

Lots going on in Washington Team. We start off with Chris Wright's rapid fire Constitution Minute.

1. Chris returned to the discussion of whether or not the Mueller appointment is constitutional. Two weeks ago he said it was constitutional but tonight he talked about Mark Levin who argued the contrary on his radio show and Levintv. Levin provides a compelling argument as to why the Mueller appointment is unconstitutional based on the Constitution, scholarly legal opinions and court opinions.
2. Presidential Pardons: In sum, a president cannot issue a pardon during impeachment proceedings and cannot issue pardons involving state crimes and/or civil liability cases and cannot grant pardons to "groups" of Americans at a time. Finally, the question was asked whether President Trump can pardon himself from the Mueller investigation? No definitive answer but may opine that if he did it would most likely result in his impeachment. *(This is quite ironic since Mueller's sole purpose right now is to ensure that if the majority goes to the House after the midterm elections that the president is impeached.)*

Bill Pascoe-Our Man in Washington gave his rapid fire Washington Report. A couple of items worth highlighting. On the FBI front, House conservatives introduced a resolution last Tuesday calling for a second special counsel to investigate possible misconduct by the DOJ and FBI during the 2016 presidential race.

1. The discharge petition. The House needs 218 needed votes to pass the Discharge Petition and vote on 4 immigration bills: Three Republican lawmakers are leading efforts to get the majority of Republican House members to sign the "discharge petition." If it passes, the House will then vote on four immigration proposals using the "Queen of the Hill" rule. This means that the proposal receiving the most votes beyond a majority would pass the House and go on to the senate. The four proposals are 1) HR 4760 Securing America's Future Act aka the Goodlatte bill. This bill is supported by President Trump. 2) HR 4796 USA Act of 2018. This will give "dreamers" a chance to stay in the US. 3) HR 3440 The Dream Act and 3) A leadership alternative put together by the Speaker of the House that is not yet available. Right now 22 republicans have signed on to pass the discharge petition and they need another 6 Republicans to sign on. It is imperative that you call your representative and tell them "don't you dare sign this discharge petition and don't you dare vote for anything that includes Amnesty.
2. President Trump has placed steep steel and aluminum tariffs coming from Canada, Mexico and the E.U. Many countries announced retaliatory tariffs.

This week's Tea Party Patriot's Call-to-Action

1. The Tea Party Patriots are asking for your support in voting for Mark Levin for the National Radio Hall of Fame starting on Monday June 4th through June 18th by texting 96000 and voting for Mark Levin by texting the message "500."
2. We need you to your house and senate representatives by Thursday June 6th and tell them that the American people want a secure border, we want an "America

first” immigration proposal, no to amnesty, that we support the rule of law, and we want your assurance that our nation is prioritizing border security.

3. Still time to sign [our petition and join our Make Congress Work Again Coalition](#).
4. Call your House representative and tell him/her that you want Jim Jordan to be the next Speaker of the House. The TPP is asking that you call your congressman and find out if they are willing to vote for Jim Jordan. If they are unsure or if they are leaning toward a vote for McCarthy, ask him/her to please commit to Jordan or to keep their powder dry until after the midterm election. The TPP are looking for your feedback as to where your congressman stands on this matter.
5. Save the Date: A Fly in” to Washington is in the works for July 24-26, 2018. A joint dinner is planned with the students who organized “Stand for the 2nd” and the premiere viewing of the award winning documentary by the TPP titled “Invalidated” about the destruction of our patent laws by the Obama administration.” You can view Invalidated on Amazon Prime, iTunes and Xfinity. Obama Administration set up up a death panel for patent rights like the death panels set up for health care under Obamacare.
6. Finally, the Tea Party Patriots will be participating in the week long 2018 FreedomFest being held in Las Vegas on July 11-14th. FreedomFest is an annual festival where free minds meet to celebrate books ideas and great thinkers.

<https://www.freedomfest.com/>

That’s all for tonight.
Thank you for tuning.
Keep fighting for Liberty and God Bless.
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