

**DIRECTORS'/ORGANIZATIONAL AGENDA
ADDENDUM**

Monday, August 17, 2020

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Angela M. Birkett

From: George Wolf <gwolf1226@hotmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2020 5:33 PM
To: Council Packet
Subject: State of Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission

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I am urging any one of you to request a formal opinion from the City Attorney how this decision (see the news story below) by Executive Director of the Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission Marna Munn bears legally on the city of Lincoln.

https://omaha.com/news/local/govt-and-politics/nebraska-anti-bias-agency-applies-high-court-ruling-on-lgbt-worker-rights-to-housing/article_2d42d906-1aca-5938-8b8e-d954d2b757c2.html

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Angela M. Birkett

From: Robert Borer <robert.borer@doane.edu>
Sent: Saturday, August 15, 2020 8:29 AM
To: Miller, Jackie
Cc: Jackie Miller; James M. Bowers; Richard W. Meginnis; Jane Raybould; Tammy J. Ward; Sandra J. Washington; Roy A. Christensen; Bennie R. Shobe; Sean H. Flowerday; Christa G. Yoakum; Deb E. Schorr; Roma B. Amundson; Rick W. Vest; jamesmichaelbowers@gmail.com; jdloy@unl.edu; tom@gncclincoln.org; kgarcia@lpden.com; Jasmine.tollette@gmail.com; Stephanie Jarrett; Bleichster1@gmail.com; Jenifer T. Holloway; Rick W. Tast; Adelle L. Burk; Terry T. Wagner; pricketts@ne.gov; pricketts@nebraska.gov; Council Packet; governor@nebraska.gov; Steve Erdman; Suzanne Geist; Ozaki, Andrew; tdworak@hotmail.com; jrgrant1@gmail.com
Subject: Re: And This is What We Like—A DEBATE!!

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Jackie-

Be my guest in bowing out. For myself, I'm on a mission to expose this pandemic for the utter scam that it is, AND all those promoting/perpetrating it and suspending our rights. It is criminal.

Yes, most are useful you-know-whats, just "following orders." But others, with all the degrees behind their names, should know better. Still others, those at the top, those behind the curtain, those who orchestrated this, are criminal in the nth degree.

Have a good day-

Bob

On Fri, Aug 14, 2020, 5:15 PM Miller, Jackie <jackie.miller@nebraska.gov> wrote:
Sir I believe that we will simply have to agree to disagree.

Thank you for your comments.

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From: Robert Borer <robert.borer@doane.edu>
Sent: Friday, August 14, 2020 5:10:44 PM
To: Jackie Miller <applejax1955@yahoo.com>
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Subject: Re: And This is What We Like—A DEBATE!!

Jackie-

Oh, the irony! You are the one saying corona exists BECAUSE you have a positive test result. That is begging the question.

You have to first prove the existence and pathogenicity of your alleged contagion, and then you have to prove you have a test that detects only that contagion and nothing else.

Lots of things cause disease. The symptoms of your alleged novel contagious pathogen are not novel.

Everything you're saying about corona is faith-based, until PROVEN otherwise. You don't "know" someone has corona until you "test" for it, because there are no unique symptoms.

I will eventually be able to tell that someone is pregnant without testing them because the symptoms are unique. The same holds for cancer, although it's a little more abstract. Oftentimes, tumors aren't apparent.

At any rate, please provide proof of your alleged contagion. Otherwise I will have to assume, in light of all cause mortality, that you have only hijacked other causes of illness and death.

Regards-

Bob

On Fri, Aug 14, 2020 at 4:19 PM Jackie Miller <applejax1955@yahoo.com> wrote:

Sir:

Saying that we have cases because we are testing is equivalent to saying that a Pregnant woman is only pregnant until after she gets tested or that a person with cancer has cancer only after they have Had a test. The baby is in the womb whether we test for it or not. The cancer is there, whether we've tested or not. The Covid-19 is not caused by the test, the Covid-19 is identified by the test.

With regard to communicable diseases, no one is safe if it is anywhere. To keep people safe from it, we need to know where it is. That is what disease surveillance is about.

Nothing I sent to you is faith-based. It is science-based only.

As for your lack of concern for the rest of humanity, I have no words of my own. Instead I will rely on the words of John Donne:

'No Man is an Island'

No man is an island entire of itself; every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main; if a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the less, as well as if a promontory were, as well as any manner of thy friends or of thine own were; any man's death diminishes me, because I am involved in mankind. And therefore never send to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for thee.
Best regards!



Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 14, 2020, at 3:03 PM, Robert Borer <robert.borer@doane.edu> wrote:

Jackie Miller responded below, to my digital letter below that.

And my response is:

We are not concerned about the rest of the world, for which we know little. We are only concerned about Nebraska.

All cause mortality can't lie. Cause of death can.

The only reason we have more "cases" is because we do more testing. Cease the testing and the cases go away.

The rest of your response is about "COVID-19" is all faith-based. Provide me with evidence that your alleged new contagious pathogen has been isolated/purified/characterized and PROVEN to cause disease, and that you aren't just hijacking other causes of illness and death with your narrative.

Please. I'll be waiting.

Respectfully-

Bob

From: "Miller, Jackie" <jackie.miller@nebraska.gov>
Date: August 14, 2020 at 1:34:26 PM CDT
To: Jackie Miller <applejax1955@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: The True State of Emergency

Dear Mr. Borer:

The new coronavirus has infected more than 20.9 million people worldwide and has killed more than 6.6 million people nationwide and has killed more than 169, 000 Americans. The United States population is 330 million yet we represent 25% of all of the COVID-19 cases, and over 22% of all of the deaths worldwide in this pandemic.

In many ways Nebraska is fortunate. It is a relatively low population state, with less than 1.9 million people and excellent healthcare in the country right here in our state. And we have some of the most highly experienced healthcare professionals. In fact, we currently have around 30,000 cases of COVID-19 and we have suffered almost 400 deaths. Most children were being homeschooled and many adults were working from home. So this is not a vacuum. Most people move about freely from place to place. A problem anywhere can quickly spread with Covid-19.

One of the biggest problems with Covid-19 is it is new and it has mutated even in this short time. It is constantly moving. It also impacts some people catastrophically and barely affects others. While we have many people who are severely impacted, then someone with no known risk factor is severely impacted. That has occurred even with social distancing. It is unpredictable and more frightening. This is a complex situation. Catastrophic in many ways. We will study, learn, respond, adapt and get through this eventually and still be Nebraska.

Clearly we are not in agreement on these issues; and I understand your concerns. However, we are working on adequate local public health infrastructure; promoting healthy communities and healthy behaviors (such as Covid-19); protecting against environmental health hazards; preparing for and responding to emergencies. Hard decisions must be made and actions must be taken. Sometimes those decisions will be unpopular and even hardship. But please understand that though difficult for all in many ways, each decision is made for the good of everyone overall from a Public health standpoint. Poor decision-making or inaction will result in more casualties. Surely none of us wants that.

You live in Lancaster County as do I. Pat Lopez is our Health Director. I have known and worked with Pat and most experienced Health Director in Nebraska. I say this as a person with many years of experience in Public Health and Injury Surveillance in this State for many years. It is because of Pat's leadership, along with our Mayor and Governor, other state, county and local officials and staff, LPS and others, that our numbers are relatively low. We want to keep those numbers low. In order to do that, we must follow the Science. We could have a better leader at the helm of LLCHD at this time. Pat understands Nebraska. She is leading our surveillance. She is surrounded by the best and the brightest Public Health professionals in the state. We are working to reduce the pandemic with the least possible losses.

Sincere best regards,

Dr. Jacquelyn Miller

On Fri, Aug 14, 2020 at 10:03 AM Robert Borer <robert.borer@doane.edu> wrote:

Dear Elected Officials-

Please be advised there is no health-related state of emergency in Nebraska. There never was. The emergency declarations were made preemptively based on faulty presuppositions, "data" and logic.

Look at all cause mortality for Nebraska for 2020 YTD (the first 30 weeks) compared with previous years:

2017- 10,038

2018- 10,063

2019 - 9,934

2020- 10,084 (updated on 8/13, for the week ending 7/25)

Because cause of death (COD) determination is highly susceptible to bias and politicization, we must look to all cause mortality. And based on these numbers, there is no pandemic in Nebraska. There is no health-related state-wide emergency in Nebraska. There are no widespread health-related emergency conditions in existence in any *part of the state.

Emergency conditions, in this context, are defined as those in which the threat to life and health are obvious, *immediate, serious and substantial—in a specified area.

"Case" numbers are meaningless. The tests are unreliable. They have no predictive power for identifying personal or community health issues.

As a retired fire captain, I regard the following as a legitimate health emergency:

A train wreck takes place in the middle of a town or city. Tank cars begin releasing huge amounts of highly toxic and/or flammable chemicals. The affected and surrounding area—not the entire state—must be isolated and evacuated, along with the possibility of requiring some people to protect-in-place.

If emergency conditions do not in fact exist, an Emergency Proclamation is invalid.

The only "emergency" we have right now is the one due to all the destruction caused by government overreach, and official deference to "experts."

Here is the sequence of events:

Elected officials rushed to declare an emergency based on nothing more than big pharma fear-mongering. And then they rushed to their favorite big pharma-educated public health "expert" (a certified germaphobe) for exclusive direction. We the People were excluded from the debate from that point on.

The result has been an indefinite period of tyrannical rule by and through this favored "expert"—with nothing but disaster to follow (save for a privileged few, like those living off the "government.")

The "faith-based" expectation of a public physical health crisis that never materialized turned into a very real, multi-faceted crisis that included a mental health crisis, a family crisis, an educational crisis, a non-epidemic related medical crisis, a political crisis, a crisis in federal, state, and local government finance, and who knows what else.

With few exceptions, every facet of this current crisis exists at unprecedented levels, nationwide, with no sign of relief. (The original health crisis only occurred in a handful of places that experienced extreme government overreach.)

This real harm that has occurred is not a function of a virus, but of government overreach, with officials tyrannically acting through their favored "experts" to dictate and implement extreme, arbitrary, and capricious "health measures" that have not only adversely affected every other aspect of our lives, but served, and still serve, to divide our communities. One would think that was the plan all along.

Government "of the people" was suspended by a declared emergency that never materialized, and the gross overreaction and mismanagement that followed has resulted in the theft of our lives, our livelihoods and our enjoyment.

We the People cannot let this stand. We will NOT let this stand. We the People are the "Government." We can only be "dethroned" (removed from power) if we allow ourselves to be.

The Watchfulness of the Citizen is the Salvation of the State, not the oligarchy you have made of yourselves.

Beware. You have crossed a line. And we will not forget.

Respectfully-

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Angela M. Birkett

From: teresa@predmoredesigns.com
Sent: Friday, August 14, 2020 11:41 AM
To: Council Packet
Subject: Appointment of Ms. Lopez

[CAUTION] This email comes from a sender outside your organization.

I am:

- A long-time resident of Lincoln
- A registered voter that does indeed vote
- A small business owner of two businesses
- A property owner
- A tax payer

I have a copy of the letter written by County Attorney Condon dated August 11, 2020 to the Lancaster County Board of County Commissioners regarding the unlawful actions taken in the appointment of Ms. Lopez to the public office of health director.

I am opposed to the appointment of Ms. Lopez to the public office of health director.

I further encourage each of you to comply with the law and to oath of office each of you took. Following the law and acting in the best interest of the entire city needs to return to nonpartisan voting.

I am one voter that will be watching how each of you vote and carry out your duties.

It is imperative the city of Lincoln has law-abiding officials.

“...and that I will faithfully and impartially perform the duties of the office of _____, according to law, and to the best of my ability.”

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Angela M. Birkett

From: kgauksson <kgauksson@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, August 14, 2020 4:21 PM
To: Council Packet
Subject: Pat Lopez

[CAUTION] This email comes from a sender outside your organization.

Lincoln city council members,

The "dashboard" currently reports 19 deaths attributed to CV since mid-February 2020.

THAT many expire in a WEEK in Lincoln, Nebraska due to complications of old age!

There is NO "health emergency!"

Do NOT approve hiring a health director who ignores FACTS to forward a political agenda, unless of course you APPROVE of trying to destroy so many Lincoln residents, and their businesses.

A VOCAL constituent,
Kendra Gauksson

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone