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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Ladies and Gentlemen, we are back in the saddle! Our first IRL (In Real Life) meeting of the Carson City Republican Women Tuesday, August 18th Fandango. Congressman Mark Amodei will be our speaker. We couldn't have him at a better time, because we need to hear what he has to say about what has happened to our state while he was fighting for Nevada and our Republican principles in Washington D.C.

our traditional time, this will be our meeting time.



It might sound like a Board of Directors meeting would be pretty dry, but after being self-quarantined for 2 months and everything else being shut down since March, our board was ready to jump at the chance to see each other when we were finally allowed to meet at Glen Eagles in July. Because of the current COVID situation with restaurants, our meeting was moved to 4 p.m. Everyone seemed to like it, and a few of us stayed for dinner afterward. I think I like it better, actually, but until we have the option to move back to

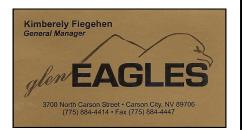
I can only imagine what Nevada is going to look like by the time this newsletter is on your screen. As of now, we're looking at a second special session. In spite of all the uncertainty we've all faced over the last five months, I want to give credit where credit is due: our GOP caucuses, and especially my husband Senator James Settelmeyer, the Senate Minority

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### **CCRW AUGUST LUNCHEON**



TUESDAY, August 18, 2020 **CASINO FANDANGO** 



11:00AM - 1:30pm \$25/PERSON—CASH/CHECK ACCEPTABLE

SPEAKER: CONGRESSMAN MARK AMODEI

**RSVP MANDATORY BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 14** WE ARE LIMITED TO THE FIRST 50 RESERVATIONS

You will be held responsible for payment if you do not cancel your reservation within 24 hours prior to the meeting.

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**Pres. Message cont.** Leader. With the GOP being in the Super Minority in the assembly, the Democrats railroaded whatever they wished through that house. Our Senate minority leader worked behind the scene to make the Nevada senate stand together in a way we haven't seen since Raggio. He worked his magic quietly, and in spite of the controversy the media heaped upon the public to demoralize Republicans, the GOP landed gracefully upon its feet. We desperately needed some good news, and the Senate GOP delivered.

If you're as excited to get out and join your fellow Republicans as I am, please RSVP for our luncheon meeting on the 18th ASAP, as we are limited to 50 attendees. Masks are still mandatory, and we will have to stop taking reservations right at the 50th respondent. I know it's a pain in the neck, but being able to get out and quasi-resume life as we knew it is an opportunity we should not mishandle.

I really look forward to seeing you on the 18th!

Sherese Settelmeyer, CCRW PRESIDENT

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### **MEMBERSHIP**

### **Membership Chair & 2nd VP Joann Mathis**

We are still planning our events but everything is tentative as the rules change. We are hoping to have a general membership meeting at Casino Fandango in August, but please pencil that in due to ongoing changes.



Our membership has been very supportive in keeping their dues current and volunteering at CCRP headquarters. This is very much appreciated by Marti. Volunteers are always needed as the CCRP office is open six days a week. They have a great assortment of Trump items and the bonus is the enthusiasm people have who come into the office. I enjoy volunteering there!

The August 2020 issue of National Geographic has a good article on the Women's Suffrage movement entitled "The Fight to be Heard". We will celebrate this 100-year Anniversary a year late next April (keep your fingers and toes crossed)!

The National Federation of Republican Women has a featured article in their online newsletter on Women's Suffrage. Did you know the Republican Party was the first major party to advocate equal rights for women and the principle of equal pay for equal work?

Stay well everyone and I hope to see you in August!

### Nevada voters are being misled.

Nevada Secretary of State Barbara Cegavske has made it abundantly clear, since the beginning, that the all mail-in ballots were to be used for the Primary Election only. In Nevada, absentee ballots have always been available; one simply requests that a ballot be sent to one's home.

At the time the decision was made to do a mail-in Primary, little was known about the Covid-19 virus. All voting locations were going to be closed, as the overwhelming majority of volunteer poll workers were concerned and did not wish to assist. These and other factors led all 17 counties to request all mail-in ballots for the Primary Election.

Barbara Cegavske has sworn to keep her promise of in-person voting at polling locations for the General Election. The Secretary of State's office has had a lawsuit filed by the Nevada Democrat Party. They want mail-in ballots, ballot harvesting, and they do not want stringent verification of signatures.

Please call the Governor's office at (775) 684-5670, and your legislators at (775) 684-6800. Email them, and call their personal numbers listed on the legislative website. More importantly, call and email your county commissioners, and your county registrars and clerks. Let them know, that under no circumstances, are we to have an all mail-in ballot for the General Election.

Secretary of State Cegavske is standing strong on her promise to not have a mail-in General Election, but she needs our help.

Please, help Barbara Cegavske save our election.



We stand in line at Target, Walmart, Lowe's etc. We can stand in line in November. Say NO to mail in voting. Make this go viral









## Barr's Testimony May Have Revealed Another Obama-Biden Scandal

By Margot Cleveland JULY 29, 2020

Yesterday, Attorney General William Barr testified before the House Judiciary Committee on a wide range of topics spanning from the violent riots in Portland to the Supreme Court's illegal immigrants decision. However, beyond the fact that Democrat members of the House Judiciary Committee had rehearsed pushing the "I reclaim my time" parliamentary mute button, Americans learned scant new information from Barr's Tuesday testimony.

The rare exception came during an exchange with the ranking Republican on the committee, Jim Jordan, when Barr told the Ohio Republican he had tasked U.S. Attorney John Bash of Texas with investigating the high number of unmasking requests that took place during the Obama administration.

Jordan, who along with Republican Devin Nunes has long pushed for answers to the SpyGate scandal, queried the attorney general about the unmasking of Michael Flynn by some 39 officials in the Obama administration from November 8, 2016 to January 31, 2017. Former Acting Director of National Intelligence Ric Grenell made public the names of those officials two months ago when he declassified a memorandum identifying them. That list <u>included</u> "former Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) director John Brennan, former DNI James Clapper, former White House Chief of Staff Denis McDonough, and former Vice President Joe Biden."

Would 39 separate individuals seeking to unmask the identity of Flynn between Trump's election and the end of January be a "normal number?" Jordan asked. "Historically, that seems to be a high number," Barr noted, adding "the other question you have to ask is why was this after the election."

Jordan continued by noting that of those 39 Obama officials, seven people at the Treasury Department unmasked Flynn's name. Is this an issue Durham is looking into, the ranking member asked, referring to Connecticut U.S. Attorney John Durham, whom Barr has tasked with investigating the targeting of the Trump campaign.

"I asked another U.S. attorney to look into the issue of unmasking because of the high number of unmaskings and some that do not readily appear to have been in the line of normal business," Barr replied, identifying Texas-based U.S. Attorney John Bash as leading that probe.

While in late May Justice Department spokesperson Kerri Kupec had revealed during an interview with Fox News's Sean Hannity that Barr had assigned Bash the job of investigating the unmasking, Barr's testimony added an interesting new texture to that prior announcement. Given Grennell's declassification of the list of Flynn's unmaskers from November 8, 2016 to January 31, 2017, one might have reasonably assumed any investigation would be limited to the propriety of those unmasking requests.

But when Jordan asked for clarification that Bash was investigating the unmasking requests during the presidential transition period, Barr responded that the Texas U.S. attorney's investigation was "actually" focused on "a much longer period of time."

This response, coupled with Barr's comment that some of the requests "do not readily appear to have been in the line of normal business," suggests the possibility of another brewing Obama-Biden scandal—separate and apart from SpyGate. Barr's comment seems also to confirm Jordan's concern that several individuals in the Treasury Department sought to unmask Flynn.

"For what possible reason could the Treasury Department need to unmask Flynn?" Jordan left unsaid. Likewise, the extensive unmasking by Obama United Nations Ambassador Samantha Powers, or those working for her, suggests the Obama administration cared little for the civil liberties of those whose conversations were innocently caught in the surveillance of foreign targets.

Of course, unmasking is not inherently improper. Government officials may need to know the identity of a U.S. citizen who is speaking with a foreign target to assess the intercepted information. And high-level officials needing that information for legitimate purposes may request the names that go with the "U.S. Person #1" used in the transcripts.

But Barr's comments indicate there were many situations where there did not appear to be a legitimate purpose for the unmasking, and that this problem pre-dated Trump's election, leaving one to wonder if unmasking served as another mechanism for spying on the Trump campaign. In addition, that Barr assigned the unmasking investigation to Bash, and not Durham or Missouri-based U.S. Attorney Jeff Jensen, who oversaw the investigation into the prosecution of Flynn, suggests the problem is big enough to require the involvement of another U.S. attorney's office.

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### **CARING FOR AMERICA**

### Carolee Berglan, Chair 841-1732

Are we having fun yet? I've asked this many times in my life-but it has a whole new meaning in 2020. I hope all of you are staying happy, healthy and wearing a mask.

<u>CASA</u> (Court Appointed Special Advocate) works hard to help the children who are neglected or abused in these troubling times. Thanks to Gale Harris, CASA will be receiving an adorable roll-type suitcase and a sturdy silver backpack. Thank you, Gale, for your on-going concern for those less fortunate.

Advocates To End Domestic Violence, in July, were the lucky recipients of clothing, books, DVD's, household items, decorator items and food items from Suzie Weissman. Thank you so much, Suzie! CCRW is a caring group of wonderful women. Bless each and every one of you.

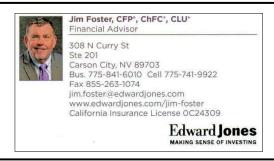
The Northern Nevada Dream Center needs donations of gently used clothing for women, men and children and non-perishable food items for their food pantry. The Center does an outstanding job of providing meals and food items to as many as they can. They do an amazing job to help our community. They will be receiving a July donation of \$60.00. They continue to appreciate our help and every little bit helps.

<u>Paws Up For Veterans</u> will be receiving a check for \$60.00 also. Ann and Bob work very hard to help our military veterans by providing a trained "forever friend" to help them to adjust living as independently as they can. We thank these men and women who have willingly and proudly served their country. Thank you, too, Ann and Bob. Keep up the good work!

**"Kindness Thursdays"** is on "down time" as the Senior Center dining room is closed for now. When it does open, our Kindness Team will be back on Thursdays to help as needed in the lunchroom. We have TWO new volunteers!! We WELCOME Pat Wentworth and Mike Gutter to our team. We work in teams of two on each Thursday. They join Kim Angelo, Kaye Keeton, Taunya Milligan, Joy Trushenski and myself. Thank you ladies SO much!!

In August, please follow the Covid guidelines - we need all of you on November 3rd! Remember this quotable by Abraham Lincoln: "America will never be destroyed from the outside. If we falter and lose our freedoms, it will be because we destroyed ourselves". GOD BLESS AMERICA!







Barr testimony Cont. from Page 3 That the DOJ's spokesperson, and now Barr, are discussing this separate investigation publicly may also indicate the probe is winding down, because news broke of the Jensen appointment not too long before Jensen began handing exculpatory evidence to Flynn's attorney. But while answers on whether the Obama administration abused the unmasking protocols will prove gratifying, what the publicly desperately needs is a conclusion of the Durham investigation—followed by a chance for Barr to be heard, and not just seen.

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### Nevada Trivia

Which Nevada community is located near the geographic center of the state?



# **Carson City Republican Women**

### **Membership Application 2020**

Regular Member(\$40)	Associate Members(\$20)*	Student Members(\$15)	
*Associate Member: A man registered	d as a Republican or women who are	members of another NFRW club.	
Please make chec	cks payable to: Carson City Repub	lican Women	
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Name:	Birthday (MM/DD)		
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CCRW Satellite meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month at the home of Candy Baker, 938 Buzzy Ranch Rd., Carson City @ 7:00PM.

Discussions revolve around *The Study of the 5000 Year Leap*. It is open to all, including husbands & guests. Contact Janice for further information.

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### **Upcoming Events**

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August 4	CCRW BOD meeting @ Glenn Eagles
August 18	CCRW Luncheon @ Casino Fandango
Sept. 1	CCRW BOD Meeting @ Glenn Eagles
Sept. 7	Labor Day
Sept. 13	Grandparents Day
Sept. 15	<b>CCRW Celebration of Women's Suffrage</b>
Sept. 18	Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown
Sept. 22	Republican Party Freedom Fest
Sept. 22	Fall begins
Sept. 27	Yom Kippur begins at sundown
Oct. 6	CCRW BOD meeting @ Glen Eagles
Oct. 12	Columbus Day
Oct. 20	CCRW Luncheon @ Casino Fandango
Oct. 31	Halloween

### **Trivia Answer**

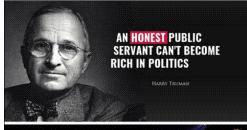
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WHERE: Casino Fandango
WHEN: 6:30pm—Social time
7:00pm—Meeting

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

<u>AUGUST BIRTHDAYS</u>	
<b>MEMBERS</b>	
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Denise Cass	
Terry Yosi	
Kimberly Adams	
Ann Cox	7
Elayne Logue	7
Jan French	10
Katie Wood	11
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