

Dear Fellow Baconators,

Melanie kicked off festivities to introduce Tief, who had some exciting news.

Tief reminded everyone that she ran for NUSD last fall but lost. Since then she wondered where she would go next to affect change. She considered a run for City Council in 2024. But after attending the spring 2023 CA GOP convention the weekend of March 10-12<sup>th</sup> and seeing so many shenanigans, she realized that there were too many delegates that weren't good for California. She saw the need to change the CA GOP, and that requires sending new delegates to the convention. So she decided to run for Assembly in California.

Why? Because if she is the top Republican vote-getter she becomes an Ex-Officio Member of the Marin GOP. That would entitle her to 5 delegates. She could send herself and 4 others as delegates to the next convention in spring 2025.

The intent isn't to win, but to be in the top two finishers. (Or is it the top Republican vote getter?) This will allow her to focus on Republicans and conservative Democrats and Independents. She intends to file her 501 declaration of candidacy in April.

Mel: No interviews with Liz Kreutz!

She will try to beat Damon Connolly by telling the truth about the trans movement, housing, the homeless and state efforts to control of planning in our local communities. They're already proposing two 4-story and one 5-story apartment buildings without parking on Grant Ave in Novato. Their plans for Marin City are even worse!

Yes, the state is trying to saturate the market with new housing statewide to lower housing prices. The state's efforts will ruin communities and decrease the value of your home.

Mel then lead the group in the Pledge of Allegiance. Afterwards, Nancy Cherny(sp?), fresh from her visit to Israel, lead the group in prayer. Amen, now let's have dinner!

Mel provided an update from Toni Shroyer on Binford Road. She shared the email Toni sent her for repeating here:

BINFORD ROAD UPDATE 3.22.2023

\*About 12 cars/boats towed last week. Two towed yesterday.

\*RV that was IN the wetlands at the end of Binford Rd owned by the ghost gun/sex offender/drug dealer is slated to be towed by the end of the month. The RV residents pilfered through his personal items. The county will dispose of the garbage that is left.

\*I contacted Fish and Game yesterday via email and put them on notice of their dereliction of duties. They have not

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maintained their fences that have been cut by RV residents because they have been intimidated and are afraid. I have asked for another sampling of water when the rain stops. One Fish and Game employee has stated she videotaped an RV resident putting waste/fecal/urine slush into the wetlands. Waiting for a response from them.

\*Lucan claims to have an update on Binford. He said he will try to share with me by the end of the week.

\*Krails and berms by Department of Public Works (DPW) were supposed to be installed last week on empty spaces on wetlands. They have delayed this by a week. Meanwhile new RVs can park and are coming to open spots.

\*Novato Fire Dept. can only "educate" RV residents on fire safety and cannot enforce as RVs are vehicles and not houses. Therefore, the jerry rigging of extension cords from numerous RVs attached to a generator in an old Chevy is not enforceable for fire concerns. I will look into the state law about this.

\*Currently one sex offender that we know of lives on Binford Rd. You cannot look them up on Megan's Law as living on Binford Rd as they are registered as a "transient" and Binford Rd is not an address.

**Deputy Thompson is to be commended** for working really hard for us with towing abandoned cars and boats. Apparently only 4 cars/boats are to be tagged and towed per week due to limited staff...the regular parking enforcement is afraid to go out there.

Deputy Thompson will return the 4-5 shopping carts stolen by an RV resident and left outside the RV. The carts cost around \$300 a piece. When all added up this is a felony amount, however, they will not be cited or arrested for theft.

Last we have heard from Lucan: He wants to Grandfather in current residents that do not want to leave and hopefully give housing vouchers for those who do want to move. This may have changed, but this is the latest I know about. We have given him ideas of county and commercial properties where the RVs can park. It didn't seem like he was too keen on the idea.

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The Board of Supervisors put NO OVERNIGHT PARKING at the Civic Center and had all of the RVs parked there moved within two months. RVs went to Binford Rd. Binford is the largest homeless encampment in Marin. Novato has taken most of the RV problems. The other four supervisors are thrilled it is not in their backyard.

County Council Brian Washington interprets Martin vs. Boise very liberally unlike other counties. Martin/Boise does have an environmental clause which would apply to the wetlands, which Washington isn't enforcing. Eventually a lawsuit by the people is inevitable to enforce the law. Who is willing to pay for this?

**Plan of Action: Email Eric Lucan at [elucan@marincounty.org](mailto:elucan@marincounty.org).** DO IT NOW AT THE MEETING! State all RVs must be removed immediately as the residents are turning the wetlands into a junkyard and our environment is suffering. The RV residents have taken advantage of the situation. They are hoarding and using the wetlands as a storage facility.

Jim and I are offering field trips to Binford Road by appointments. If you have not seen this area, you need to. It is worse than the photos.

**Jim and I need your help.** If this is not stopped, it will keep coming and coming and bleeding into neighborhoods.

Thank you Nancy and Melanie for your help.

Toni Shroyer

I suggested that Eric Lucan can do something – update county fire ordinances to empower fire departments to enforce fire safety codes on the squatters and their RVs.

Melanie and others suggested that the county move the squatters and their RVs to nearby RV parks. That would be less expensive than cleaning up their messes on Binford Road!

BOS overly concerned about legal action by the squatters.

Nancy Cherny(sp?) then spoke about her recent trip to Israel. She's a long-time conservative activist and wanted to give us an update on Israeli politics.

She first insisted that we stop referring to Judea and Samaria as the "West Bank." During the 1967 War, Jordan took part of Jerusalem and urged "Send the Jews to the Sea!" (kill them). That annexation by Jordan was widely considered to be illegal.

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Furthermore, the people occupying Judea and Samaria are Arabs, not Palestinians. And its occupants hate “Big Satan and Little Satan” (America and Israel).

Bethlehem had been taken over by the Arabs, as well as Rachel’s tomb. Both are dangerous to visit because of the Arabs.

Same for the Patriarchs Tomb. Surrounded by Arab communities it can be visited in armored busses only.

Netanyahu is our friend! Unfortunately, Israel doesn’t have a constitution like the US does. There are no checks and balances between branches of the government. You need to treat our US Constitution like gold! We need to protect our checks and balances.

Bibbi (Netanyahu) is trying to implement reforms, but liberal Reformed Jews oppose him.

Another result of the 1967 War was Israel capturing the Golan Heights from Syria. That was important to protect Israel. Imagine a hostile power taking over Mt. Burdell and being able to fire indiscriminately on Novato. The scale is the same.

Don’t believe what you hear about Israel in the US media! They’re an extension of the liberals opposing Netanyahu. Please oppose Biden sending US tax dollars to the Palestinian Authority. (Perhaps Hamas in the Gaza Strip as well. – FD comment).

Next up to speak was Janine Pera to give an update on her vaccine activism. She talked about attending a Town Hall with Jared Huffman, who normally does more than most congressmen but hasn’t done one since June 2021. The event was not a good one, but some good things came of it. No one could talk because of the activism.

He spoke first about “anti-radical, anti-vaxxers, Trump supporters.) Janine told him she found the “anti-vaxxer” term offensive. She also took offense to his vax mandate to attend the Town Hall, which was illegal for him to do. He claimed he lifted the mandate 3 days before. Janine noted that Peggy Hall and Lisa Longnecker had much to do with stopping that mandate.

Huffman claimed he was aware that 74% of Marin COVID deaths were the unvaxxed, but she knew he was not telling the truth because of his previous comments. He invited her to discuss the issues and she intends to take him up on that offer.

She realized later that people weren’t clapping in support of her, they were clapping to have her shut up, a move previously organized by some attendees. She felt encouraged by them anyway!

She then went on to read from a paper published by Dr. Fauci that described the ineffectiveness of vaccines over the past 60 years. Immunity has eluded all vaccines. That quote was pulled from a Scientific & Public Health publication. She then described the effectiveness of ivermectin. JP for CDC Director!

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Tief noted that Ivermectin was discovered by the Japanese (originally called avermectin). It's a natural substance harvested from the ground. She used it to clear up a persistent skin problem her daughter was having.

I then gave a brief summary of where we stood with Election Integrity. A limited report was provided to the Marin GOP via the former EI Committee Chair, Chris Carpiniello. We had difficulty completing that report for several reasons, including the lack of data and obstruction by Marin GOP leadership and the expiration of the ad hoc EI committee.

We created another political committee to obtain the registered voters file data we need to complete a more comprehensive report. I'm still working on the analysis section but expect the report to be complete by the end of April. That will be in time for our presentation at the May 9<sup>th</sup> NRWF luncheon at the Marin Country Club. We will then make the report available for wide distribution.

Mel then asked the "Don v. Ron" question. Chaos ensued – people have very strong opinions on the matchup.

Tief: All for their steel cage match as it will make the Republican candidate stronger.

Many didn't like the Don petty name-calling of other Republicans.

Todd is leery of Ron ad a deep-stater aligned with Paul Ryan. Also skeptical of Don for not doing more to help J6 prisoners.

Me: Don's biggest mistake was letting Drs. Birx and Fauci run his COVID response program.

Tief: Couldn't finish Dr. Scott Atlas's behind the scenes book as it was too depressing. No one was in charge, just the bureaucrats.

Others were very supportive of RFK, Jr. while others were skeptical because he failed to push back against his fully-vaxxed actress wife who doesn't share his views on the vaccine.

So much more was said but my pen ran dry of ink and we had to leave!

Next meeting at Bacon on Wednesday March 29, 2023 at 6:00 pm. Bring lots of friends to have a terrific meal and enjoy wonderful company!

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