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"Hello" From the Chair



We are now entering 'Door Knocking Season'

It is time to get out there and start helping candidates by offering to door knock for them. I know it isn't what you want to hear, but maybe you can think of it this way:

- It's a good way to get your exercise and get the word out about your favorite candidate at the same time
- You get to enjoy the fresh air and meeting people
- You are doing the Lord's work and helping to ensure the right people get elected
- You help to encourage the candidate to get out there too

Remember that every candidate has thousands of doors to knock and from May to Aug (3 months to get it done for the primary) Then they have to start over again and they have from Aug. to Nov. (3 more months before the general election)

Even though I had been out there knocking doors for candidates and petition drives for years in 1986 I started door knocking for my own campaign for the first time. I was by myself and it was a warm day, the birds were chirping, the bugs buzzing and no one was out and about. I felt like I was in a science fiction movie going door to door looking for at least one person who said they would vote for me. Instead I kept hearing comments like, 'What is a nice Republican lady like you doing in this Democratic neighborhood?'

Just think about that and how hard it is for candidates to do this all by themselves. Please help them get out there because it is the most important thing that they can do to get elected and your help is very important in accomplishing this part of the campaign. Remember no candidate can get elected without help!

Have a Grand and Glorious Day and God bless.
Your friend and neighbor

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WHAT SAY YOU

The most important things a candidate must do to win is:

- Use what money you have for mailers and door to door literature, signs only if you have enough money for mailers and door to door pieces
- Start walking door to door as soon as the weather permits and don't stop until election day
- Walk to a walking list of known voters
- Make sure you have a piece of literature to hand out at the doors.
- You don't need business cards, bumper stickers, t-shirts, or door knocker lit, etc.

Experiments show that this is the best way to win campaigns. But is anyone actually doing it?

<https://bit.ly/2pWWREb>

The three ways of winning any local election

<https://bit.ly/2GNdYmw>

First they came for the Socialists, and I did not speak out — because I was not a Socialist.

Then they came for the Trade Unionists, and I did not speak out — because I was not a Trade Unionist.

Then they came for the Jews, and I did not speak out — because I was not a Jew.

Then they came for ME and there was **NO ONE LEFT** to speak for me.

— PASTOR MARTIN NIEMÖLLER

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Sandy Pensler

Candidate Running Against Debbie Stabenow

Several people have asked me for information regarding Sandy Pensler.

See website with Sandy Pensler info:
<https://bit.ly/2GHVWSn>

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About Pete Lund

Pete Lund is another Certified Taxfighter. He has fought high taxes and frivolous spending for over 30 years. First as a County Commissioner, then as a State Rep. He is now the MI State Director of American's for Prosperity and travels all over the U.S. fighting unfair and frivolous taxes.

Keep up the good work Pete and thanks so much for all that you do. God bless you!

Philis' Pearls of Wisdom

**"If you don't give elected servants consequences for their actions
You will get consequences for your inactions"**

Questionnaire

- Have you ever volunteered to help a candidate or donate money to their campaign?
- Have you ever called an incumbent and thanked them for how they voted or told them how upset you are about their vote?
- Have you ever worked to defeat or pass a ballot proposal?
- Have you ever gone to a meeting to speak out for or against an agenda item?
- Do you Vet Candidates before you vote?
- Do you vote?
- Have you ever written a letter to the editor regarding what is going on in your government?
- Have you ever made a phone call or written a letter to your elected servants?
- Have you ever thought about running for office and if so did you do it and if not what stopped you?

If not, now is the time. We can no more put off working to fix our country by making sure we have done everything possible to get the right people elected. We have to make sure that our **tax \$\$\$\$\$\$** are not wasted!

