



You Cannot Have Rule of Law with Lawless Judges, Governors, Police Officers, or Representatives.

What is the Rule of Law?

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RULE OF LAW

Our **Rule of Law** prevents the abuse of power by subjecting everyone to the same laws and by restricting government to specific, limited powers established by our constitutions. Under our Constitutional Republic, the government and our laws are supposed to protect our unalienable rights from infringement by other individuals, groups, and government.

Accountability is the *key* with rule of law. If we do not hold our government and each other accountable to holding sacred our God-given rights, then we will lose our rights. The founders knew that every man is susceptible to abusing the rights of others and they created a government to hold individuals, and government itself, accountable for their actions against the rights of others. But, knowing every man is susceptible, and that the government would be made up of men and not angels, the founders also created a government to be responsive to the people.

There are many ways that we can hold our public servants accountable for their actions and their policies and philosophies:

Voting - Voting gives us the right to end a politician's time in office if we do not like what they are doing or what they stand for. But, unlike term limits (which the framers rejected), voting also gives us the ability to keep those in office who are doing what is right.

Attending Public Meetings - Government, as a rule, should have open and public meetings. Citizens should attend public meetings and keep abreast of what the government is doing and what they have planned. Accountability is watching!

Contacting our Public Servants Regularly - Every citizen should contact their representatives regularly. Our public servants should be reminded often that our unalienable rights are sacred and that the purpose of government is to protect those rights. They may also need to be reminded that they answer to a higher power.

Jury Duty - The jury is the ultimate protection of the individual's rights against government abuse. A jury always has the right to find a person *Not Guilty* if they feel the charges are an abuse of government.

Recall and Removal - Citizens have the right to remove their government officials if they abuse the unalienable rights of the citizens or behave lawlessly.

The Constitution Party National Platform

We declare the platform of the Constitution Party to be predicated on the principles of The Declaration of Independence, The Constitution of the United States and The Bill of Rights According to the original intent of the Founding Fathers. These founding documents are the foundation of our Liberty and the Supreme Law of the Land.

The sole purpose of government, as stated in the Declaration of Independence, is to secure our unalienable rights given us by our Creator. When Government grows beyond this scope, it is usurpation, and liberty is compromised.

We believe the major issues we face today are best solved by a renewed allegiance to the original intent of these founding documents.

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