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Illegal foreign nationals should be deported

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We need to develop a way to expedite the deportation of large numbers of foreign nationals who are illegally entering or maintaining residence in the United States. The American tax payer should not be expected to foot the bill for people who have no moral or legal right to be here.

Sanctuary cities who defy the will of the American people should be dealt with swiftly and if need be aggressively. The anchor baby loop hole is being ruthlessly exploited by foreign nationals and no longer serves the purpose for which it was originally intended. This antiquated provision in the law needs to be eliminated.

We need to be selective in the people we grant citizenship to. They must reflect our religious, moral and constitutional values. If they don't they have no business being granted citizenship. We are not citizens of the world, but of the United States of America. Our obligation is to our own welfare first, not the rest of the world. The days of accepting freeloaders into our midst must come to an end.

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