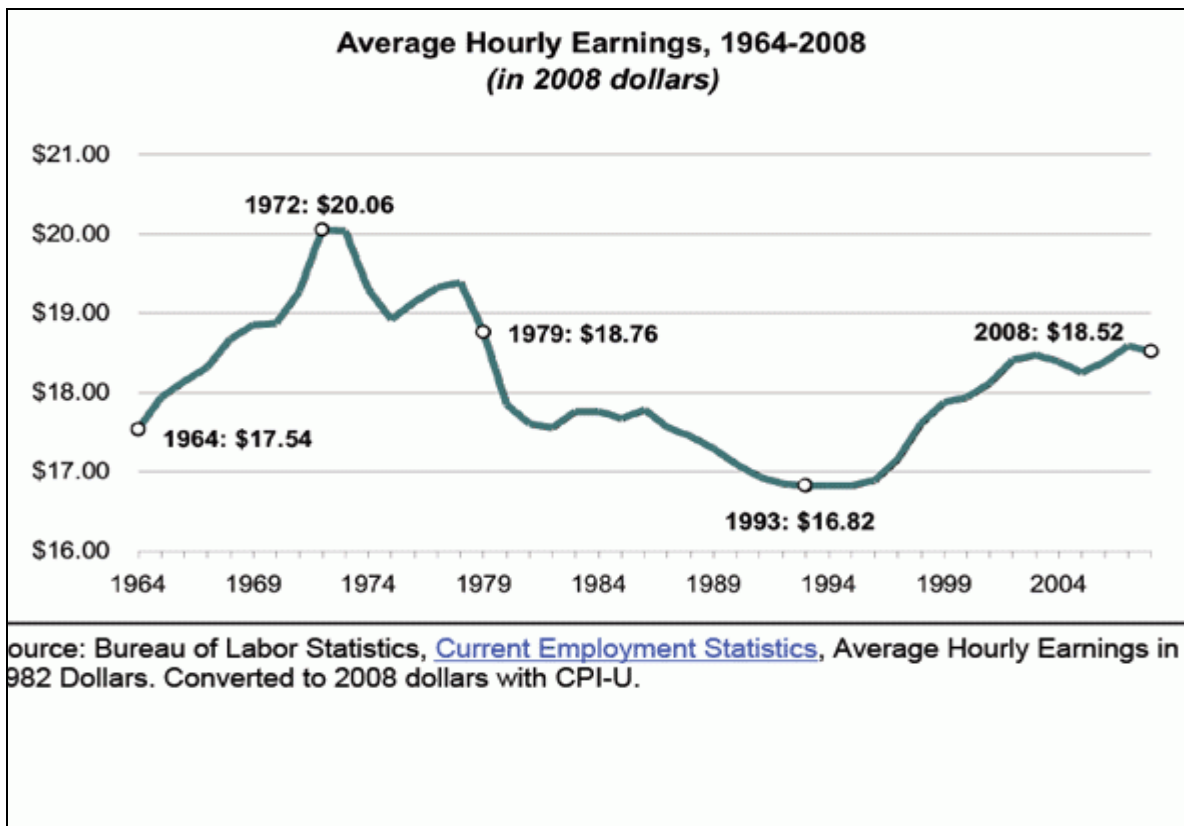
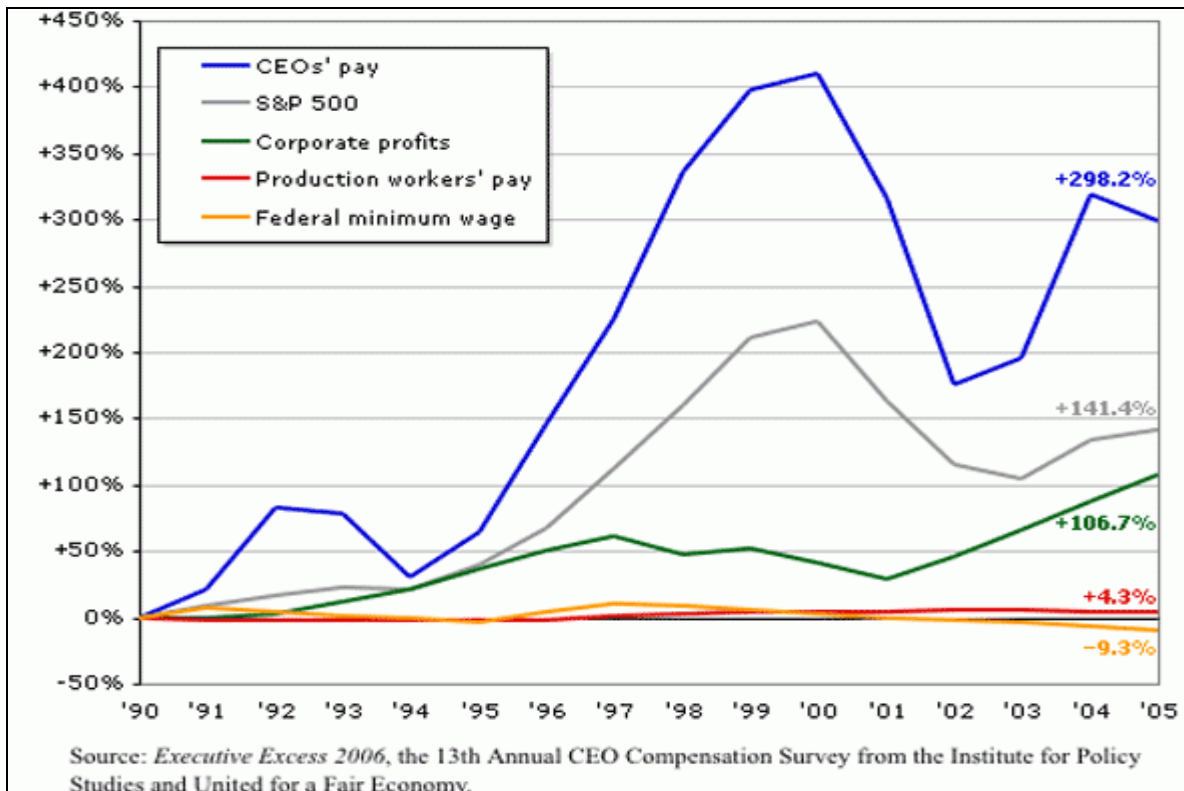
- ✓ **Abolish the Minimum Wage.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Repeal Health Care Reform and regulation of insurance companies.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Repeal Financial Reforms and regulation of Wall Street and banks.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Deregulate Wall Street, Insurance Companies, Oil Companies and other major industries.** [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#)
- ✓ **Make "covenant with Moses" signed in blood not to raise taxes on rich.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Add \$700 billion to the federal deficit**, almost as much as TARP, **to give millionaires and billionaires an average of \$100,000 through tax cuts** (even though these same people have seen their income double over the last 30 years while the other 99% of Americans have had their income drop). [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#)
- ✓ **Oppose any government efforts to get corporations to set up assistance funds** for those whose lives, jobs and income are damaged by their actions. [Source](#)

**Figure 5: Share of capital income earned by top 1% and bottom 80%, 1979-2003**  
(From Shapiro & Friedman, 2006.)



**Distribution of U.S. Stock, Bond and Mutual Fund Ownership, 2007**





## WHY THE REPUBLICAN TEA PARTY WILL SURELY KEEP THEIR PLEDGES TO SLASH SPENDING!

What You Paid For	
2009 tax receipt for a taxpayer earning \$34,140 and paying \$5,400 in federal income tax and FICA (selected items) <sup>4</sup>	
Social Security	\$ 1,040.70
Medicare	\$ 625.51
Medicaid	\$ 385.28
Interest on the National Debt	\$ 287.03
Combat Operations in Iraq and Afghanistan	\$229.17
Military Personnel	\$192.79
Veteran's Benefits	\$74.65
National Parks	\$ 69.36
Federal Highways	\$ 63.89
Health care research (NIH)	\$ 46.54
Foreign Aid	\$46.08
Education Funding for Low Income K-12 Students	\$ 38.17
Military Retirement Benefits	\$ 32.60
Pell Grants for Low Income College Students	\$ 29.75
NASA Space Program	\$28.09
Internal Revenue Service	\$17.69
Environmental Clean Up (EPA)	\$11.67
The FBI	\$11.21
Head Start	\$ 10.91
Public Housing	\$ 10.50
Drug Enforcement Agency	\$3.14
Amtrak	\$ 2.23
Smithsonian Museum	\$ 1.12
Funding for the Arts	\$0.24
Salaries and benefits for members of Congress	\$0.19

[Courtesy of The Washington Post](#)

## LOOK AT ALL THE WASTEFUL SPENDING THAT CAN EASILY BE CUT!



*A PLAN*  
*To keep our nation*  
***INSECURE***  
**AT HOME AND ABROAD**

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# WHAT THE REPUBLICAN TEA PARTY PLEDGES TO DO TO SOCIETY!

- ✓ **Go to war against Iran and North Korea.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Outlaw all abortions**, including in case of rape, incest or health of the mother. [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#)
- ✓ **Prevent gays and unmarried pregnant women from teaching in schools.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Encourage voters to use guns on opponents** if their candidates aren't elected. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Outlaw adoption by Americans who are gay.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Support Osama Bin Laden on deploying and detonating a major weapon in the United States** so the people will rise up and demand their government protect them with as much violence as necessary. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Protect insurance companies from having to cover autism, maternity leave** and any other conditions that all Americans don't share the same need of at all times. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Cut AIDS funding.** [Source](#)
- ✓ Declare the Islamic Religion and Muslims fifth column enemies of America, **pursue a purge of Muslims from our society.** [Source](#)
- ✓ **Prevent Muslims from practicing Islam or having a presence or community center** where non-Muslims decide they shouldn't be allowed. [Source 1](#) – [Source 2](#)
- ✓ **Keep Don't Ask Don't Tell in place indefinitely and prevent the Dream Act from passing** (a clear path for citizenship for non-citizens fighting in our military). [Source](#)

- ✓ **Require Welfare recipients to live in unused prisons**, force them to work for the government. [Source](#)
- ✓ **End federal funding for embryonic stem cell research**, it is unconstitutional. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Protect Oil Companies from having to pay more than \$75 million for the damages** they cause and have taxpayers pay their costs no matter how many billions it may be. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Prevent BP from having to testify under oath** to the BP Oil Commission about what really happened with the Gulf Oil Spill. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Block regulation of carbon pollution** because climate change is not proven. [Source](#)
- ✓ **Pull the U.S. out of participating in the U.N.** because it is unconstitutional. [Source](#)







# ***SPEAK OUT***

**Built through a process of pretending to listen to the people but instead listening to corporate interests, establishment Republicans and the hysterical, maniacal and threatening voices in our heads, this is our Pledge to America. To begin the process of commencing the instituting of the launching of implementing a new governing agenda that honors our Corporate Overlords and deflects the will of the people, we call on the leadership of the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress to bring these reforms and policies to an immediate vote, and ask all citizens of our Nation – men and women of good will and good heart – who share in our beliefs...what the fuck's wrong with you?**



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