

Press Release -- Raúl Acosta -- Acosta for U.S. Senate, Colorado.

Independent Candidate to change *Poison Pie Politics*

Hello, I am Raúl Acosta and I am your Independent Candidate for the U.S. Senate. I am reaching out to you, the voter. I am married, and a father of 9 children with 3 children in college: 3 in high school, 1 in middle school and two in elementary school. I have a Master's of Science, Information Systems degree from Regis University. I offer classic values with an innovative approach!

IS THE MEDIA COMPLICIT IN THE TWO-PARTY SYSTEM?

Is most of major media complicit in the two-party system? Most Independent candidates are marginalized. From personal experience, only a few media outlets asked all candidates on the ballot for response. The Boulder Daily Camera, Denver 9news and Colorado Right to Life reached out proactively to me as a candidate. When media chooses to marginalize other candidates on the ballot, they are failing to represent all the voting public. This is why we need representation by the People, for the People.

WE THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES....

Today the Executive Branch is out of control; the Legislative Branch is in disarray and more concerned with winning on their side of the aisle than they are for the common good of the people they swore to represent; the Judicial Branch has made themselves like gods, over-ruling the common citizen's majority votes, based on a "living" interpretation of the Constitution instead of a representative interpretation that the framers designed. There are always exceptions but largely this is what is occurring in our great land, and this is one of the reasons that the common American has rated government so low (if they even bother to respond to the survey!).

Apathy is an ingredient that poisons the American pie and the common American is tired of the lies, the tag-team politics between Democrats and Republicans and the eroding of our Constitutional Rights more and more with each passing year;--including attempts to destroy our right to Religion and to worship God or not to be Religious; our right to bear arms or not to bear arms; our right to own property or our rights to sell property; our rights to freely associate with others or not to associate with others; and our right to liberty, life and the pursuit of happiness.

MORE OF THE SAME BECAUSE OF THE SAME...

Our government will not change itself because the three branches of government are largely the same people that have created the problems in recent years;--yet our forefathers, the framers of the Constitution, inlaid the ability to change the system by having the electors *elect new people that are not the same people*, and I am one of these *new people*. The framers also made this a process of steps, to ensure the continuity of government. In an extreme alternative not currently exercised, States can meet in a Convention and reform government when the corruption of the current system has plunged to depths of utter failure.

Fortunately, a tide of independent voters are forming majorities in their States and these unaffiliated majorities will change the current *status quo* in Washington D.C. and replace it with a viable body of representatives that will in turn focus on the common citizen once again, bringing innovation back to America! It is therefore of the utmost importance that Independent Voters VOTE INDEPENDENT and that they do not associate their votes with the Democratic or Republican party, otherwise real improvement will not occur and we will continue to have more of the same because of the same. Does Colorado want more of the same ol', same ol'? Does America? I think not.

INNOVATION: DO WE NEED ANY MORE POISON PIE POLITICS?

Today we have more people bound by the ropes of poverty and lack of innovation because the government policies of the Democrats and Republicans have supplied the rope and encouraged the *status quo* so they can remain in power and in influence. Food, shelter, medicine and clothing are necessities every American should have available to them for their common good and the common good of our Country but these shall not be purchased at the price of their dignity, grace and American freedom. How we treat our veterans, our elderly, our handicapped, our minorities and our unborn children is how we are measured individually and as a Nation. We need to not eat another slice of their *status quo* poison pie politics.

Once again we Americans must rise up with our intelligence, imagination, drive and compassion and in a spirit of innovative thinking, restore the culture of success that we had before the current two parties forgot whom they were representing. To share only three of these innovative ideas I have for Colorado include: 1). A Nikola Tesla inspired rail-gun created for a space cargo launch system; 2). A rail-connected front Range from Pueblo to Denver to share commerce, culture and tourism along the front range; 3). A focus on solar/wind power systems that an average Colorado family can actually afford and use to heat their homes in the winter, cool them in the summer and light them year around. Colorado Citizens are paying too much for their energy consumption and deserve innovative energy solutions.

As I have done, I ask all Independent Candidates to voluntarily agree and honor a two-term pledge so as to avoid the temptation to grow rich and comfortable like the current politicians and forget the people they pledged to support. I ask all Independent voters and all voters that are tired of the *status quo* games of power to vote for me, Raúl Acosta, their Independent Candidate for U.S. Senate. Together we can change the political outcome for all people. God Bless America!

Raúl Acosta

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