



Shattering the Administration's Lies on Benghazi

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Dear Friend,

This past Wednesday, the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform held a hearing demanding a further investigation into the September 2012 attack on the U.S. Consulate in Benghazi. The new information shared by whistleblowers during this hearing shattered the Obama Administration's lies surrounding Benghazi.

During the hearing the State Department's Former Deputy Chief of Mission in Libya, Gregory Hicks, told me directly that the administration's statements and misrepresentations hurt U.S. credibility in Libya and shamed the government they are trying to support. Please click [HERE](#) or below to watch video from the hearing.



(Rep. Gosar questions Gregory Hicks on the Administration's false narrative after the Benghazi attacks, May 8, 2013)

I will not stop until we are confident we know all we can to prevent future tragic events similar to Benghazi and the rotten political spin that followed. If we do not hold the Obama Administration accountable for their egregious failures,

Benghazi will happen again.

I appeared on C-Span's Washington Journal to discuss the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee hearing on the Benghazi Consulate attack. Please click below or [HERE](#) to watch.



Rep. Gosar speaks about the Benghazi hearing on C'Span's Washington Journal, (May 9, 2013)

I also spoke with Dennis Miller on his radio show about the hearing, which you can listen to [HERE](#) or below.



(Rep. Gosar talks with Dennis Miller about Benghazi, May 9, 2013)

FAULT Act: No More Taxpayer Dollars to Hostile Countries

This week, I introduced the Foreign Assistance Under Limitation and Transparency Act or the FAULT Act. This legislation is intended to limit foreign aid to five countries that undermine U.S. foreign policy objectives – Iran, North Korea, Syria, Egypt, and Pakistan.

Sending billions of taxpayer dollars overseas to hostile countries is unconscionable. Yet, only in Washington, D.C. does it make sense to pay other governments to undermine our foreign policy objectives.

When countries like Iran, North Korea, Syria, Egypt, and Pakistan act like enemies rather than friends toward the United States and our allies, the time to cut them off from U.S. taxpayer dollars is now.

Black Canyon City Business Roundtable: Get The Federal Government Out of The Way

Yesterday, I hosted a Business Roundtable in Black Canyon City. Many local business owners expressed their frustrations with out-of-control government spending and regulations.



(Rep. Gosar takes questions at his business roundtable, May 10, 2013)

Further, those in attendance also expressed concerns over the burdensome regulations and taxes resulting from Obamacare. I remain committed to fighting this devastating law, and pushing for reform that is both patient-centered and market-based.

Thank you to everyone who attended the roundtable. For anyone wanting to share his or her ideas with me contact my office [HERE](#).

The Drone Next Door

This week I spoke as part of the New America Foundation forum, "The Drone Next Door," to look at the expanding commercial use of domestic drones. This event was live on C-SPAN, and you can view my interview at the 18 minute mark in this video recap [HERE](#).

Gadsden Flag Dedication

On Thursday, I dedicated a Gadsden Flag that was presented to him by the Yuma County Tea Party and flown to Washington, D.C. Joining me for the dedication ceremony was Rep. Mick Mulvaney (SC-05). The Gadsden flag is still popularly flown in South Carolina where Rep. Mulvaney hails.

The Gadsden flag continues to be a symbol of defending freedom and the rule of law. I will display it proudly outside my office.



(Rep. Gosar and Rep. Mulvaney pose with the Gadsden Flag, May 9, 2013)

A special thank you goes to the Yuma County Tea Party for donating the flag to my office and I would also like to thank Congressman Mick Mulvaney for stopping by and helping me dedicate this Gadsden flag.

Congressional Art Competition

Each spring, a nation-wide high school arts competition is sponsored by the Members of the U.S. House of Representatives.

Today, I am hosting a Congressional Artistic Discovery Contest Ceremony for Arizona's Fourth District. The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be announced and all scholarships and other prizes will be awarded during a reception at the Desert Caballeros Western Museum in Wickenburg. All of the artwork that was submitted for the competition will be on display. I look forward to sharing with you the winners and their artwork in next week's eNewsletter.

In the meantime however, yesterday, I selected the winner of "[The People's Art Choice Awards](#)." This was a separate online competition where the public voted for their favorite artwork submission from the Congressional Artistic Discovery Contest.

I am proud to announce that the winning piece for my online contest is "Grazing by the Sea"



("Grazing by the Sea"

The winner of Congressman Gosar's online "People's Art Choice Awards")

I want to thank both the talented students who took the time to create such wonderful works of art and everyone who cast their vote online.

Yavapai College Plant a Vine(yard)

I enjoyed getting my hands dirty in the Yavapai College Plant a Vine(yard) Community Service Project this past weekend.



Obamacare Malady of the Week

Health and Human Services Secretary Kathleen Sebelius wants to spend \$150 million to teach people how to enroll in Obamacare. Read more [HERE](#).

Mark Your Calendar

My staff will hold Social Security Office Hours in Payson on Tuesday, May 21st, 2013. Staff will answer questions and provide help with Social Security issues ranging from disability and retirement benefits to Medicare eligibility and more.

TUESDAY, MAY 21st, 2013

PAYSON SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE HOURS

TIME: 10:00a.m.-3:00p.m.

LOCATION: Rim Country Health

807 W. Longhorn Boulevard (Just west of the Habitat row houses)
Payson, AZ 85541

View a flyer for this event [HERE](#).

*Rep. Gosar will not be in attendance

Goodwill of Central Arizona Yuma Career Fair

I will be joined by a leading Arizona nonprofit, Goodwill of Central Arizona, on Wednesday, May 29th for a career fair at the Yuma Civic Center in Yuma from 9:00am- 2:00pm. You can view the flyer [HERE](#) and a video invitation to the event below or [HERE](#).



As always, you can follow everything I am working on in Arizona and Washington, D.C. through my website (<http://gosar.house.gov>) on Twitter [@repgosar](#), or through [Facebook](#) at Representative Paul Gosar.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Paul A. Gosar, D.D.S." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Paul A. Gosar, D.D.S.
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