## STATE REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NEWS

Three Resolutions were adopted by the State Republican Executive Committee during their December 13-14, 2019 quarterly meeting:

- 1. Resolution for Protection of the Alamo
- 2. Resolution Supporting Our President, and
- 3. Resolution on Sex Transition Treatment on Minor Children

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## **Resolution for Protection of the Alamo**

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 1663, authored by SD4 Senator Brandon Creighton, passed the Texas Senate in a 19-12 vote of the Texas 86th Legislature; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the effort of our State Republican House Caucus to pass the House version of Senate Bill 1663; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 1663 was killed in committee despite the overwhelming passage within the Senate; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Republican Party of Texas decries efforts by those desiring to "Reimagine the Alamo"; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Republican Party of Texas send a strong message to our Texas leaders as well as the City of San Antonio concerning the movement of the Alamo Cenotaph: our beloved Alamo Cenotaph should "Not Be Moved, Not One Inch!"; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Culture, Recreation, and Tourism Committee and to the office of Land Commissioner George P. Bush, Daughters of the Republic of Texas, and to all members of the Texas Legislature.

Passed Unanimously

## **Resolution Supporting Our President**

WHEREAS, President Donald Trump was elected in November of 2016; and

WHEREAS, since then almost four million jobs have been created in the US economy; and

WHEREAS, economic growth has continued throughout the Trump administration; and

WHEREAS, new unemployment claims recently hit a 49-year low; and

WHEREAS, median household income has hit the highest level ever recorded; and

WHEREAS, African-American unemployment has recently achieved the lowest rate ever recorded; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic-American unemployment is at the lowest rate ever recorded; and

WHEREAS, Asian-American unemployment recently achieved the lowest rate ever recorded; and

WHEREAS, women's unemployment recently reached the lowest rate in 65 years; and

WHEREAS, youth unemployment has recently hit the lowest rate in nearly half a century; and

WHEREAS, the lowest unemployment rate ever recorded for Americans without a high school diploma was achieved; and

WHEREAS, over 3.5 million Americans have been lifted off food stamps since the 2016 election; and

WHEREAS, President Trump signed the biggest package of tax cuts and reforms in U.S. history, resulting in over \$300 billion pouring back into the U.S. economy in the first quarter of 2018 alone; and

WHEREAS, the Administration opened the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) to drilling and approved the Keystone XL and Dakota Access Pipelines; and

WHEREAS, a record number of federal regulations have been abolished entirely; and

WHEREAS, the United States withdrew from the job-killing Paris Climate Accord; and

WHEREAS, the Administration cancelled the illegal, anti-energy, so-called Clean Power Plan; and

WHEREAS, Supreme Court Justices Neil Gorsuch and Judge Brett Kavanaugh have been confirmed, along with more circuit court judges than by any other new administration; and

WHEREAS, President Trump passed massive Criminal Justice Reform with the First Step Act; and

WHEREAS, the United States withdrew from the horrible, one-sided Iran Deal; and

WHEREAS, the United States reached a breakthrough agreement with the E.U. to increase U.S. exports; and

WHEREAS, the United States imposed tariffs on foreign steel and aluminum to protect our national security and American jobs; and

WHEREAS, the United States imposed tariffs on China in response to China's forced technology transfer, intellectual property theft, and their chronically abusive trade practices; and

WHEREAS, better trade deals have been negotiated with many countries, most recently China; and

WHEREAS, the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA) has been negotiated to replace the flawed North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) and is awaiting approval in Congress; and

WHEREAS, the United States dollar is the strongest currency in the world; and

WHEREAS, the American stock markets continue to reach record levels; and

WHEREAS, the United States has begun building a border wall; and

WHEREAS, these accomplishments have been done in spite of sheer obstruction and even false and unproven charges being levied against our President during so-called impeachment proceedings by the progressive liberals of the Democrat party, and

WHEREAS, the White House celebrates Christmas openly and with stunning decorations; and

WHEREAS, the United States finally moved our U.S. Embassy to Jerusalem; and

WHEREAS, America is Great Again, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Republican Party of Texas is proud of President Donald J. Trump and First Lady Melania Trump; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Republican Party of Texas thanks President Trump for his long list of significant achievements while in office; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Republican Party of Texas condemns the actions of the progressive liberals in Congress to overturn President Trump's election through bogus impeachment proceedings; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Republican Executive Committee Members of the Republican Party of Texas fully support President Trump; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to all legislative elected officials in Texas and posted on the Republican Party of Texas website, and that an archival quality copy be sent to President Trump and to all State Republican Parties and the Republican National Committee.

Passed Unanimously

## Resolution on Sex Transition Treatment on Minor Children

WHEREAS, recently in the state of Texas children as young as three (3) years old are being transitioned from their biological sex to the opposite sex; and

WHEREAS, chemical castration, puberty blockers, and cross-sex hormones used in transitioning are off-label and can cause irreversible sterilization; and

WHEREAS, surgery may be performed in the process of transitioning that removes healthy body tissue and mutilates genitalia; and

WHEREAS, in 85-95% of cases, confusion regarding biological sex resolves by late adolescence and early adulthood; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Republican Party of Texas affirms that puberty blockers, cross-sex hormones, and surgery to remove healthy body parts and mutilate genitalia for the purpose of sex transition should be banned on all minor children in the state of Texas.

Passed with 2 abstentions