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## Women's March Weekend!



**WomensMarchDFW Weekend of Action**  
**JANUARY 19 - 21, 2018**  
**Options to Participate:**

1. **Friday, Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> Womens March Happy Hours**  
 throughout DFW 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. - GOTV Rock the Vote
2. **Saturday, Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> Womens March Day of Action**  
 throughout DFW
  - Block Walks Phone Banks
  - Voter Registration - Various Sites
  - Post Card Outreach to Voters
  - Dallas Womens March 2018
3. **Sunday, Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> 2 - 6 p.m. Womens March DFW Rally**

**SAVE THE DATES**

#WomensMarchDFW

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**Women's March DFW** is hosting a Dallas Fort Worth area-wide *Weekend of Action* to encourage voter registration, education, energize and voter contact in celebration of the first anniversary of the Women's March on Washington, Dallas and the U.S.A. and World.

Join State Representative Victoria Neave (TX 107D), lead organizer of the Dallas Women's March 2018, Rhetta Bowers, Chair of the Dallas Women's March, Planned Parenthood, Dallas AFL-CIO, Texas Coalition of Black Democrats, and other partner organizations to commemorate the first anniversary of the historic Dallas Women's March, when Dallas joined cities across the country and the world to stand up for equality, justice, and inclusion

Women's March DFW is comprised of a group of progressive Dallas activists who participated in the January 21, 2017 Women's March in Washington DC as well as marches in Texas. Women's March DFW strives to promote and fight for women's rights as human rights and in support of civil rights and social justice including access to essential healthcare

Let's celebrate and keep the momentum going!

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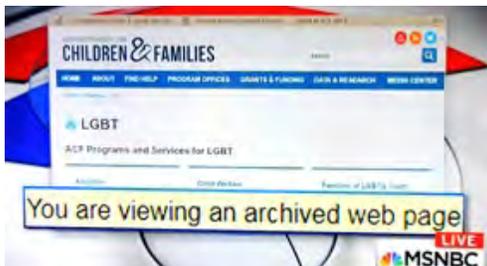
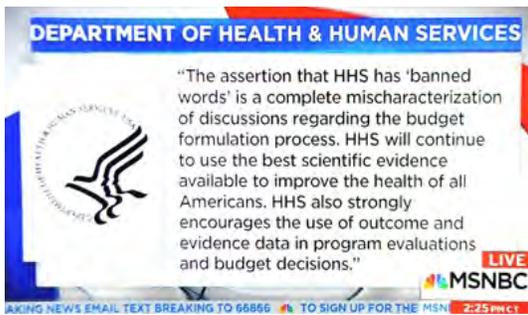
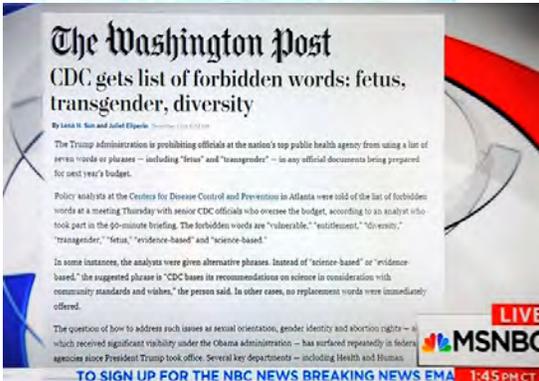
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## EDITORIAL

### A Rose by any other name ...

Romeo and Juliet Act II. Scene II

In the latest assault on freedom is the decision of the administration to ban seven words from usage in documents produced by the Center for Disease Control [CDC].



Zilina Maxwell, SiriusXM Progressive Program Director  
Kirsten Hagland, Conservative Commentator



Dr. Peter Small, Dir. Stony Brook Global Health Institute  
Dr. Kavita Patel, Former Obama Administration Advisor

Banned Words	Definition	7 Deadly Sins
vulnerable	endangered, exposed, open	greed
entitlement	right to guaranteed benefits under a government program	gluttony
diversity	inclusion of individuals representing more than one national origin, color, religion, socioeconomic stratum, sexual orientation, etc.	envy
transgender	referring more to gender identity and gender expression	lust
fetus	blastosphere	anger
evidence-based	seeking to find something	wrath
science-based	knowledge based on facts learned through experiments and observation	sloth

The third column was added to illustrate the seriousness of this censorship by the dTrumpster team.

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### 2018 Is Upon Us!

Our voices will not be silenced. There is much to be done. As the new year dawns, we are taking to the streets and bringing about a new era.

Thank you all for your continued great work and for your support for the **GARLAND DEMOCRATIC VOICE**.

A special thanks goes to our many writers and contributors, all of whom are volunteers sharing information and knowledge which benefits us all.

“Let there be peace on Earth,  
and let it begin with me ...”

Rachel Baker Ford, editor

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## ARTICLE

### We Will All Pay The Price

— Charles E. Ford, Jr.

Those who voted for Donald J. Trump and voted for Republican control of both houses of Congress will soon pay for their sins. Republicans prayed at the alter of two false Gods, the Rich and Corporations. Unfortunately, they will drag us with them to the land of misery. The Senate approved their version of the Tax bill and the House has approved their version. The two bills are being debated by a committee comprised entirely by Republicans to find a bill that will simultaneously pass both houses of congress. Both bills are a scam so no matter how they merge them into one the result will still be a scam.

Three extremely important issues relate to healthcare.

1. The Senate bill repeals the individual mandate in the Affordable Care Act that is also known as Obamacare. The loss of funding caused by the repeal of the mandate could cause more than 13 million people to lose their health insurance and raise premiums for everyone.
2. The House bill deletes the tax deduction for medical costs. The present threshold to deduct medical costs already bars many from deducting any of their medical expenses.
3. Medicare funding is scheduled to be cut by \$25 billion in 2018 and beyond because of PayGo. PayGo is a nickname for the Budget Enforcement Act of 1990 that requires spending cuts or revenue increases when a program costs exceed the income. PayGo has come and gone several times since it's inception. President Obama signed statutory PayGo into law in 2010.

Every time the Republicans cause someone to lose their insurance, cause the premium costs to rise, fail to curb the rising cost to see a doctor, go to a hospital, or to buy medication, someone will die because they don't get healthcare in time or don't get healthcare at all. Their death goes unnoticed because it's not an attention grabbing event like a mass shooting or tornado. But it is murder, slower than the gunshot but just as deadly as a small dose of poison over a long time. How do they explain their actions to their children and grandchildren? *"Guess how many Americans I killed today?"* They must be so proud!

The tax changes are important but they pale compared to the healthcare items in the bill. The whole bill is a mask for items that get no publicity like allowing parents to create a college fund for a fetus which would provide the foundation for a legal argument that the fetus is a person, abortion is murder, and some forms of contraception are illegal. Republicans have proven with their support for Roy Moore the candidate for the U.S. Senate from Alabama, they have no morals, don't care what Americans want or need, and lack the courage to face or support their constituents on tough issues. Many of the members of Congress are millionaires. In 2015, Rep. Greg Gianforte (MT-R) from Montana was the richest with \$315 million. Rep. Paul Ryan (WI-R) was second with \$254 million. When Congress gives the rich tax breaks, they line their own pockets too. They don't have the foggiest idea how most Americans live. They just remember Dad had to chop wood or pick up coal along the railroad to heat their log cabin!

Thank goodness we are giving Disney a tax break. They just acquired 21<sup>st</sup> Century Fox for a mere \$52.4 billion.

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## ARTICLE

### A Look into the Future or No Blood from a Turnip

— Charles E. Ford, Jr.

If you say Social Security to Paul Ryan, he will start to drool. Paul Ryan is one of many Republicans that pretend they want to get rid of Social Security. That is what they say but that is not what they mean. They want to take the money from the Social Security trust fund and the payroll tax and give it to their friends to invest in Wall Street stocks, bonds and investments you and I have never heard of or understand like derivatives. They want to privatize Social Security.

If you had a 401K or IRA account in 2008 and 2009, you probably watched about 30 percent of it evaporate in a matter of weeks. You saw how Privatized Social Security would work. Your IRA or 401K recovered to the 2008 value before the down turn in about five years. The money you lost, however is gone forever. The money you gained in the recovery period should be in addition to the 2008 value before the drop, not money to get you back to the 2008 value. Social Security checks didn't diminish. In fact they grew, slightly but at least they grew. The payroll taxes were still collected and the trust fund supplemented any payment shortfall so we didn't miss a dime.

The Social Security Trust fund has two parts: Old Age and Survivors Insurance (OASI) and Disability Insurance (DI). The OASI and DI trust funds combined have increased in value every year since 2012 and are predicted to remain positive through 2021. But, that is going to change. There was a dramatic increase in baby births when soldiers returned from WWII and the economy boomed. Baby Boomers started to retire in 2011 and collect Social Security and Medicare benefits. The Baby Boomers will continue to add to the retiree pool for about 20 years. People are living longer so they may be drawing benefits for 20 or 30 years. In addition, is a shrinking workforce. A few years ago there were three workers paying the payroll taxes supporting Social Security and Medicare for every retired person. This ratio is dropping rapidly to only two workers for each retiree. Simple math tells us that will not work without changing revenue or benefits.

The Congressional Budget Office (CBO) calls for a **benefit reduction of 27 percent in 2018** to current and future beneficiaries. The Cost of Living increase will be eliminated and the percent reduction will increase gradually to 31 percent in 2030. The benefit reduction is needed to meet the Social Security requirement to be self supporting based on a 75 year projection. There is no doubt additional funding will be required much sooner than that. The 75 year requirement like someone standing next to my crib 76 years ago trying to predict conditions in 2016.

Now that Congress has taken care of the needy billionaires and poor corporations in their tax cut/reform bill it is no secret they will shed fake tears over the deficit and national debt. Where can they get the money to satisfy their obligations such as running the government, funding the military, Social Security, and Medicare, and the other minor items in the Federal Budget like paying the interest on the debt?

They will claim they have no choice but to **CUT** Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid benefits. **WRONG**, don't let them get away with that argument. It is not law yet but both the Senate and the House have passed HR1 the tax cut/reform bill cutting corporate taxes almost in half and lowering taxes on the rich multiple ways. They could start by ditching HR1 before it goes to Trump. <https://www.ssa.gov/oact/TR/2017/tr2017.pdf> <https://www.cbo.gov/publication/53245>

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## ARTICLE

### The Net Neutered!

— Charles E. Ford, Jr.

On December 14, 2017, the FCC voted to repeal Net Neutrality. On December 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> you didn't see any change in the internet content or performance. You won't. The change will be like getting old. It happens at a slow but even pace. One day you notice the hair the barber clipped off is white and you think that must have been struck in the apron or the barber's comb. Sooner or later you have to face the facts. Your shadow may still look young, if you don't turn sideways, but the mirror tells another story.

Walmart, Amazon, or Google websites will respond like they always have and probably get faster and crowd other websites off the first ten pages of the search results. But when you try to find the website where you bought that coat or toy for your nephew last year it will be considerably harder. You have DirecTV but you want to watch a *Netflix* movie. DirecTV will be happy to accommodate you, but come back in three hours when it will be finished downloading. You could watch that same movie on DirecTV's On Demand and you can watch the movie without interruption because the movie will download faster than the movie plays.

Do I have any proof the large Internet Service Providers (ISPs) will do this? No. But, like many of you, I remember when you could buy a ticket to fly from one airport to another and your biggest concern was turbulence. Now fliers must deal with parking or transportation fees, carry on luggage fees, and fees for over weight luggage. The on board airline-meal is gone; even the peanuts are gone except for the bag with five peanuts. You can get a pillow or blanket but only after you hand the attendant a credit card. The airlines watch each other. If one airline charges a fee without a backlash from customers the other airlines follow suit. ISPs will proceed the same way.

If the FCC ruling isn't reversed, Comcast, ATT, Verizon, Charter Communications and others will gradually experiment with charges to access particular websites in addition to the present cost. They will vary quality for competitors and offer travelers access to specific websites like CNN that are star performers for a slight extra charge instead of providing it as part of a package deal. They already do these things to some extent, with standard packages and premium chanel for an additional monthly fee. They claim net neutrality stifles their creativity and advanced technology.

Hogwash, they do research and improve their technology to increase the size of their customer pool, to justify price increases, and to steal market share from their competitors.

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## ROCKWALL COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY

### 2018: A Record Election Year for Texas Democrats

Democratic candidates have filed for Congress and for the Texas House and Texas Senate for the 2018 election in record numbers. Texas Democrats have recruited the highest number of candidates since at least 1992, fielding 110 congressional candidates covering 100 percent of the 36 districts in the state, 89 percent of the seats in the Texas House, and 88 percent in the Texas Senate. Every top of the ticket race from Governor to State Supreme Court Justice has a Democrat on the ballot. Republicans have already ceded two State Board Of Education Districts in the race for State Board of Education while Democratic candidates have filed. There are exciting top of the ticket races that bear watching in the Democratic Primary.

In Rockwall County the Democratic Party with the help of Indivisible Rockwall has fielded 4 Democrats for the first time since 1990. Let that sink in!

**Cory Carlyle** is running for Place 11 on the 5<sup>th</sup> District Court of Appeals. Cory is an accomplished, experience litigator who has practiced in Washington D.C., Dallas and Rockwall. He and his wife and children are residents of the City of Rockwall.

**Nina Richards** is running for Rockwall County Judge. Richards is a practicing paralegal with years of experience in community development and management and is ready to bring fresh ideas and integrity to the position of the County Judge.

**Ericka Ledferd** is committed to serving as County Commissioner in Precinct 4. Ledferd exemplifies the idea of the American Dream. She immigrated to the U.S. from Buenos Aires, Argentina at age 17 and became a naturalized citizen. After attaining numerous advanced education degrees Ericka has devoted her life to public education. Ericka and her husband and children are residents of Royse City where she has taught for the past 11 years.

**Karan Sproul**, candidate for District Clerk, believes her 20 plus years in management and community service has prepared her for District Clerk. Karan and husband David Sproul moved to Rockwall in the early 80's and later moved to Puerto Rico in the late 1980's, when their children's bilingual school closed they helped found, raise funds and build a new school with other parents in the community. They returned to Rockwall in the mid 1990's.

Texas Democrats have fielded candidates who can get the job done while bringing back dignity and respect to congress and our state and county offices. Texas voters can judge candidates by their abilities and by the content of their character and not the party initial behind their name.

The cleansing blue wave rolling through the South will arrive in Texas. The Texas Democratic Party leaders, candidates and activists are ready to ride the wave and will cede nothing! We will cede nothing until our county and our state officials return to the values of decency, justice and inclusion.

Our candidates are counting on each of us for a commitment of time and talent. Volunteer today!

This is what American Democracy looks like!

Judith Matherne, County Chair  
Rockwall County Democratic Party



## GARLAND DEMOCRATIC VOICE DALLAS COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY CHAIR

### Turn the Alabama Tide into the Texas Wave

The other night, Alabama elected their first Democratic Senator in a quarter of a century. It wasn't an accident. Democrats are competing effectively all over the country, and we in Dallas County are primed to do the same thing. But we need effective, experienced leadership at the helm to make sure we take advantage of this historic opportunity!

2018 looks like a great year for Democrats. Not just the polls, but the results in Alabama, Virginia, New Jersey, Oklahoma, and many other local and special elections this year are very promising.

Dallas County, we are on fire with a historic ballot featuring Democratic candidates running in every single race, including every Congressional District, County and State District Judges, Court of Appeals, every State House District and Senate district, all the way down to Constables and Justices of the Peace. We also have two candidates for Governor who are Dallas County residents.

A total of 219 candidates filed for the March 6, 2018 Democratic Primary ballot in Dallas County. Of these, 156 filed here in Dallas, and another 63 filed in Austin because they are running statewide or in districts which cross county lines. These huge numbers are all unprecedented, and include many candidates in districts where Democrats have often not run at all for years.

Candidates filed for 115 offices, with 59 having no primary opponent, while there are 56 races with two or more candidates. There are 160 people running for those 56 contested offices, with some races having as many as 10 candidates. Remember that in Texas if no one gets a majority in the primary, there will be a runoff between the top two finishers on May 22, 2018

In the last two years, we have won more elections, raised more money, and increased our outreach to higher levels than ever.

Ride the Blue Wave! Volunteer today. Our candidates need our help. Learn how you can get more involved by visiting [www.dallasdemocrats.org](http://www.dallasdemocrats.org) !

- 1) Make a Donation
- 2) Make Calls to Voters
- 3) Talk to Voters Door-to-Door
- 4) Order a Yard Sign

Yours Democratically,  
Carol Donovan  
Dallas County Democratic Party, Chair



### “We, the People”

Re: Op-ed “The National Debt Hot Potato” by Jonah Goldberg 12/10/2017, Goldberg writes “...conservatives believe that the people themselves are better at spending their money than the government is.” This might be a popular meme among a faction of the body politic, but it does not reflect how our society is organized.

The Constitution begins with: “We, the People” lists the goals of our national mission statement and then ends with “do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.” That founding document reflected the belief in the social contract as the most authoritative form of government among equals. The Revolution started out as a war to free ourselves of foreign domination, but, in the process of the fighting, a sense of equality — a classlessness...of democracy — was born.

We entered the war with a fight for the right of the state legislatures to govern and came out of it convinced that in America the people must rule!

And this is how all previous “conservatives” believed until the 1970s, at which time, the idea of our government being a social contract was displaced by the pernicious concept that the agencies of government were independent of and antagonistic to the goals and values of the people. And so, today’s conservatives tell us that the government is not “the people” wearing different hats but “the beast” dead set on subverting our happiness. If we are divided, it is because conservatives have set us against each other to gain political power.

But liberals believe, as conservatives used to, that “We, the People” own the government...that it is our country...that we are the employers of the personnel who maintain the various agencies created by the Constitution...that they answer to us.

We believe that every dollar in the Treasury, owed to it or by it, is our money! It’s just in a different pocket, in the same way that the family owns the family wealth whether in the bank or in someone’s pocketbook.

[Edited] Stephen L. Love Facebook 12/17/17

### Lupe Valdez for Texas Governor!

*El que no sirve a la gente, no sirve para nada*

There are many reasons to support Lupe Valdez for Texas Governor. In reading the DMN’s story this morning, I am particularly drawn to her statement:

“*El que no sirve a la gente, no sirve para nada.* [If you’re not serving people, you’re not worth anything.]”!

It is very true — our incumbent Governor has long since ceased to serve the people of Texas — it is more than time for a woman to show him what serving the people of Texas looks like — LUPE VALDEZ!!

*Katherine Savers McGovern Facebook 12/7/17*

### Re: Trump’s Regulation a 1<sup>st</sup> Amendment Violation?

I reject the concept that the imposition of a business’ “religious beliefs” provide a legal, Constitutional basis for discrimination in health insurance benefits coverage to deny contraceptive and relative reproductive medical coverage. Instead, this Trump Regulation is intended to violate the First Amendment, as well as numerous employment laws, by allowing, through government fiat, the imposition of an employer’s religious beliefs on his/her employees. A job’s health insurance coverage benefits should not discriminate against women’s reproductive choices based upon religion.

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“In a 44-page opinion, U.S. District Judge Wendy Beetlestone in Philadelphia sided with the plaintiff, the state of Pennsylvania, which argued that the rule was harmful to working women and would force the state to shoulder the costs of their birth control and unplanned pregnancies. “The Commonwealth’s concern is . . . women will either forgo contraception entirely or choose cheaper but less effective methods — individual choices which will result in an increase in unintended pregnancies,” Beetlestone wrote, calling the potential harm to women there and nationwide “enormous and irreversible.” She detailed how the rule could play out. “It would allow an employer with a sincerely held moral conviction that women do not have a place in the workplace to simply stop providing contraceptive coverage,” she wrote. “It is difficult to comprehend a rule that does more to undermine the Contraceptive Mandate or that intrudes more into the lives of women.”

[KSM: I was commenting on and quoting from the *Washington Post*’s story about the District Judge’s temporary order. The *Opinion* was issued on 12/15/17. The WAPO report on the *Opinion* was 12/16/17. [www.washingtonpost.com](http://www.washingtonpost.com)]

— *Katherine Savers McGovern Facebook 12/16/17*

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People at a pro-net neutrality rally in Los Angeles.

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