



Dear friend,

At this pivotal moment for our nation, we need bold, conservative leadership that will install a legislative process with integrity and accountability. The American people have been calling for a return to regular order and a break from the status quo in D.C. ever since they elected a Republican majority back in 2010. This was the catalyst for my decision to run for office and has been my top priority since day one. Unfortunately, the actions from Republican leadership did not reflect the will of the American people **and a change was clearly needed.**

Last Friday, **Speaker of the House John Boehner announced that he would be stepping down from his leadership position** and retiring from Congress. Speaker Boehner is a good man, but he failed to deliver on Republicans promises that we would stop playing the same old, tired political games and start defending **YOUR** priorities. As many of you know, I did not support Speaker Boehner and believe that his resignation will be good for the country. What I do support is a **transparent process that focuses on core conservative issues including shrinking the size of government and lowering taxes.** These core issues were not being addressed by Speaker Boehner.

So what do I mean by "regular order"? The answer is simple: Our Constitution grants **the**

**power of the purse** to the House of Representatives which many of my colleagues seem to have forgotten. This means the House wields immense power and controls all government spending through what is known as the appropriations process. It is through this process that Congress must evaluate each government program for its effectiveness and typically does so by passing 12 separate appropriations bills while allowing for members of Congress to offer amendments or changes. Unfortunately, this process has not been completed in its entirety for far too long. Congress has become reliant on passing short-term stop-gap spending measures and massive thousand-plus page bills **that fail to curb wasteful spending** and that no member of Congress has time to read in its entirety.

**The power of the purse is the KEY for Republicans to put a stop to an out of control Obama Administration.** It is the key that YOU, the American public, gave to Republicans in Congress and now **we must have the courage to use it. Conservatives need to stand for something or we will fall for everything.** For these reasons, I will be working tirelessly with my House colleagues in the next few days and weeks to ensure these priorities are represented in our new leadership.

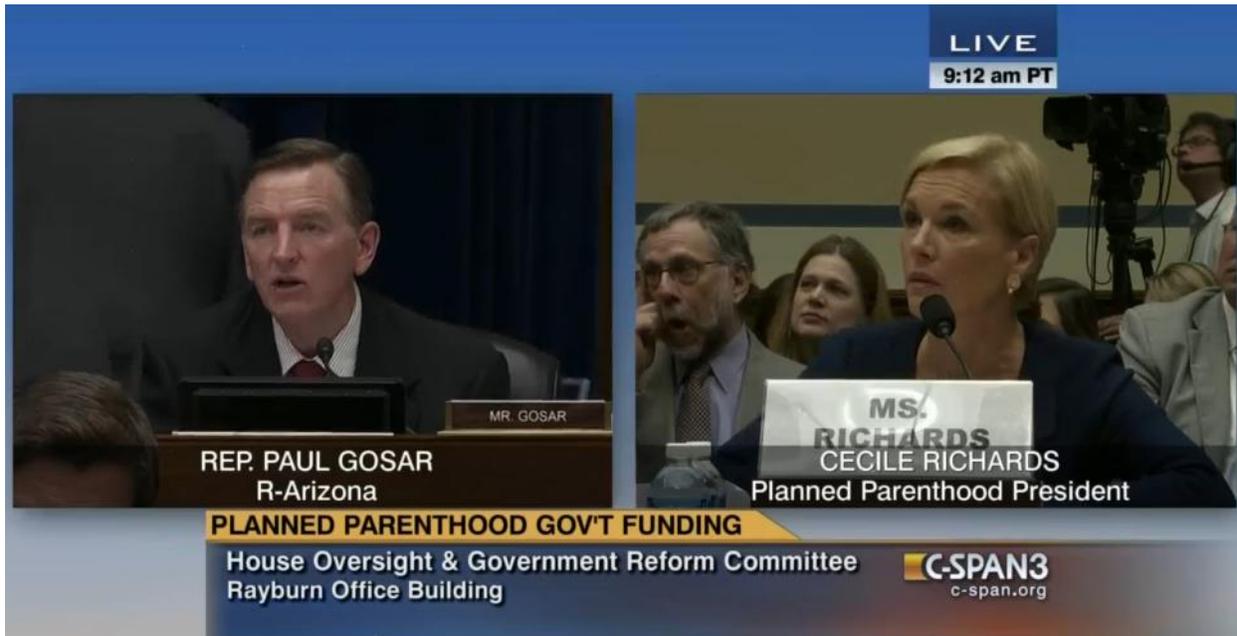
### **Planned Parenthood is Profiting Off of Death... Using YOUR Tax Dollars**

The simple truth is that Planned Parenthood, masquerading as a non-profit, has strategically developed a business model to profit off the death of innocent unborn babies. The recent videos released by the Center for Medical Progress have lifted the curtain on this horrific operation and exposed it to the American public. With \$127 million in excess revenue for 2014 alone, Planned Parenthood has become efficient in fundraising, throwing elaborate parties, funneling kickbacks and contributions to Democrats and other organizations that support their causes, and paying excessive salaries to their senior officials, all while milking taxpayers for approximately \$500 million annually.

Despite the ruthless accusations from Planned Parenthood and its accomplices claiming a 'war on women', the only casualties of this 'war' are the millions of innocent babies who have had the life crushed out of them. This abhorrent practice contradicts the American spirit of protecting innocent life and is only made worse by Planned Parenthood's record of giving millions in campaign donations to Democrats in order to protect this cycle of death.

There is a very simple solution to this issue: the hundreds of millions of taxpayer dollars that Planned Parenthood receives every year should go to the thousands of public health clinics around the country that provide important health services without performing abortions. Planned Parenthood has proven that it has more than enough revenue to cover the annual taxpayer dollars it receives. There is simply no justification for requiring American taxpayers to pay for aborting the lives of innocent babies.

Click the picture below to watch me question Planned Parenthood CEO Cecil Richards during a House Oversight and Government Reform hearing from this past Tuesday.



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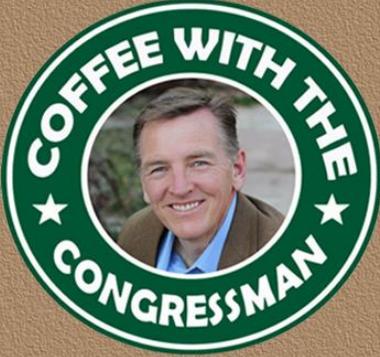
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