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WRWF ZOOM MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT October 2, 2020 at 12:30 PM

JUDY VAN HORN, 2020 WRWF PRESIDENT

Once again The Friendly Hills Country Club is closed because of COVID-19 concerns. On Friday, October 2nd we will again "meet" from the safety of our own computers at 12:30 pm.

Please check in early to avoid technical difficulties. The ZOOM meeting link is below.

OUR SPEAKER IS DR. BARBARA STONE

You don't want to miss this important meeting.

Our October 2nd, 2020 our zoom meeting will feature Barbara Stone, Ph.D. Political Science. Barbara is a well known and well informed speaker. She will review the Propositions on the November 3rd Ballot.

Barbara Stone is a retired Political Science Professor and Author who taught at Cal State Fullerton. She has a rich background of involvement in politics and civic affairs. We welcome her back to again share her knowledge and expertise about the political issues and proposed propositions on the local, state and national level.

Join us as Dr. Stone guides us through the morass of political-speak and clarifies the issues. We all need this knowledge and insight in order to make informed decisions.



Dr. Barbara Stone

Zoom information for the general meeting of Republican Women on October 2 at 12:30pm. Click on the link where it says "join zoom meeting"

Notice just below it there is the **Meeting ID and the password**

On your laptop or iPad you type in the ID number and type in the password when it asks you for it Virginia (Ginny) Ball is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

You are invited to come in any time between 12:00 and 12:30 PM and we will chat!

Topic: Republican Women General Meeting

Time: October 2, 2020 12:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Every month on the First Fri, until Jul 2, 2021

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Judy Van Horn, President

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

The outcome of the November 3rd Election will be the most significant in our lifetime. Were you aware that we need at least 218 Republicans to win House seats in November? The good news is our House Republicans only need 17 seats to take over the House Majority. These victories would take the gavel away from Nancy Pelosi and make Democrats the minority again.

The stakes are high, very high. Republicans can take back the House and help President Trump get our country back on track. We, the American people, are eager to move forward with bold projects, pro-security policies that protect our rights, strengthen our future and reject the socialism that is failing all over the world.

We believe in Law and Order. We cherish all law enforcement, firemen and all first responders.

Without the Rule of Law, there can be no country!

We want to give President Trump a Congress that will work with him instead of constantly attacking, investigating and voting to impeach him! As Republicans we believe in American sovereignty, strong families, free markets, controlled borders and the Constitution.

How can we accomplish these goals?

Get involved, recruit new members, share our beliefs and be informed voters!

RICHARD M. NIXON and CATHY VINATIERI SCHOLARSHIPS THE RESULTS ARE IN AND THE WINNERS ARE

HOT OFF THE PRESS! The competition for the Scholarships sponsored by WRWF, the Richard M. Nixon Scholarship and the Cathy Vinatieri Scholarship from Mayor Joe Vinatieri in honor of his mother, was fierce this year. Our Scholarship Committee evaluated all Applications, campus political involvement and Faculty References. All applications were anonymous and were scored using The Application Scoring Rubric. Here are excerpts from their responses when asked why they were interested in these scholarships.



The 2020 Cathy Vinatieri Scholarship was awarded to **Eric Dutra @ Whittier College**. "The Cathy Vinatieri Scholarship means the most to me.

I have heard she was a woman who would do anything for the city she loves. This is something I try to emulate every day. I love this city and will do whatever is necessary to maintain it. Whether it is helping on campaigns or sharing what is happening on Facebook. I try to be a spokesman for the City of Whittier. Being on a campus, it is even more important to love the city and promote it because the college has been

relatively inactive in the community. One of the things I am working on right now is building that connection between the college students and the community. I am doing this by working with our student government and local businesses to establish student discounts and then posting on social media and on campus. I think being a spokesman for the City is very valuable. I try not to think only the political side of being an advocate for Whittier, rather encompass everything that Whittier has to offer. I think this is something that Cathy Vinatieri emulated every day."



The 2020 Richard M. Nixon Scholarship was awarded to **Addison Barstad @ Biola University**. "I am honored to be a recipient of the Richard M. Nixon Scholarship. It is such a blessing to have a community that is invested in my education, especially a community that is founded on a conservative framework. This is so unique and extremely inspiring to see. I work throughout the semester at Biola (when it is open) and during the summer at various other jobs to pay for college, so every bit of help I can get is such a blessing. I can now

work on my studies with less of a worry about how I am going to make the next school payment. Thank you again and



again for all you do for students like me and the community in general!"

The 2020 Richard M. Nixon Scholarship was also awarded to **Rudy Torres @ Biola University**. "During my upcoming, I was raised by my mother and grandparents because my father had left my life when I was around two years old. But through it all, I knew I had to do good in school to make my way into college. Going into high school, I started to become more intrigued with politics because of the 2016 election. Because I did go to a public high school, many of the kids at my high school leaned to the left when I leaned to the right. So, debating in high school was a challenge being the minority in political views against my opponent. But that did not stop me from expressing my views on topics when the discussion came my way. I am interested in the Richard M. Nixon scholarship because it would help tremendously with schooling due to the virus affecting my family's income. I would like to thank the WRWF for awarding me this amazing scholarship!"

CONGRATULATIONS!

WRWF AND CFRW MEMBERSHIP CHALLENGE

Submitted by Judy Van Horn

**WELCOME NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERS ABOARD THE
TRUMP TRAIN!!**

"EACH ONE BRING ONE - 1 + 1" at our October meeting

Can we count on you?

The goal for CFRW (California Federated Republican Women) and WRWF is for each and every member to sign up at least one new member this year. This will double our WRWF membership and help grow CFRW as well. In fact, our clubs throughout California have brought in over 2500 new members so far this year! **WAY TO GROW CFRW!!!**

CFRW Goal: increase new membership to reach 100% over last year! This means we need 1000 more new members statewide to reach this goal. It is possible. **WE CAN DO IT!**

HOW CAN WRWF DO IT? Take a look at our Roster of Members and Associate Members. Use the personal touch, yes, telephone calls, to reach out and touch base with members you may not have heard from since COVID-19 drastically changed our social calendars.

Thank you to Laurie Dato for reaching out and making a difference in their lives and renewals are still coming in!

Sometimes just a phone call to see how each person is faring makes all the difference, as well as reminding them to renew their membership! Reach out to someone you really miss! I am sure you will be glad you did! Talk to like-minded friends and strangers! Stepping outside our comfort zones is just part of the "New Normal!"

Why is this so important? The Election of November 3, 2020 will be the most pivotal date in our lifetimes. Our GOAL is to ensure the reelection of President Trump, help the House Republicans gain 17 seats to take over the House Majority and promote and support the successful campaigns of our local candidates!

Only by engaging other like-minded citizens to vote can we help Make America Great Again and California RED again!

Comments by Judy Van Horn and Betty Scheidt, CFRW 2nd VP - Membership

DID YOU KNOW?

Submitted By Virginia (Ginny) Ball
Chair, Whittier Republican Woman of the Year

A big Thank You to Greg and Donna Nordbak. Once again, they engraved our Abe Lincoln statue for our 2020 Republican Woman of the Year and also made the beautiful picture plaque for our awardee. Shh it's a secret! They do not charge the Club for this work and we appreciate their donation every year!

We are excited to honor our new Woman of the Year and will do so during our General Meeting on September 11th at 12:30 pm via ZOOM!

Thank you Greg and Donna, you always go above and beyond!! We appreciate you!

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BALLOT PROPOSITIONS 2020 ANALYSIS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

By Dr. Barbara Stone



VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

Voting

Recommendations by
Barbara Stone

Hello All. Welcome to the 2020 Propositions. As always, we the people will be asked to decide matters great and small. Also as always, most of these come from a legislature and governor with little sense of what they are doing.

It makes life easy: when in doubt, vote NO.

I'm going to change my approach a bit. For those of you who only want YES/NO suggestions, I've listed them below. I am also attaching a WORD document with a greater explanation.

Finally, for those who live in Los Angeles County, please vote for JACKIE LACEY for District Attorney and vote NO on the charter amendment that would tie up millions of dollars in the foreseeable future with social programs of dubious value.

MY RECOMMENDATIONS

Proposition 14 NO
Proposition 15 NO
Proposition 16 NO
Proposition 17 NO
Proposition 18 NO
Proposition 19 NO
Proposition 20 YES
Proposition 21 NO
Proposition 22 YES
Proposition 23 NO
Proposition 24 NO
Proposition 25 NO

PROPOSITION 14 is a \$5.5 billion bond for research. It builds on an earlier \$3 billion bond for stem cell research; the new measure would use the same administrative structures but expand funding to mental health, therapy delivery, personalized medicine, and aging as a pathology. Most of the money goes to the University of California.

Recommendation: the state is broke and wildly in debt. These borrowed dollars do not seem to be an appropriate use of state funds. **NO**

PROPOSITION 15 produces a split roll on property taxes. Residential properties would remain protected by Proposition 13; commercial and industrial properties would be assessed for tax purposes at full market value. The change would produce a tax windfall for local governments.

Recommendation: This measure would make it even more expensive to operate a business in California. **NO**

PROPOSITION 16 reverses Proposition 209 and permits state and local governments to grant preferences based on race, ethnicity and gender in government employment, contracts, and admissions to public colleges.

Recommendation: This is almost funny, given the workarounds government has created to advance preferred groups. However, it would remove the last barriers to overt discrimination. **NO**

PROPOSITION 17 would allow parolees from state prison to vote. Currently, those paroled from county jails may vote, a distinction I suspect is based on the idea that the very worst offenders are in prison not jail.

Recommendation: I believe the right to vote should be reserved for those who have paid their debts to society. **NO**

PROPOSITION 18 would allow 17 year olds to register and vote in primary elections if they will be 18 at the time of the general election in November. The theory is that this will make high school students engage with candidates and issues.

Recommendation: Generally this is silly. While my grandchildren are well informed and involved (smile), most 17 year olds have many other things to do with their time. **NO**

PROPOSITION 19 modifies the existing property tax break for home owners 55 and older. Instead of being able to take your assessment rate with you once when purchasing a new home in the same county, you would be able to move up to three times anywhere in the state and not be penalized. To balance this, the measure limits the tax breaks on inherited property to the owner's primary residence. Most other inherited properties will be reassessed at full market value.

Recommendation: some of you may wish to consider voting for your personal benefit. I generally vote against special carve outs. **NO**

PROPOSITION 20 is the most important measure on the ballot. It begins to modify our insane laws that let everyone out of jail. Immediately! It redefines some thefts of items worth less than \$950 as felonies; currently all are misdemeanors and no one stays in jail for them. The measure also creates two new felonies, serial theft and organized retail theft. The measure also makes changes in parole law and expands the list of those who must give DNA samples.

Recommendation: this is a complicated measure. I firmly believe, however, that if we don't do something to reverse the trend in California, there will be no such thing as public safety. **YES**

PROPOSITION 21 expands the state's new rent control law permitting local government to apply it to more housing and including new tenants when they move in.

Recommendation: property owners have rights, and rent control does nothing to produce more affordable housing. **NO**

PROPOSITION 22 is an initiative that exempts Uber, Lyft, and other app-based contractors from the new state law seeking to reclassify those workers as employees. It's important enough that Biden, Harris, and Warren have all endorsed against it on behalf of their union allies.

Recommendation: **YES**

PROPOSITION 23 is the latest union attack on kidney dialysis clinics. It seeks to drive up staffing costs by requiring a physician to be on the premises whenever the clinic is open.

Recommendation: **NO**

PROPOSITION 24 creates a new state agency to enforce new stricter privacy laws. Currently the state Department of Justice enforces privacy laws.

Recommendation: just what we need, another state agency. **NO**

PROPOSITION 25 is a referendum on the new state law that abolishes cash bail. The law it is seeking to overturn eliminates bail, requires automatic release on most misdemeanors, and calls for the courts to provide supervision for those released pretrial.

Recommendation: the courts do not have the resources to keep track of those released. The law is just a huge get out of jail ticket for criminals.

Remember that to overturn the law, you vote **NO**.

PERSPECTIVE

Civil War on the Horizon?

We have been in a de facto civil war since Jan 2016. The Democrats are waging it. If Trump wins it will get worse. We may have to fight to preserve our freedom!

Dr. Jack Devere Minzey, born 6 October 1928, died 8 April 2018, was the Department Head of Education at Eastern Michigan University as well as a prolific author of numerous books, most of which were on the topic of Education and the Government role therein. (Editor's note) This was the last of his works:

Civil War: How do civil wars happen?

By Dr. Jack Devere Minzey

Two or more sides disagree on who runs the country. And they can't settle the question through elections because they don't even agree that elections are how you decide who's in charge. That's the basic issue here. Who decides who runs the country? When you hate each other but accept the election results, you have a country. When you stop accepting election results, you have a countdown to a civil war.

The Mueller investigation was about removing President Trump from office and overturning the results of an election. We all know that. But it's not the first time they've done this. The first time a Republican president was elected this century, they said he didn't really win. The Supreme Court gave him the election. There's a pattern here.

What do sure odds of the Democrats rejecting the next Republican president really mean? It means they don't accept the results of any election that they don't win. It means they don't believe that transfers of power in this country are determined by elections. That's a civil war.

There's no shooting. At least not unless you count the attempt to kill a bunch of Republicans at a charity baseball game practice. But the Democrats have rejected our system of government.

This isn't dissent. It's not disagreement. You can hate the other party. You can think they're the worst thing that ever happened to the country. But then you work harder to win the next election. When you consistently reject the results of elections that you don't win, what you want is a dictatorship.

Your very own dictatorship

The only legitimate exercise of power in this country, according to Democrats, is its own. Whenever Republicans exercise power, it's inherently illegitimate. The Democrats lost Congress. They lost the White House. So what did they do? They began trying to run the country through Federal judges and bureaucrats. Every time that a Federal judge issues an order saying that the President of the United States can't scratch his own back without his say so, that's the civil war.

Our system of government is based on the constitution, but that's not the system that runs this country. The Democrat's system is that any part of government that it runs gets total and unlimited power over the country.

If the Democrats are in the White House, then the president can do anything. And I mean anything. He can have his own amnesty for illegal aliens. He can fine you for not having health insurance. He can use the IRS as his own police force and imprison citizens who speak against him. He can provide guns and money (Fast and Furious) (Iran nuclear deal) to other

countries to support his own agenda, and watch while one of America's Ambassador's is dragged through the streets and murdered doing nothing to aid our citizens. His power is unlimited. He's a dictator. But when Republicans get into the White House, suddenly the President can't do anything. He isn't even allowed to undo the illegal alien amnesty that his predecessor illegally invented. A Democrat in the White House has 'discretion' to completely decide every aspect of immigration policy. A Republican doesn't even have the 'discretion' to reverse him. That's how the game is played. That's how our country is run. Sad but true, although the left hasn't yet won that particular fight.

When a Democrat is in the White House, states aren't even allowed to enforce immigration law. But when a Republican is in the White House, states can create their own immigration laws. Under Obama, a state wasn't allowed to go to the bathroom without asking permission. But under Trump, Jerry Brown can go around saying that California is an independent republic and sign treaties with other countries. The Constitution has something to say about that. Or the present California Governor giving illegal aliens money and expecting the Federal Gov't to bail them out! Whether it's Federal or State, Executive, Legislative or Judiciary, the left moves power around to run the country. If it controls an institution, then that institution is suddenly the supreme power in the land. This is what I call a moving dictatorship.

Donald Trump has caused the Shadow Government to come out of hiding: Professional government is a guild. Like medieval guilds. You can't serve in it if you're not a member. If you haven't been indoctrinated into its arcane rituals. If you aren't in the club. And Trump isn't in the club. He brought in a bunch of people who aren't in the club with him.

Now we're seeing what the pros do when amateurs try to walk in on them. They spy on them, they investigate them and they send them to jail. They use the tools of power to bring them down.

That's not a free country.

It's not a free country when FBI agents who support Hillary take out an 'insurance policy' against Trump winning the election. It's not a free country when Barrack Hussein Obama officials engage in massive unmasking of the opposition. It's not a free country when the media responds to the other guy winning by trying to ban the conservative media that supported him from social media. It's not a free country when all of the above collude together to overturn an election because the guy who wasn't supposed to win did.

Have no doubt, we're in a civil war between conservative volunteer government and a leftist socialist Democrat professional government.

Well now Pilgrims and Patriots, having read the above, I suggest two things: forward this very timely, very important analysis to those whom you believe think like you do (and those that don't) and make sure you vote on every Election day!

God Bless The United States of America!

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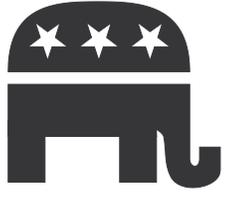
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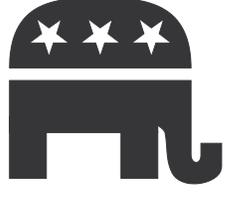
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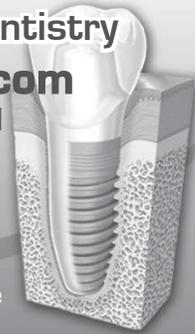
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REPUBLICAN WOMAN OF THE YEAR

Submitted by Virginia Ball

Every year since 1969, the Whittier Republican Women Federated Club selects a Woman of the Year. **The 2020 Republican Woman of the Year is Mary Dutra.**

Mary was born in Los Angeles, graduated from Bell High School, attended Cerritos College and Rio Hondo College and lives in Whittier with her husband, Whittier Councilman Fernando Dutra, and three children- Sara, Megan and Eric. Mary has a younger sister, Lisa, who also lives in Whittier.

Mary studied Business and Construction Management in college. Mary and Fernando own a Construction Development Company. Mary has been a Real Estate Agent since 2006. In her spare time, she loves camping with the family, going on cruises and traveling the world.

Mary will be presented by Virginia (Ginny) Ball, last year's Republican Woman of the Year, with an engraved plaque and a statue of Abraham Lincoln. The statue has been engraved with the names of all the previous Republican Women of the Year and this statue is passed on each year to each new honoree.

Mary joined the WRWF in 2013, when asked to attend a meeting by Selma Miner, a former Woman of the Year in 1975. Mary has been 3rd VP of Ways and Means for four years and served as President for two years. Mary also serves on the Board of Directors of the Whittier Historical Society/Museum.

During the presentation, former Republican Women of the Year will also be recognized. Attending will be: Nancy Krug, Sylvia Southerland, Laurie Dato, Brenda Jahn, and Carol Gardner. The first Republican Woman of the Year in 1969 was Cathy Vinatieri, mother of Whittier Mayor Joe Vinatieri.