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Follow the money

I support Garth Strand as a candidate for the Kansas House of Representatives because we need legislators who are not afraid to keep the state of Kansas from going bankrupt. Schools, highways and many other programs require money to function.

Garth's opponent was elected with the backing of the "Americans for Prosperity". Six senators who voted to reinstate half of the Brownback tax cuts were defeated this year by opponents also backed by "Americans for Prosperity". If you don't know who founded that organization, Google it. You will find out which Americans will have the prosperity.

Kay Dundas

Hutchinson

Go with Garth

I endorse Garth Strand for the office of Kansas House District 104. Garth grew up on a small Kansas farm and has lived in Hutchinson for forty years, retiring as CEO of Heartland Credit Union after thirty seven years.

Garth will listen to all constituents, not just partisan or special interest groups. He is fiscally conservative, pro business, and pro consumer. Learn more about his thoughts on these issues at www.gowithgarth.com.

Kansas House District 104 needs Garth Strand. He needs your vote! Please vote Garth Strand in the upcoming election.

Mary O'Neal

Hutchinson

Seems clear to me

I thought that the question whether Catholics have a place in our government was settled, loud and clear, on November 8, 1960 with the election of John F. Kennedy, a Democrat and Catholic, to the office of President of the United States. Of course, there's also that pesky clause in the Constitution that bans religious tests for public office. That same annoying Constitution says the president shall make a nomination to fill an empty seat on the court. It all seems pretty clear to

me, but I'm not a registered Democrat.

Denton Warn

Hutchinson

Vote Stroberg

Jeff Stroberg is the individual who can best represent people living in Kansas House District 114. He is committed to working for the greater good of all citizens living in the district. He will work to help small business, farm and agribusiness, hospitals, and schools struggling to survive, especially in the COVID 19 pandemic environment. Jeff was born and raised in Reno County, educated at Kansas State University, worked most of his career for a Fortune 500 company as controller, and in retirement, returned to the area and people he loves. He is engaged in the life of our community, always stepping up to help others. This includes serving on the Reno County Sheriff's Senior Patrol. He wants to serve the people of Kingman and Reno Counties as your State Representative. I endorse Jeff Stroberg to represent the 114th District and encourage you to vote Jeff for a Better Kansas.

Dennis Berndsen

Hutchinson

Send Steffen and Whitsel

Kansas State House 102nd and 104th District Representatives and 34th District Senator:

Just as we did 2 years ago when we sent Paul Waggoner, a solid Conservative Republican, to the Kansas House, this year we need to send Mark Steffen and John Whitesel to the Kansas State Legislature.

This is especially needed this year as we have seen the harm to our citizens, our businesses, and especially our churches that Gov. Kelly is capable of causing when she is protected by enough Democrat politicians who are more than willing to keep her policies and edicts from being stopped by the elected representatives we have sent to Topeka.

Our Kansas State House Majority Leader Dan Hawkins needed just four more supporting votes to veto her bad policies and edicts during her overreaction to the coronavirus . . . trade her for South Dakota's Gov. Kristi Noem.

Roger E. Givens

Hutchinson

Enough already

President Chaos (Trump) continues to provide little leadership to our country, his and his followers'

messages mostly are about name calling, blaming others and boasting about themselves. The one that angers me the most is calling those who have different ideas “socialists”. I gather that this scary term is used to say that his opponents don’t want to work, they want everything given to them. I believe that we need a social safety net to give people a hand up when they are down and the opportunity to have affordable health care.

So I am still trying to figure out who is in this group of “socialists”. Is it anyone that cashed a stimulus check? I didn’t work for it but it showed up in my bank account. Are farmers socialists because they take government payments? Or how about all the businesses that applied for PPP loans?

Or is it just that when the poor take the government money it is a hand out. For others it’s just being a good business person. What really gets under my skin is learning that I pay more in taxes than our President but I’m the one labeled a socialist.

Bret Gillmore

Moundridge

Gridlock

It appears to us that the Kansas legislature, if not broken, has become non-functional and plagued by political polarization and gridlock. It seems that some of our legislators are more concerned with serving special interests and following the extreme ideologies of their political parties rather than committing themselves to addressing the needs of their constituents. The legislature has minimal moderate legislators such as former Republican Sen. Ed Berger who was willing to work with legislators across the aisle, engage in compromise, and bring about the passage of legislation that was important for all Kansans.

These are why we are supporting Garth Strand for representative in District 104 and Shanna Henry for senator in District 34. We feel they are more interested in addressing important issues for their constituents than political parties and extreme ideologies.

Bob and Jeanne Ritter

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False equivalency

Comparing white supremacist organizations with antifa and BLM is a false equivalency the left loves to conflate.

White supremacy hasn’t been a force in the U.S. for generations except in the rabble rousing of race baiters like Al Sharpton and Democratic activists.

On the other hand antifa and BLM have been burning our cities and victimizing innocent citizens of all races.

It is a lie to compare them and the left knows this, they are trying to divert attention from their own subversion by drawing a false equivalency between the two.

Gregory Bontrager

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Green New Deal?

What do you think will happen to the economy of Dodge City and Southwest Kansas if the Democrats become elected and their Green New Deal is implemented? With the elimination of "farting cattle" the Dodge City packing plants, feed yards, sale barns, trucking, plus the farmer's grains would no longer be in demand. Again what will happen when the Democrats come for your guns? You no longer will be able to protect yourself in your own home and there would be no hunting season for dove, pheasants, or deer. Please think about some of these consequences when you vote for these outcomes. Besides that Joe Biden has dementia. Who do you think will be running the country? Very scary!

Judy Fraley Hinnergardt

Dodge City

Thou Shall Not Kill

How can any God-fearing person vote for a confessed abortionist? She is a practicing doctor. Her name is Dr. Barbara Boiler. God gave us the Ten Commandments to obey. The Fifth Commandment reads, "Thou Shall Not Kill". All abortionists and helpers will have to answer to God on Judgment Day for this most inhumane act.

C.J. Lett

Hutchinson

Who are the hypocrites here?

I am a Democrat and will most definitely vote for Dr. Barbara Bollier. I find for the doctor to be very intellectually calm and is truthfully straight forward. Bollier is for All-Americans regardless of party affiliates. Republicans are consistently downplaying her abortion stance.

Republicans turn a blind eye when President Donald Trump and his administration have and are on the border separating Mexican families.

Think of the emotional turmoil of these people. They come to America to find solace and freedom. They're not criminals. America is not white man's land. America is God's land.

As for law and order, it is bad to condone looting and violent protests. However, it is very tragic for

the countless number of unarmed Black murders committed by police, white militias, and the KKK to go unaccountable for the loss of Black lives. You can replace lost materials but not lost lives.

By lying, be it by hook or crook, Republicans resort to doing whatever it takes to win.

Republicans rewrite the rules of the Constitution to suit their whims.

Republicans denied former President Obama's judicial pick, Judge Garland. They said at the time that it was too close to the election, eight months. However, with only 44 days left until this year's election, President Donald Trump is pushing his pick forward.

Trump and the Republicans are downplaying democracy and justice, and flaunting the good economy inherited from Obama.

With all the envy and hatred President Trump has for former President Obama, our impeached president will never achieve the Nobel Peace Award. That's no hoax!

Donna Moye

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