

THE DAY AFTER THE ELECTION AND THE REPUBLICAN PARTY WON THE HOUSE, THE SENATE AND THE PRESIDENCY.....

IT IS MORNING IN AMERICA.....

You are glad that the raucous 2024 election is over. You voted for Trump and all the Republican candidates for the Congress. You thought we survived President Trump's first term therefore, we can survive another four years.

HEADLINE DURING THE FIRST WEEK AFTER THE INAUGURAL CEREMONIES: "THE TRUMP ADMINISTRATION FIRES THOUSANDS OF CAREER CIVIL SERVANTS."

The newspapers and the on-line media outlets are also reporting on President Trump's new cabinet. These are people with no government experience and/or credentials. The replacement civil service hires must have one criteria - TO HAVE ABSOLUTE LOYALTY TO TRUMP. This is the first step to the IMPLEMENTATION OF TYRUMP'S PROJECT 2025.

Immediately, he has will stop the support of Ukraine. He will also send a message to the secretary general for NATO that the United States will be leaving the alliance. He also stated to Indo-Pacific allies that the America will be leaving the alliances established with Australia, Japan, India, and the United Kingdom.

He asks the Republican Speaker that he wanted a national ban on all abortions immediately. He wanted to halt all IVF procedures. He wants marriage equality to be rescinded. He also wants any and all climate protection agreements to stop. He does not want voting rights to be protected but he wants to rescind all laws regulating guns. He wants the Congress to pass the Trump Border Bill by allowing and funding mass deportations of all people suspected entering the country illegally.

He will gut the Environmental Protection Agency, the Department of Education, The Department of Urban and Housing, and he will diminish the Department of the Interior. He would expand oil drilling everywhere to include the continental shelf of the United States. He wants all regulations protecting the environment, the protection of rare species, safe drinking water and clean air too be rescinded. All electrical vehicles development will stopped and force a re-engagement of the internal combustion engine for all vehicles.

President Trump will sunset the Affordable Care Act. He will support the privatization of Medicare and Social Security. He wants Medicaid to be truly means-tested. He wants to stop the Head Start Program. Trump would pass another large tax cut benefiting the ultra rich and cut the spending on entitlements. There may be another huge ballooning of the Federal deficit similar to Trump's first term.

President Trump may appoint another two Supreme Court justices and other federal judges that will swing the entire judicial branch to the ultra-right for the next two or more generations. The new super-majority Supreme Court will begin to take on all "Rights" legislation and the power for regulators to regulate. The Supreme Court neutralizes the 22nd Amendment to the US constitution limiting a President to only two terms. This may allow Trump or his surrogate to enforce Trumpism for years.

You don't believe this will happen? Well, study the the enclosed Republican Party Platform - Project 2025. Project 2025 was first developed by the conservative think-tank, The Heritage Foundation and it was titled, Mandate 2025; which is now labeled Leadership 2025.

The Republican Party adopted the work and coined it, Project 2025. Some highlights:

Increase the Power of the Presidency:

- **By giving the president more direct influence over the Department of Justice.**
- **By having the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) more responsive to the president.**

Eliminating Specific Federal Departments:

- **Eliminate the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau**
- Eliminate the Housing and Urban Development Department
- **Eliminate the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation**
- **Eliminate the Corporation for Public Broadcasting**
- Eliminate the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities
- **Eliminate the Federal Housing Finance Agency (Fannie Mae & Freddie Mac)**
- Eliminate the Corporation for National & Community Service (Ameri-Corps)
- Eliminate the Export-Import Bank (capital & credit insurance to facilitate US exports)
- Eliminate the US Trade & Development Agency (transfer to private sector)

Reduction in the Scope of Specific Federal Departments:

- Department of Veteran Affairs
 - **Eliminate 42 offices to allow for barrier-free access to expert employees**
 - Consolidate 31 additional offices
- Federal Communications Commission (FCC)
 - End review of telecommunication mergers
 - **Transfer broad-band competition enforcement to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC)**
- Department of Transportation
 - **Privatize federal management of transportation services such as Amtrak and Air Traffic Control**
 - **Downsize federal role in highway funding - transfer responsibilities to the states**
 - Eliminate Federal Transit Administration - decrease support for mass transit projects; eliminate airport improvement program; and Maritime Administration
- Department of Homeland Security
 - End the National Flood Insurance program
 - **Contract out the Transportation Security Administration**
- Department of Labor

- **Eliminate the Office of Federal Compliance Program - Office monitors federal contractors from engaging in racial discrimination**
- Eliminate the trade adjustment assistance program - program is established to help American workers who lose jobs to foreign competitors
- Environmental Protection Administration
 - **Gut the department**
- Department of Commerce
 - Eliminate census bureau funding for the annual supplemental poverty measure report
 - Eliminate minority business development agency
 - Consider privatizing the Weather Service
- Department of Energy
 - **Draw down the strategic petroleum reserve**
 - Eliminate many office and programs
 - **Assist in the revocation of the executive order for global green energy mandates and industrial energy efficiencies**
- Office of Personnel Management
 - **Eliminate the multi-state plan program under the Affordable Care Act (ACA) of 2010 - this will jeopardize the ACA**
 - **Eliminate special congressional subsidies for health insurance - this will jeopardize the ACA**
- Social Security Administration
 - Eliminate non-vocational grids and person's ability to adjust to work from Social Security disability insurance determination
 - Test optional private disability insurance
 - **Privatize disability insurance payments**
- Department of Health and Human Services
 - **Sunset the Head Start Program**
 - Transfer low-income housing assistance to the states
 - Repeal patient-centered health care reform
 - **Cease the implementation of the Affordable Care Act.**

Expansion of "Additional" New Services to Specific Departments:

- Department of Energy
 - Increase all liquified natural gas exports
- Department of the Treasury
 - Financial crimes enforcement regulation should be subject to meaningful cost-benefit analysis
- Office of Management and Budget
 - Organize existing offices into Division of Evidence-Based Policy
- Securities and Exchange Commission
 - Create Complex Case Unit - to handle cases involving large, complex, and well-financed investment banks, banks, and investment companies

- National Security Council
 - **Hire team players**
- Social Security Administration
 - Establish a needs-based period for disability benefits
- Department of Homeland Security (DHS)
 - Empower the DHS security management policy and implementation
- Department of Health and Human Services
 - Implement a means test welfare reform effort
 - **Slow down the rate of spending in the Medicare program**
- Department of State
 - Correct all the inefficiencies and structural problems in the department and America's foreign assistance programs and treaties
- Department of the Interior
 - **Revoke the fracking regulations**
 - **Open oil exploration in the outer continental shelf**
 - **Review the legal status of the US territories to determine whether the association with the US should be continued**
- Department of Defense
 - Increase the size of the military

Balance the Federal Budget:

- **Cut taxes for the rich and the corporations**
- **Cut spending (entitlements)**
- **Restoring Economic Freedom**
 - **Reduce the Federal Reserve's discretion in monetary policy and implement a rules-based policy that moves the US toward a competitive monetary system**
 - **Repeal the Affordable Care Act**
 - **Medicare should transition to a defined-contribution, premium support model**
 - **Medicaid must be a "true safety net" - abled-bodied individuals should be converted to direct, defined contribution to facilitate participation in the private marketplace**
 - **Reform Social Security by benefits reduction, re-evaluation or both**
 - **Protection of Life and Conscience (anti-abortion stance)**
 - **Mandatory work requirements for abled-bodied adult food stamp recipients**

IS IT STILL MORNING OR IT IS THE SUNSET FOR AMERICA?

Lost of our democracy

Mass deportations

Broadening of the income inequality

A nationwide ban on abortion

A ultra-conservative Supreme Court for many generations

Further erosion of human rights like marriage equality

Further deaths and injuries from assault weapons and automatic guns

No effort to protect the earth's climate for our children and grandchildren

Isolationism over alliances for the promotion of world peace

