

Problems with Child & Family Services in Montana

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1. **78% of children are legally kidnapped by CFS from non-abusive homes.** In my own research of the stories I have heard this percentage is pretty close. I've also observed that families with 2 or more children are targeted. According to Greg Wilkinson of Children's Rights Montana, CPS only gets 1 in 12 cases correct.
2. **Children are kidnapped and abused for retaliation** - some have questioned the authority of their case worker or CFS - Judges even know this is what is happening in some cases. In the end it is the already abused children who suffer the most! This is an unconscionable and unconstitutional **abuse of power!**
3. **CFS case workers, supervisors and regional managers habitually disrespect and bully parents, grandparents, lawyers, doctors, counselors, and their own providers** - in home services and parenting educators. They prey on young mothers who have no family support. There are few counselors at least in Great Falls who are willing to work with children involved in Custody cases and especially children in the custody of CPS. Case workers constantly lie to parents. If you request to audio tape the meeting then the meeting will not happen. Even if you bring a witness with you to the meeting, it is cancelled.
4. **CFS forces parents to use only counselors & evaluators who are under their control.** These evaluators and counselors should not be "filled in" by the CPS case workers and supervisors. Parents should be able to choose their own evaluator. I received a call in October 2015 from a counselor in Great Falls whose CFS assigned client was being forced to have a mental health assessment by a CFS "approved" therapist instead of the one suggested by the therapist - while Sarah Corbally keeps repeating that parents can see anyone they want. Here is an example of 2 hired guns the state often uses and are on the list of "approved" psychologists:
 - Robert Page of Helena- who has a PHd in Education and not in psychology and passes himself off as a MSOTA psychologist - according to the state's own website has been paid 112 times for a total of \$260,618.75 in the last 3 1/3 years
 - Michael Butz a Phd from Billings who owns Aspen Practice - according to the state's own website has been paid 103 payments of \$90,971 in the last 3 1/3 years.
5. **Good, caring CFS workers are either fired or quit when they question or refuse to abuse children & families.** [REDACTED] obtained her social worker degree and was so excited to help families and children and landed a case worker job at CFS in Great Falls. She was fired after 3 months because she refused to be part of abusing children and families. She witnessed CFS going against a judge's order to return children to their parents. She also witnessed the case worker, [REDACTED] and supervisor, [REDACTED] laugh and make jokes about the suffering they were putting parents through

Another man went to college and also received his social worker degree - anxious to help children and families. He also landed a job as a case worker in Great Falls. After a few months he quit because he did not want to be a part of the abuse CFS was forcing him to inflict on children and families. He has small children and will not come forward because he is in great fear of retaliation. He has given up his education and is training to do another line of work because he wants no part of what "social work" looks like after working for the Great Falls CFS office.

Other x-CFS workers who have come forward with stories of employee abuse are [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

I recently heard there is a group of x-CPS social workers who keep in contact with each other and are waiting until the environment changes so they will be able to return to work in social work - so they can help the children they have passion to help but have been forced out of the industry by corrupt supervisors like Marti Vining and Cory Costello and an unacceptable work environment. Those with children will not come forward for fear their own children will be kidnapped.

Sarah Corbally stated in a news article on 7/26/2015 - *"At the same time, the annual turnover rate for Child and Family Services employees is 22 percent. That's down from 42 percent in recent years but is still too high," Corbally said. The agency is trying to improve recruitment and retention of high quality employees and prevent burnout, she said.*" If she really wants to recruit and retain high quality employees then she need to get rid of [REDACTED] and I'm sure a lot more employees who are not helping children and families but rather abusing them and forcing the case workers who work under them to do the same. The only case workers who last are the ones willing to follow out the abusive orders of these corrupt managers like [REDACTED]

6. CFS workers are not properly trained in what an abuser looks like or what an abused child looks like. They most often protect the abusers because one of the characteristics of an abuser or batterer is to be extremely charming and convincing. It is Child & Family Services job to protect ABUSED children - not the abusers! You would THINK that training their Case workers about abusers and their victims would be 1st and foremost in their training!

7. CFS refuses to even acknowledge that sex abuse of children under age 5 exists; We know firsthand of 9 families who have reported sexual abuse of children under the age of 5 in Montana. In all but 1, the alleged sex abuse was by the father. In all 9 cases after the sexual abuse was reported to CPS and investigated the offender was either outright given full custody of the children while the children were removed from the reporting parent or grandparents, or the offending parent was given unsupervised visits and partial custody. In 2 cases after several years of sexually abusing their daughters and other children, the father's were convicted and received 100 years in prison. CPS forced these children to live with their abusers and allowed these abusers to abuse other children as well!

8. CFS currently operates under the 8 myths of child sexual abuse

(http://www.leadershipcouncil.org/1/res/csa_myths.html)

CPS has used all of these myths in many cases we know about - The 8 myths is from a website by the leadership council.

Myth 1: Normal-appearing, well educated, middle-class people don't molest children - . *"In her years of work with sex offenders, Dr. Salter has found they commonly employ a variety of tactics which allow them to gain access to children while concealing their activities. They tend to adopt a pattern of socially responsible and caring behavior in public. Many have practiced and perfected their ability to charm, to be likeable and to radiate a facade of sincerity and truthfulness. In fact, Dr. Salter has found that the life a child molester leads in public may be exemplary, almost surreal in its righteousness."*

Myth 2: People are too quick to believe an abuser is guilty, even if there is no supporting evidence. *"In truth, people are too quick to believe that the accused is innocent, even if there is plenty of supporting evidence."*

The "people" the author is talking about are the CPS workers - case workers, Supervisors and District Managers.

Myth 3: Child molesters molest indiscriminately. Research with sex offenders confirms that they tend to carefully select and "groom" their victims.

They also groom the CFS workers and CASA advocates!

Myth 4: Children who are being abused would immediately tell their parents.

The fact victims often fail to disclose their abuse in a timely fashion is frequently used as evidence that an alleged victim's story should be doubted. Research, however, shows that children who have been sexually assaulted often have considerable difficulty in revealing or discussing their abuse.

Estimates suggest that only 3% of all cases of child sexual abuse and only 12% of rapes involving children are ever reported to police. A nationally representative survey of over 3,000 women revealed that of those raped during childhood, 47% did not disclose to anyone for over 5 years post-rape. In fact, 28% of the victims reported that they had never told anyone about their childhood rape prior to the research interview.

In all cases of Child Sexual abuse by a parent where CPS is involved that we are aware of, CPS workers claim the child either fabricated the abuse to manipulate the parents or were "coached" by the other parent or their counselor's to tell about abuse that never happened. Why are these CFS workers and evaluators protecting these molesters?!!

Myth 5: Children who are being abused will show physical evidence of abuse. A lack of physical evidence of sexual assault is often cited as support that an alleged perpetrator must be innocent. However, research shows that abnormal genital findings are rare even in cases where the abuse has been proven. Some acts, like fondling and oral sex, leave no physical traces. Even injuries from penetration heal very quickly in young children and thus abnormal genital findings are not common, especially if the child is examined more than 48 hours after the abuse. In fact, even with proven penetration in up to 95% of cases, genital examinations will be essentially normal.

The CFS case workers are using this myth as "proof" sexual abuse of young children never happened. According to CFS if there is no physical evidence of the sexual abuse then it didn't happen - it was fabricated!

Myth 6: Hundreds of innocent men and women have been falsely accused and sent to prison for molesting children.

Over and over again, the media has raised the question whether America is in the midst of a hysterical overreaction to the perceived threat from pedophiles. Actual research, however, shows that, as a whole, our society continues to under-react and under-estimate the scope of the problem.

Prior to the 1980s, child sexual abuse was largely ignored, both by the law and by society as a whole.

In fact, research has consistently shown that few abusers are ever identified or incarcerated. Estimates suggest that only 3% of all cases of child sexual abuse and only 12% of rapes involving children are ever reported to police

Further research reveals that of the few cases reported to authorities, relatively few accused offenders are ever investigated or charged.

Myth 7: If asked about abuse, children tend to exaggerate and are prone to making false accusations.

Contrary to the popular misconception that children are prone to exaggerate sexual abuse, research shows that children often minimize and deny, rather than embellish what has happened to them. In cases where the children had tested positive to sexually transmitted diseases only 43% of the abused children interviewed gave any verbal confirmation of sexual contact. Another study involved a perpetrator who pled guilty after videotapes documenting his abuse of ten children were found by authorities. Despite this abundance of hard physical evidence, the researchers found a significant tendency among the children to deny or minimize their experiences. Some children simply did not want to disclose their experiences, some had difficulties remembering them, and one child lacked adequate concepts to understand and describe them. Even when

interviews included leading questions, none of the children embellished their accounts or accused the perpetrator of acts that he hadn't actually committed

Some people believe that recantations are a sure sign that a child lied about the abuse. However, a recent study found that pressure from family members play a significant role in recantations. The researchers found a 23.1% recantation rate.

A Great Falls police detective said that in many cases he has had, the children recant after they see the fallout of telling about the abuse.

We have not heard of even 1 case where children disclosed sexual abuse that CPS believed the child even in cases where the father ended up getting convicted of the crime and was sentenced to 100 years! Every Child sexual abuse case CPS is involved in - the CPS workers protect the molester, accuse the child of lying and the protective parents, grandparents and counselors of "coaching."

Myth 8: By using repeated interviews, therapists or police can easily implant false memories and cause false accusations among children of any age.

Although research has consistently shown that children rarely confabulate about having been abused and false allegations have been found to be rare the potential for false allegations continues to be an area of great concern in sex abuse cases.

Whenever prominent adults are accused of abuse, we frequently hear allegations improper questioning and suggestions that the child may have invented molestation stories to please probing authority figures. We also hear concerns that inappropriate, suggestive therapies by overzealous clinicians may have shaped or implanted the allegations.

Recent research suggests that these concerns have been greatly exaggerated. Overall, laboratory research using suggestive questioning has consistently shown that negative events, especially events involving a child's genitals, are relatively difficult to implant in children's statements. In fact, research shows that children are more likely to fail to report negative experiences that actually did happen to them, than falsely remember ones that did not.

end of 8 myths

9. **Parents with drug addictions are set up for failure so the system can profit off their children's misery.**

- I know 2 families where the children were removed from drug abusing mothers and placed with the grandparents. In both cases the children have been needlessly put through hell.
- In one case the children have been removed from the mother and sent to live with their grandmother 3 times. Each time the mother fails to get clean, is set up for failure, and the children are bounced around like a ball.
- In another case the children were placed with the grandfather and after a week taken away from him, sent to stay with an aunt while CPS could find a permanent foster home for them in another city only to be given back to the grandfather. This was needless hell these children went through.

Whatever "so called" treatment CFS is putting parents through is not working. I'm not sure if they even put them in treatment. Parents who are working hard on their treatment plans are bullied, lied to and abused by CFS case workers and supervisors.

In Montana's 2015-2019 Child & Family Services Plan under Permanency Outcome 1: Children have permanency and stability in their living situations - only 23% of the 50 sample cases reviewed substantially Achieved this outcome during the time period 4/1/2013 to 9/30/2013.

Montana had 13.1% of children who were discharged from foster care to reunification in the previous 12 months re-enter foster care in FFY 2013, less than 12 months from the date of discharge, The national

standard is 9.9%. Is this because regional managers like [REDACTED] threaten the parents at the time of reunification - that if they ever put their children in counseling or call the child abuse hotline again, they will never see their children again?!

0. There is no attempt to help parents or provide services to parents while keeping the children in the home which is what CFS is required to do by law and their own policies

In Montana's 2015-2019 Child & Family Services Plan which is published on the state's website for the time period 4/1/2013 to 9/30/2013, the 2nd Safety Outcome is "Children are safely maintained in their homes whenever possible and appropriate". According to the report "Montana has seen a sharp decrease in maintaining children safely in their homes, from 71% substantially achieved between April 2011-March 2011 down to 34% substantially achieved between April 2013 and September 2013 (this is the period my grandchildren were kidnapped). The report states that "in the past 2 years, Montana has experienced greater than 30% increase in children in foster care". the report goes on to say "In the June 2013 SAMS Fidelity Review conducted by ACTION for child protection, Montana also identified that further training on implementation of In-Home Safety Plans with high fidelity was not occurring." also "The majority of the reasons for this period's Area Needing improvement ratings were documented as follows: Lack of ongoing assessment, lack of face-to-face with the children, and missing documents/documentation from both Child Protective Services and In-Home Services contractors. ..in at least 30% of the cases reviewed, reviewers noted a lack of CPS visitation with children and families.

According to child psychologists, numerous articles and studies, removing children from their primary care givers does irreversible damage to the children. Yet Montana CPS routinely kidnaps infants and young children so they can "get to the bottom of this" which really means use whatever means it takes to build a case against the parents so they can take custody of their children and keep them as long as possible so they can profit from the horrendous abuse of the children and their family. CPS workers like [REDACTED] state "children are amazingly resilient - they can just bounce back so quickly from trauma inflicted on them."

These are articles on Child detachment disorder and that state that children being away from their primary care giver for even 1 night is detrimental to the children's future well being:

http://tucollaborative.org/pdfs/Toolkits_Monographs_Guidebooks/parenting/Factsheet_4_Resulting_Trauma.pdf

<http://www.peterhaiman.com/articles/effectsOfSeparationOnYoungChildren.shtml>

http://www.practicenotes.org/vol2_no4/effects_of_separation_and_attachment.htm

<http://ocfs.ny.gov/main/cfsr/Reducing%20the%20trauma%20of%20investigation%20removal%20%20initial%20out-of-home%20placement%20in%20child%20abuse%20cases.pdf> -

<http://www.calmclinic.com/anxiety/separation-disorder>

<http://www.theguardian.com/lifeandstyle/2014/jun/18/childcare-claim-children-emotional-absent-parent>

http://www.huffingtonpost.co.uk/2014/08/14/should-children-of-separated-parents-sleep-over-at-their-dads_n_7325576.html

<https://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/somatic-psychology/201201/the-foster-care-system-and-its-victims-part-2>

<http://www.simplypsychology.org/Erik-Erikson.html>

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC3115616/> Early Mother-Child Separation, Parenting, and Child Well-Being in Early Head Start Families

<https://news.virginia.edu/content/overnights-away-home-affect-children-s-attachments-study-shows>

<http://theattachedfamily.com/?p=2204> -

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/health/children/10194113/Babies-who-spent-more-than-one-night-a-week-away-from-mother-are-more-insecure.html>

11. **Children are removed with no proof of "immediate or apparent danger of harm" and kept for up to a year or more only to be given back with no explanation. CFS is breaking the law with many of their removals.**

Montana law indicates removal of a child may occur when the State believes "any child is in Immediate or apparent danger of harm." Section 41-3-301(1), Mont Code Ann, The policy is that children will only be removed when there is "imminent risk of harm. Section 41-3-101(1)(c), Mont. Code Ann.

I know of 6 families who had children legally kidnapped by CPS for alleged physical abuse when one of their children had an accident. In all 6 cases after 7-24 months the charges were dropped but the children and families were irreparably harmed and live in fear of the very system that is supposed to protect them.

In Montana's 2015-2019 Child & Family Services Plan under Permanency Outcome 1: Children have permanency and stability in their living situations - it states that 70.4% of Montana children exited to reunification in less than 12 months from the time of most recent entry into foster care. In FFY 2012 the median length of time to reunification was 6.2 months.

Every day that a child is withheld from their parents is extreme psychological abuse, especially if there was no proof the child was in imminent risk of harm.

12. **CFS workers are lying to judges to get them to sign off on their schemes to profit from abusing children & families.** We know of at least 2 cases where the judge KNEW the case worker, supervisor, or District Manager was lying on the stand but did nothing!

13. **Judges are so overworked from so many bogus abuse cases (78%)** they don't have time to wade thru the mounds of paperwork so they are forced to trust the CFS workers. Also the county attorneys, CFS supervisors, and court appointed attorneys ask for multiple extensions - causing more paperwork, scheduling and hearings for the judges. I also believe that judges don't want to set a precedence of ruling against CFS because their work and mission to protect abused children is SO VERY IMPORTANT ! In our case the discovery that was turned into the judge by the CFS workers was a jumbled mess. The pages of the police reports and doctor's reports were not together- for example 1 page of a police report would be on page 10 and the 2nd page would be on page 20.) If you didn't know what was going on you could make no sense of it. It was like they shuffled the pages, then scanned them in that way and then emailed them to the county attorney, lawyers and judge like that.

14. **Lawyers are reluctant to take cases against CFS.** Most of the lawyers who will take Youth in Need of care cases in Montana receive most of their income from these cases. They do not want to cross CPS for fear of missing out on the big money they are making off this corruption. Also they may know that if they cross CPS their own children or grandchildren may be taken.

15. **DFHHS-CFS should not be allowed to use County Attorney's for their lawyers in Child custody cases.** This is a conflict of interest. The Judicial and Administrative branches of government are to be kept separate. When the County attorneys (judicial branch) are the lawyers for the DPHHS-CFS (administrative branch) it is merging the 2 branches of government which are supposed to be a check & balance. When the

County Attorney is the DPHHS-CFS's lawyers, there is no one to hold Child & Family Services employees accountable when they break the law. All Montana state Administrative offices should have their own attorneys.

6. **Indian/native children are being taken off of the reservations and adopted out against federal ICWA laws.** We have heard that hundreds of children have been taken and adopted out from the Browning Indian Reservation alone. In [REDACTED] case, her 1/2 native grandchildren have been removed from all native American influence and family. At the hearing, the ICWA worker stated it was not a problem. This so called ICWA worker was not authorized to speak for the tribe but was someone the CFS supervisor "found".

In the State of Montana 2015-2019 Child & Family Services Plan under "Permanency Outcome 2: The continuity of Family Relationships and Connections is Preserved for Children for the sample period 4/1/13 to 9/30/13 under the subheading Preserving Connections the report states" The goal for CFSP 2010-2014 was met at 58%, .. 20% of the children in foster care assessed are Native American. The connections promoted and/or maintained by the agency included the child's maternal and paternal relatives, Tribes, ethnic and cultural practices, school, community and friends. **Native American children comprised 30% of the applicable cases; of these cases 67% of these children were placed with Native American relatives.**" What about the 33% who were not placed with Native American relatives? Were these placements against federal ICWA laws?

17. **Other problems going on with Indian children :** This information was taken from the Montana Legislative - State-Tribal Relations Committee on October 21, 2015.

a. **Indian Foster homes are lacking - very difficult to license native foster care homes as it is part of their culture for many extended family members to live together and everyone in the household has to pass the various checks. Also if an Indian home agrees to be a foster parent it takes 6 months to get funding from the state and many can't afford to take extra children with no financial help for 6 months. It is suggested to ask the tribal community who should be licensed foster homes instead of having to go through the normal state requirements for becoming a state licensed foster home - have tribal licensing standards instead of state ones.**

b. **Very difficult to find ICWA expert witnesses as people do not want to testify against members of their own tribe who could be family members. The state trains 40 expert witnesses/year but most witnesses quit after the 1st case after they are sitting up there with 7 attorneys against them. The pay for expert witnesses has not increased for a very long time.**

c. **Tribes MUST be allowed to choose their own expert witnesses. Often the state chooses their own expert witnesses and tell them what they want to happen in the case.**

d. **There is no one from the state CFS who attends the BIA (Bureau of Indian Affairs-CPS meetings).**

e. **Great need for Indian Social Workers to work on the Reservation. Lack of funding. Some case workers on the reservations have a workload of 50+ cases!)(3 case workers for 150 cases)**

f. **The state is not checking when a referral comes in for Indian Children off the reservation - no easy way to identify Indian Children.**

g. **The current CAPS system does not track ICWA on Indian Children.**

h. **over 1/2 of the Native children currently in foster care are in non-native foster Care Homes.**

i. **Native children stay in foster care homes longer because terminations are harder in Tribal courts. Average stay is 16 1/2 months in Foster care while Native average stay in Foster care is 18 1/2 months.**

- j. CFS workers, County attorneys and Judges have inadequate training in ICWA laws.
- k. The state's focus seems to be on "what parents are NOT doing" instead of the child's needs.
- l. Terminating parental rights seems to be a high priority for the state.
- m. When children have 1 native parent and 1 non-native parent, it seems that the state does not remain neutral but rather favors the non-native parent.
- n. Some judges resent the ICWA laws and ignore them.

18. **Parents are threatened they will never see their children again if they speak up about the abuse of power by CFS.** [REDACTED] has threatened many parents that if they put their child into counseling or EVER call the child abuse hotline again, their children be removed and they will never see them again. Parents are even threatened by their lawyers that if they call the Omnibudsman Office, thier parental rights will be removed and they will never see their children again.

19. **Providers are threatened that if they don't go along with CFS agenda they will not get paid.** In one case when a parenting class provider stood up against the abuse being done to a mother and her children her pay was withheld, she was not given any more work from CFS and the other clients she already had were retaliated against. Social workers threaten ICWA witnesses with failure to reimburse if they don't testify the way the state directs them.

20. **When protective parents call the Child abuse hotline for help protecting their children from abuse the children are removed from the protective parent & given to the abuser.**

21. **Abused children are left in unsafe homes to die or be abused.** 2 grandmothers [REDACTED] who had 3 grandchildren beaten to death when CPS refused to remove them from an abusive home although they were called repeatedly. photos have surfaced of the living conditions of [REDACTED] and she was living in a home with 4 adult drug users. The conditions she lived in were appalling yet the case worker said there were no problems. In October 2015 another 8 year old girl, [REDACTED] died in a fire in Kalispell after neighbors had repeatedly called CFS and the Sherriff. We have heard numerous reports from grandparents and other concern citizens who have called and called about abuse but nothing is done.

22. **The CFS case workers and Supervisors ignore the Foster Care board in place to oversee them and also go against Judges rulings.** They think they are above the law.

23. X-CPS case worker, [REDACTED] tells of [REDACTED] who serves on the [REDACTED] Foster Care Review Board AND also the [REDACTED] Youth Services - who provide therapeutic group homes - which is a serious conflict of interest where [REDACTED] company benefits financially from

children placed in group homes while he sits on federally sanctioned board that makes decisions regarding the placement of foster children.

24. **All supervised visits should be recorded.** The so-called Supervised visits at the CFS office in Great Falls are not supervised. The Case aides normally sit in their office and play games on their computer. They often stand in the hall and talk about other parents where visiting parents can hear it.

25. DPHHS response to the news media reports of complaints was a canned answer by [REDACTED] public information officer for the Mt Dept of Public Health & Human Services - "But ultimately the decision to

11/3/2015

Dear Protect MT Kids Commission,

Child and Family Services removed 3 children from [redacted] home on September 10, 2014. This was after a year of calling the child abuse hotline, the police and my CFS case worker, [redacted] for suspected abuse of my children by [redacted]. I left [redacted] in September of 2013 because I came to believe that [redacted] was abusing [redacted] children and there was no way I could keep them safe from [redacted] and [redacted] family while living with [redacted]. I had witnessed [redacted] abusing [redacted] 2 separate occasions and he swore to never do it again. I filed for a divorce in Oct of 2013 and asked for an emergency parenting plan. After the 1st hearing, my husband was put on supervised visits and I was given sole custody [redacted] after [redacted] admitted in court that he had abused our son. I was pregnant with our third child who was born in June of 2014.

During the supervised visits I put [redacted] in counseling for behavioral issues. [redacted] disclosed abuse to [redacted] counselor on at least 3 occasions that was reported to the police and to Child and Family Services. From August of 2013 to September of 2014 there were a total of 15 reports made to Child & Family Services, the police Department, Cascade County Sherriff's Office and Victim's Witness. These were made by [redacted]. [redacted] were removed 2 days after the 15th call was made to the Child Abuse Hotline. None of the calls were ever investigated by CFS that we are aware of. I would like to note that my mother sent a letter asking for help to 19 state and local officials including the governor, Tim Fox, Sarah Corbally, [redacted] city and county attorneys, legislators, etc. My children were removed 10 days after the letter was sent out. I believe my children were removed and the abuse blamed on us in direct retaliation for that letter that stated, [redacted] were failing to keep my children safe. [redacted] had this letter in her hand when she removed the children! While she removed the children from my custody she said laughing "You wanted us to do something; well we are."

In January of 2014 a CFS case was opened and closed as soon as the caseworker, [redacted] spoke to [redacted] about the abuse where he admitted it to her. She did not even talk to me once. In May of 2014 after more calls of suspected abuse to the Child Abuse Hotline another case was opened. This time [redacted] made reports that my children's supervised visits provider, Youth Dynamics, were not keeping my children safe during the visits. This time when [redacted] interviewed me she accused me of being on meth during my pregnancy and while breastfeeding which was her apparent explanation for [redacted] behavior. She also stated in this meeting that there is no way [redacted] could be an abuser because he admitted to her that [redacted] abused [redacted]. She dismissed anything I had to say. I found out later that [redacted] had worked for Youth Dynamics before her job at CFS. Shortly after that, [redacted] began to disclose abuse to [redacted] counselor by [redacted] which was reported to CFS. I was never interviewed again until a few days before [redacted] were legally kidnapped.

When CPS took [redacted] they turned all the abuse around and accused [redacted] - the 3 who had made the reports - of psychologically abusing [redacted]. They also accused the 3 of us of coaching [redacted] to tell about the abuse and of parent alienation. Everything they accused us of was fabricated lies. [redacted] the CFS supervisor, lied so convincingly at the show cause hearing that the judge ruled there was enough evidence presented to terminate my parental rights. [redacted] was caught in a lie in court and the judge ordered her off the stand but instead of her being charged with perjury, the judge deemed my testimony and the testimony of my daughter's counselor as uncredible. [redacted] went to the extreme of filing a formal complaint against my daughter's counselor and took her to court in an attempt to remove her license. The counselor was exonerated by the licensing board and deemed that she did no wrong.

Upon removal [redacted] they were placed with [redacted] and after 2 months, [redacted] was magically cleared and [redacted] were sent to live [redacted] while I fought to see [redacted] for 5 1/2 hours/week in supervised visits. CFS tried to prove I was crazy. They forced me to undergo a psychological evaluation by an evaluator of [redacted] choosing. She coached this evaluator as to what the results of my evaluation needed to look like. He said multiple times in his report that he had to throw out the actual test results because I had to be lying on the tests because the results didn't line up with what [redacted] told him about [redacted]. At this time I had never spoken even once to [redacted]. They both accused me of having no emotional attachment or connection to my children.

CFS also forced me to stop seeing [redacted] I had been seeing for 9 months. They said she was not

fit because under her care I psychologically abused [REDACTED] I was only allowed to see one counselor they chose for me. I was not able to see her for over 4 months and then I could only see her once a month. My last case worker, [REDACTED] told my CPS assigned counselor that I was not allowed to go to the free weekly women's recovery group she facilitates because I would take on the other women's problems as my own! CFS' [REDACTED] tried to convince my CFS appointed counselor, parenting class provider, and in-home visit supervisor that I was crazy, unmanageable and had a severe emotional detachment disorder where I could not care for my children's emotional needs. All of my providers soon learned that was not true at all and all of them felt like I was a great mother and could not figure out why [REDACTED] removed. None of them even saw a hint that I had any of the problems CFS accused me of having.

When CFS removed my children [REDACTED] told me that they also removed them from [REDACTED] for abuse and neglect, [REDACTED] was cleared by the same PhD who had evaluated him a year earlier and then stated that he needed counseling and supervised visitation until he completed treatment for what he admitted to doing [REDACTED] As far as I know he never completed this treatment. CFS did not order him to have a treatment plan, or counseling or anything because he stipulated. I was also not informed of why [REDACTED] was given [REDACTED] except [REDACTED] told me the day [REDACTED] were going to [REDACTED] for their first weekend unsupervised that the reason [REDACTED] was getting [REDACTED] back was because [REDACTED] evaluation had come back and [REDACTED] had not accused [REDACTED] of any abuse but that [REDACTED] had told her to say that. [REDACTED] was also evaluated by the same evaluator who did my evaluation. [REDACTED] evaluation was also controlled and coached [REDACTED] Throughout the entire evaluation he used [REDACTED] in the evaluation! On almost every page he mentioned [REDACTED] name. I believe it is against the counselor code of ethics for him to have evaluated me and [REDACTED] This evaluator never spoke to [REDACTED] or my counselor.

After [REDACTED] were kidnapped, [REDACTED] was removed from counseling. CPS went against the advice of multiple counselors, [REDACTED] guardian ad litem, the foster care review board and my wishes and refused to put [REDACTED] in counseling. [REDACTED] threatened me four times that if I ever put [REDACTED] into counseling they will remove [REDACTED]

What [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] counselor, my mother, and myself was completely ignored by CPS, 2 district court judges, and the evaluator.

[REDACTED] was only three months old when CFS removed [REDACTED] They included [REDACTED] in all the paperwork for the removal but left [REDACTED] as he was too young to psychologically abuse. [REDACTED] refused to believe [REDACTED] so CPS paid for a paternity test for him. As soon as the results came back [REDACTED] immediately began having unsupervised visits with [REDACTED] who had never even met [REDACTED] When [REDACTED] was 11 months old CFS forced me to stop breast feeding [REDACTED] so he could spend 6 nights/week and every other weekend with [REDACTED] Now [REDACTED] is forced to be away from me for 7 days at a time. This is what CFS thinks is best [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] were taken away [REDACTED] for 11 months because I reported abuse in attempts to protect them. After 11 months CFS dismissed [REDACTED] like it never happened but the scars from the horror and trauma inflicted [REDACTED] by CFS's reckless actions will never go away! Upon the dismissal with no notice [REDACTED] were placed back [REDACTED] on supervised visitation. Two months later the 2nd divorce judge has temporarily given [REDACTED] 1/2 custody of the children based on what CFS had done.

I was treated like a criminal for trying to protect [REDACTED] by CPS workers and the judges. According to court rulings I am now a child abuser and have mental issues. Even 2 judges were willing to protect CPS and my children's abuser in order to keep the state's blunders from going public - rather than protecting my children!!!!!!!!!!!! What these case workers, CPS supervisors and judges have done to [REDACTED] and family is irreversible! [REDACTED] have been damaged for life! And currently they are living with [REDACTED] 1/2 of the time. Because of CFS's wrong doing and mistakes that they will go to any lengths to cover up, I am court ordered to pack up [REDACTED] and deliver [REDACTED] into the hands of [REDACTED] abuser on a weekly basis. Who is [REDACTED] voice? If [REDACTED] ever disclose abuse again what am I supposed to do? Where am I to go for help? I will NEVER call the child abuse hotline again! I will never give up fighting [REDACTED] This broken, corrupt, abusive so called child protective system has got to be fixed before more and more children and families are completely destroyed.

Thank you for your time. I appreciate the opportunity to tell you my story.

Janine Miller

remove and place a child rests with the courts. We are constantly working to improve how we do our jobs to promote the well-being of children and families in Montana." It is NOT the court's decision to remove and place children. It is up to CFS and then the courts sign off on it. The well being of children and families is not what is driving the decisions CFS makes on a daily basis, I believe it is money!

26. **Children are not being placed with siblings.** [REDACTED] allowed one of their case workers to place a newborn baby with a friend when the parents of the child's siblings desperately wanted to adopt their children's sister. The adoptive parents were not told about the child until she had already bonded with the "friend" of the case worker. This is against CFS policy where they are supposed to place siblings together if at all possible. In [REDACTED] case one of this grandchildren was sent to live with a cousin of the father in Utah while the girl's maternal aunt who one of the girl's siblings was placed with in Alaska desperately wanted all 4 siblings to come and live with her. The adoption process for this girl started in August of 2015 to be adopted out to a family she hardly knows away from her siblings. [REDACTED] were involved with this case too. This has also happened in the [REDACTED] case where siblings were not placed with family and siblings were not placed together.

**From the State of Montana 2015-2019 Child & Family Services Plan:
Permanency Outcome 2: The Continuity of Family Relationships and Connections is Preserved for Children
Sample Period 4/1/13 – 9/30/13 Baseline: 50 Cases Total 57% Substantially Achieved**

While some areas of family relationships improved (e.g., maintaining important connections, relative placement), maintaining the child's relationship with parents declined over the past few years. Enhanced focus on permanency through the use of permanency roundtables, and oversight of permanency outcomes through implementation of a CQI process by Child Welfare Managers, are significant efforts underway to improve these outcomes. Between April 2010 and March 2011, 51% of the cases reviewed were found to be Substantially Achieved. Between April 2011 and March 2012, 53% of the cases reviewed were found to be Substantially Achieved. A decline to 43% Substantially Achieved occurred between April 2012 and March 2013. In this most recent six month sample period, a 14% improvement was noted, and 57% of cases reviewed were Substantially Achieved.

Placement with siblings has been an area of strength for Montana, even with the influx of removals over the past few years. Substitute care providers and CFSD staff value placing siblings together whenever possible. At a 100% 'strength' rating in this item, Montana will continue to strive to surpass its above 90% average over the past three years.

27. **When an emergency room doctor refused to falsify hospital records so CFS could kidnap children who had accidents - the doctors own children were kidnapped by CFS!** How many doctors have been threatened or paid off to falsify records so CFS can kidnap more children? In another case the emergency room doctor did not feel like there was abuse but CFS got involved and found a doctor who said there was physical abuse so they could remove the child and the doctor never even saw the child.

28. **CFS Case workers are "befriending" the CASA-CAN guardian ad-litem's - offering to give them rides to visits & court, take them to lunch etc.** to discuss the cases they both share - thus the ad-litem's are no longer "neutral" but are siding with CFS against the parents. The CASA-CAN ad-litem's receive 30 hours of training. Yet they are helping to make important decisions as to what is "best" for children. Trained Child psychologists should be making these decisions but CFS is convincing the ad-litem's to go against the trained counselors.

29. **CFS is consistently placing children with known and admitted abusers.** In some cases the children are removed from the protective parent and placed with the "known" abusive parent.
 30. **CFS consistently DOES NOT act in the best interest of the children.** Are they making decisions based on what generates the most money for the Department? When children should be removed they are not and when children are not being abused they are removed! So many of these workers are not parents and do not have a clue of what is best for children - especially infants & young children
 31. Parents who call CFS for help or have their children removed by CFS are being billed for services CFS is providing to their children against their wishes! Some parents are forced to pay for their own treatment plan providers- counselors, parenting classes, evaluations, even visitation happening with their children at the CFS offices!
 32. We have heard that case workers are given quotas of the number of children they must remove or they will lose their jobs.
 33. We have news that photos of several CFS workers smoking marijuana at parties have turned up. Also 2 higher ups in DFS and CFS were recently kicked out of a restaurant [REDACTED] for being drunk and disorderly. It is unknown if this drunken meeting was paid for by a state credit card. One is the same person who we have photos of using marijuana and is the person [REDACTED] below.
 34. It is reported that a CFS worker protected her own sister and left her nephew in a drug house until the mother died of an overdose. We were told this CFS higher manager has been fired but later the news reported that she is still an employee of Montana CFS and is now longer on paid leave..
 35. It is reported that another CFS regional supervisor and a case worker supervisor knew about a case worker's drug use but helped to cover it up.
 36. A CFS case worker and her supervisor were subpoenaed in a child custody hearing and they failed to appear in court so they should have been in contempt of court - but they must be above the law and did not have to appear with no penalty!\
 37. CFS workers fail to respect what licensed counselors say. If a counselor goes against what they are trying to do they black ball them, file complaints against their licenses and spread vicious rumors. Counselors are accused of "coaching" the children whom they report abuse to the state about when the reporting does not go inline with CFS' plan to remove the children or to protect the abusers.
 38. CFS workers have removed (kidnapped) children the day of a family member's funeral. CFS workers seem to pray on families when they are in extreme grief and use that against the family! I know of 3 cases where the children were removed the day of a funeral for a family member or dear freind.
 39. CFS workers do not do proper investigations before either acting to remove children or leave children in abusive situations. After children are removed they back up their decision with as many lies as it takes to keep the children for as long as possible. While law enforcement, county attorneys and judges TRUST that CFS have done the proper investigations and interviews and base their decisions on these investigations.
- Thus there is no one to call when a child is being abused - no TRUE help for abused children. Where are we to turn for help when we suspect a child is being abused?!

There are TV ads, billboards and flyers placed around the state telling people to call the child abuse hotline if they suspect abuse. On our vehicle re-registration forms that are mailed to us there is a message:

"A MESSAGE FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL TIM FOX: Child abuse and neglect are more common in Montana than many people realize. Each year, over 2,000 cases of child abuse or neglect are confirmed in Montana. Most of the cases -- about 90% - involve neglect. Nearly 15% of these young victims are physically abused; about 5% are subjected to sexual abuse. You have the power to help prevent child abuse. Call 1-866-820-KIDS (5437) toll free if you suspect abuse."

Protecting children is an illusion. That is not what is happening once CFS gets involved!

A full investigation into the unethical, abusive and illegal practices of Child & Family Services is needed by an outside entity. We are asking for an immediate dismissal of CFS employees: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] In most cases these CFS workers are NOT making decisions based on what is in the best interests of the Children! We believe true reform will not take place until these people are removed from their jobs.

After studying the State of Montana 2015-2019 Child & Family Services Plan I understand what [REDACTED] and other Regional managers are doing - their focus may be getting bettering ratings in the report rather than protecting abused children. The report clearly states that the department is failing in its mission as each % of failure is actual children's lives that WILL be affected negatively by having CFS involved in their lives. Has pressure been put on these managers from above so that they have lost sight of their mission? Judge Greg [REDACTED] asked us that it is every parent's constitutional right to conceive and bare children and then parent their own children. He said that Child & Family Services and the Courts job is to work together to help parents exercise the right to parent their own children. We heard that a case worker in Great Falls bragged that she had the most parental terminations in the state! Every termination is a tragedy - where parents are not willing or able to parent their own children and the children are not able to live with their own parents. I do believe that adopted children are loved just as much as biological children. I also believe that money has come into play in this failing system and is corrupting it.

June 1, 2015

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Dear Attorney General Fox:

I am writing this letter at the request [REDACTED] that I have been working with since February 27, 2015. In my work, part of my job is facilitating Parenting With Purpose for parents who are required to take a parenting program through the Department of Family Services.

On February 25, 2015, I met with social worker, [REDACTED] to discuss a case that they were referring to me. They discussed, for over an hour, the situation regarding a mother and how her children were removed due to psychological abuse. They shared with me that their involvement began when the mother contacted the hot-line at DPHHS to state that she had caught their son's father manipulating the son's penis to erection. The father told the mother that it wasn't a big deal because he just wanted to see how his son's erect penis compared to his. During this meeting with DPHHS, [REDACTED] shared with me that they were not at all concerned about the father manipulating his son's penis to erection because it was, "simply curiosity" by the father.

The following is testimony that I read in the court transcripts: The case worker said, "The father cannot be a sexual predator because child sexual abusers don't admit to their abuse and it was not an act of molesting the child". She also stated, "Dad didn't do it for his own sexual gratification" and "that a one-time thing is not going to do damage to the child."

[REDACTED] then went on to discuss the parent's [REDACTED]. They shared that [REDACTED] counselor reported that [REDACTED] had disclosed to her that [REDACTED] was touching her inappropriately. There were also other reports to DPHHS regarding sexual abuse.

During our meeting the caseworkers shared with me that they had completed a "full investigation" and the sexual abuse simply did not happen. They went on to say that the children's grandmother was very controlling and she was "running the show." They also noted that the mother and grandmother have "psychological issues." They added that the mother's family is very "black and white and very religious." They identified the mother as being "histrionic and narcissistic", even though there is not a professional diagnosis of this. They stated that the mother and grandmother were very "resistant to see that there is no evidence of sexual abuse."

Additionally, the caseworkers shared with me that the mother does not show much affection or bonding with her children while attending supervised visits at DPHHS.

On February 27, 2015, I met with the mother for the first time. She was very open, but emotional about the removal of her children from her care. We discussed coping skills and I outlined the Parenting With Purpose program. She was very willing to begin the workbook and sessions. I met with her one time per week and discussed her progress on her workbook. She always had many questions and was very thorough in her work. She also discussed her problems with DPHHS in regards to how they were treating her and making it difficult for her to see her children.

On March 6, 2015, I attended a supervised visit with the mother and the children at DPHHS. She did not see me as I stood behind a window in which she could not see me. She was very interactive with her children, playing kitchen, grocery store and other pretend games. She was able to pay close attention to all children when engaged with another. She also successfully used distraction methods when the children became frustrated with something. She appeared very bonded with them and them to her. There was a lot of laughter and fun, imaginative play. I saw absolutely no evidence that the mother struggled with attachment and bonding.

On March 31, I met with the mother at her DPHHS meeting [REDACTED]. We discussed how well the mother was doing with her parenting program and what else was required for her to have unsupervised visits. After this meeting

██████████ the DPHHS supervisor asked to talk to me with ██████████ caseworker present. ██████████ stated that I needed to read the mother's psychological report because it was obvious that I "was taken in by her" and "not able to identify the mother's psychological issues. ██████████ continued to state, "I don't believe a thing that woman says, and you shouldn't either." ██████████ also said that "this woman was in a completely good marriage with someone who wanted to build a life with her and she decided to leave, so now she has to just deal with that." When I said that ██████████ believes very strongly that ██████████ has been sexually abused, ██████████ stated, "Well she won't be able to get ██████████ back until she realizes that she is wrong."

On April 2, 2015, I was approved to supervise a visit with the mother and her children at Black Eagle Park to celebrate her daughter's birthday with all of her aunts, uncles, grandparents and cousins. Again, the mother interacted very well with her children and they had great fun with their extended family. At the end of the visit, when ██████████ came to take the children, the daughter cried and cried that she didn't want to leave her mother.

On April 11, I was again approved to supervise a visit with the mother and her children at their cousin's birthday party at the Children's Museum. They had a great time and it was obvious to me that the children are very bonded and attached to their extended family. The mother interacted in a very positive manner with her children. It should be noted that the day before, the children's father contacted me to tell me that I needed to stick by the mother and the daughter every minute of the visit because he was concerned that the mother may say inappropriate things to her daughter. I never observed this occurring during any visit that I had with the mother and her children. It is also relevant that when I went with the mother to pick up her children from their father, the children wore dirty, too small clothing and their hair was dirty and matted.

It should also be noted at this time that DPHHS had removed the mother from her current counselor, stating that this counselor was "enabling" the mother's views about the sexual abuse that was occurring with ██████████. DPHHS told her that she had to see a different counselor, but this counselor could not get the mother in for a month. This is interesting because DPHHS had stated that the mother had psychological issues, but would not find her a therapist who could see her sooner. Additionally, after the mother went to this counseling session, the therapist told her she could only see her one time per month. I did some research on some therapists who could see the mother immediately and regularly and gave these names to the DPHHS caseworker, but they denied this request and stated that the mother had to stay with the one she was assigned too.

On May 15, 2015, before the status hearing, ██████████ informed me that I would be allowed to conduct the in-home parenting sessions with the mother and her children, and this would begin the following week. After court, ██████████ informed me that Family Based Services would be used instead because that is who is listed on the mother's treatment plan.

On May 19, 2015, I met with the mother and her caseworker, ██████████ to discuss when in-home services would begin because Judge McKittrick had ordered that they would begin this week. Although ██████████ had informed me, as well as the mother that she had made the referral to Home Based Services 3 weeks prior, she stated on this date that she had not completed it yet, but would by May 22. I informed ██████████ that the Judge had ordered in-home visits begin this week. ██████████ said, "Well, that's not going to happen." I offered to do some supervised in-home visits free of charge and ██████████ said no.

I also discussed the fact that the daughter was not yet in counseling even though the Guardian Ad Litem, as well as myself and the child's previous counselor had reported that this was of utmost importance due to the trauma of being removed from her mother's care. ██████████ stated that ██████████ had read ██████████ psychological report (I'm sure that she gave it to ██████████ and this is illegal and unethical), and ██████████ did not believe ██████████ needed therapy. I confronted the fact that even though ██████████ beliefs should not supersede professional assessments, ██████████ dismissed this.

On May 20, 2015, ██████████ contacted me via phone and we had a long discussion. She asked if I offered to do in-home visits free of charge and if so, would I do that for all of their clients. I explained the fact that since they had not yet made a referral for in-home visits, I felt that it was very important for the mother to have these visits this week for the best interests of the children and because it was court ordered. I told her that I would do this for any client if the agency refused to pay for the visits because I felt strongly that children need to spend time with their parents. This conversation was very assertive on my part because I felt I needed to support the mother in this case.

█████ scolded me for crossing a "professional line" with the mother and since she knew that I was going to testify against DPHHS, she did not want me at any more sessions that had to do with the mother at DPHHS. I told her that the mother needs a witness in her meetings ██████ lies to the mother and then says she didn't. ██████ said that she would be the witness, to which I answered, "Well, that won't work because you and ██████ are too biased in this case.

I would like to say that I worked as a Licensed Addiction Counselor and a Family/Parent Counselor for over 20 years. In those years, I have worked side by side with DPHHS with minimal issues. There has always been mutual respect on both sides. This situation is absolutely the worst of the worst. I have never seen DPHHS workers be this antagonistic towards a parent and I have never been treated with so much disrespect as a professional. I am appalled by the fact that they, as well as the Judge and District Attorney, do not identify an issue with ██████ manipulating ██████ penis to erection as sexual abuse. I am disappointed in the fact that DPHHS has allowed the ██████ full access to ██████ and appear to be fully ██████ allegations proved and unproved.

I am beyond discouraged that although DPHHS allowed me to conduct two lengthy supervised visits with the mother and her children, they suddenly would not approve me to supervise an in-home visit with the mother free of charge while waiting for approval for family based services. This proves to me that they **DO NOT** have the best interests of the children at heart.

I am disillusioned that an agency such as DPHHS does not have more oversight into the actions of their workers. I have heard that although people have taken this case to state supervisors, they are not doing anything and actually make light of the situation.

I am disenchanted with an agency that does not utilize the professional partnerships in the community to help them do their job. In fact they have disregarded any professional opinions and assessments that have occurred with this family that do not agree with them.

In closing, I would like to add that despite the struggles and the emotional toll that DPHHS has placed on this mother, she completed her parenting program with me and has been determined to do whatever it takes to complete her treatment plan. It should be noted that she would have completed her treatment plan if she would have been allowed to choose a therapist that was more readily available to her.

It appears to me that the DPHHS workers are blocking ██████ from re-gaining custody of ██████ children, while enabling ██████ to do whatever ██████. This is blatantly a case in which they have not considered the best interest of the children and are so against ██████ and enmeshed with ██████ that they cannot see this case clearly. Furthermore, the more that professionals attempt to assess the situation, the more these caseworkers dig their heels in and refuse to see anything in a different way. I have never observed DPPHS workers treat their families with such disregard, disrespect and antagonism.

Thank you for reading this long affidavit and considering the implications of how DPHHS treats their clients and how this impacts the families and children that they are sworn to help and protect.

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Sincerely,


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The Foster Care System and Its Victims: Part 2

Once placed in foster care, a child is not guaranteed safe.

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Foster care is not always a safe haven.

In part one of this series, I introduced the paradox of the foster care system - a system that is designed to support abused and neglected children, but on the other hand may end up causing additional harm in some cases.

The "Safety" of Foster Care

Once placed in foster care, a child is not always guaranteed to be safe from abuse. In fact, Liftingtheveil.org (link is external) cites a troubling statistic from one study, claiming that over 28% of children in state care are abused while in "the system." However, former foster children I've worked with believe that the incidents of in-foster-care abuse are much higher. Amy (*name altered*), an adult client who spent over seven years in the foster care system, told me that roughly nine out of ten fellow foster children she crossed paths with claimed that they had been abused by their foster parents.

She also expressed that foster children are often taught by their circumstances not to speak up and are conditioned to think abuse is "normal." Additionally, Amy felt that it was not in their best interests to report abuse and risk being relocated, where they might be subject to yet more "unknown" abuse... and also have to endure another drastic change. She explained, "A foster child is already taught that you don't speak up. It's dangerous. And don't forget that mom/dad already gave you up, so best to shut your mouth, or you could end up moving again." While it seems like further studies of foster parent abuse are needed to gain more accurate statistics, the bottom line is that abuse happens too often.

In one recent (2010) and widely publicized case, an ex-foster child took his previous foster parent to court on sexual abuse charges and was awarded \$30 million in damages. The abuse reportedly

happened while he was in the California foster care system for five years in the '90s. The accused foster parent had been allowed to foster multiple kids despite criminal records of abuse, drug use, and drunk driving incidents. He was eventually convicted of "nine counts of lewd or lascivious acts on a child by force, violence, duress, menace, and fear, and seven counts of lewd or lascivious acts on a child under 14." He was given a 220-year prison sentence. The private foster family agency responsible for awarding this man's foster license shouldered some of the blame for negligent vetting and monitoring of the home. (Source: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Child_Protective_Services#cite_note-18 (link is external))

A Compromised System

During my own time working with foster care agencies and group homes, I often witnessed the agency staff become overwhelmed with the number of children they were required to monitor -not to mention the pressure of completing mountains of paperwork. The paperwork would often trump the actual visits in priority because it was required in order to keep the agency funded and our jobs intact. There seemed to be incentives in place to keep children with foster families they were assigned to, which sometimes led to lenience when evaluating conditions. (Foster agencies receive money for each placement. If a child is removed from a placement, the agency can lose the commission. Although foster agencies and social workers usually have the child's best interests at heart, these factors may contribute to a less than efficient system of properly monitoring foster homes.)

Many of the caseworkers (like myself) were fairly young, inexperienced recent graduates of psychology school putting in their time to accumulate enough hours to get their state licensing. Having little experience, we did not always know how to detect abuse or handle the enormous emotional volatility that is inherent in such a job. Other caseworkers were older adults with years of exposure to the failures of "the system" and defeatist attitudes that did not help them in their jobs. Ex-foster children I've spoken with reported jaded caseworkers who always seemed to "turn a blind eye," never asking probing questions or visiting the sleeping areas of their charges.

Making things even trickier, there are statutes of limitations and other restrictions in place to prevent prosecution of perpetrators or state agencies too long after-the-fact. In Pennsylvania, for instance: "...the statute of limitations in most civil assault cases is two years from the date of the injury. If the injured victim is under the age of eighteen (18), the victim must file suit before they reach the age of twenty (20)." (This information is according to the law firm Andreozzi & Associates, who specialize in foster care abuse claims.) However, there are sometimes ways around these restrictions. They say that "One exception to the statute of limitations for sexual abuse and molestation in Pennsylvania surrounds what is known as the common law 'discovery rule.' The application of this rule allows victims to file suit within two years of the time: (1) they discover the injury; and (2) they discover the source of the injury.

However, it is important to note that Pennsylvania, unlike many other states, has rejected the *repressed memory theory* as a tool to apply the discovery rule."

Group Homes

While issues with foster care placements in family homes are one thing, state-run group homes are a whole other matter. But, as you might expect, group homes are not always the safe havens that they should be either.

Within the group home system, children are moved around to facilities with varying levels of security and structure depending on their behavior and psychological/emotional growth. A change in level often means a child is immersed in yet another strange new environment. Each time a child is moved to another level, he or she gets new teachers, new therapists, new classmates, new roommates, and a new life. Foster children who have moved multiple times often develop detachment disorder: they become unable to attach to others as a defense mechanism. Sadly, this often results in a child who is not able to form normal long-lasting relationships that are crucial to success later in life.

The occurrence of child abuse in group homes is not uncommon, even though staff there are trained and educated to help children. In the *New York Times* article "Learning to Cope With a Mind's Taunting Voices," Joe Holt describes the church-sponsored residential facility in Alabama, Childhaven, where he grew up:

"There were regular beatings, sometimes with a board, sometimes with a Ping-Pong paddle, sometimes with a razor strap," Mr. Holt said. "You had to memorize a portion of the Bible, and if you didn't, you'd get a beating. Once I got beaten so badly I thought I was going to pass out."

According to the *New York Times* article, at least two staff members at Childhaven eventually pleaded guilty to child abuse, and the staff has "long since turned over," but have other facilities like Childhaven instituted similar safeguards?

The Phenomenon of Emotional Detachment

Foster or group home children generally lack the childhood experiences that teach other children to trust authority figures. What can seem like a lack of emotion or attachment ability in these kids may often be a veiled protection mechanism: they may remain reserved within relationships in order to protect themselves from further hurt. They might innately be aware of the sad truth that they are viewed by caseworkers and foster parents as potentially "troublesome," and that - unlike most children - they

must prove themselves to be trustworthy before they will be fully loved. This can seem like an overwhelming task for an already overly stressed child with compromised coping mechanisms. One former foster care client expressed: "What one has to consider is that foster kids are taught to *not* trust... so while it seems that we are detached, the truth is, often we know *full well* what is going on. But yes, we do have to protect ourselves, and hence, what seems like detachment to the clinical eye is simply what a "normal" individual would call "reserved."

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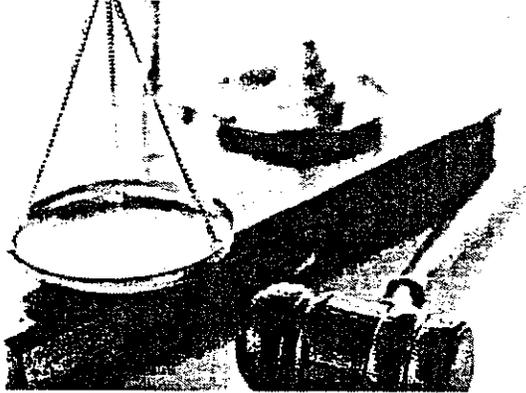
My name is Patsy Fercho. My husband (Allen) and I are writing to make you aware of the corruption within the state department of Family Health and Human Services and the targeted destruction of Montana's children and families. [REDACTED] is adopted and [REDACTED] is a struggling alcoholic/addict [REDACTED] was born with fetal alcohol syndrome. [REDACTED] began drinking while in Jr.High and she continues to struggle to this day. [REDACTED] entered a long term treatment program and upon graduation from that program [REDACTED] moved in [REDACTED]. It turned out that he was very abusive and also an alcoholic. The abuse became so severe that [REDACTED] [REDACTED] he would kick her and throw her against the wall [REDACTED]. After many calls to the domestic violence hotline she was persuaded to leave him. She moved into a shelter and we went to Minnesota and moved her home to Montana. She began counseling with domestic violence and Mental Health. She was diagnosed with PTSD due to "abuse from [REDACTED]". In one report he was quoted to have threatened to "kill her, cut up her body and bury her where NO ONE would ever find her." Four independent agencies have diagnosed the PTSD, all saying this will "make sobriety very difficult to maintain." During this time [REDACTED] lived with us. They were safe and secure and adapted to our home. They lived with us for a period of 3 years! So when social services began to talk of [REDACTED] being "reunified" with the father I truly did NOT expect that to happen, at least NOT for some time. But within a short while and NO parenting class or guidance, he was given [REDACTED]. He was found to be in violation of the court orders 3 to 4 times all involving alcohol but suffered absolutely NO consequences. Then last summer [REDACTED] came for a visit and THEY began to tell me and a mental health case worker of abuse [REDACTED]. They told us "[REDACTED] kicks me.. [REDACTED] rubs my nose in the carpet and I get bloody noses... [REDACTED] chokes me and I can't breathe and sometimes I see BLACK." I called [REDACTED] and reported this. I was instructed to take [REDACTED] to a forensic interview. We did that and all the abuse was confirmed. A few days later I was instructed to return [REDACTED] whom they had deemed a "Draconian" parent and he would have to complete 6 weeks of 90 minute parenting classes. Since then we are NOT allowed to talk [REDACTED]. I have written registered letters requesting visitations and [REDACTED] will not answer. I truly FEAR for their safety! He almost killed their mother and she is an adult...she could fight back...now [REDACTED] NO ONE they can even call on to protect them, NO ONE close enough to keep them safe! WE are holding CPS accountable for their safety! We have met with [REDACTED] and others and nothing has been done to insure safety to these innocent children. I have contacted congressmen and testified at the house oversight committee, I have made 3 trips to Helena to meet with legislators and I participated in a rally on the Capital steps. We called a meeting with [REDACTED] and that was a joke! [REDACTED] had no authority to do anything to help us. He was more focused on policy changes than the safety of our kids! What an INSULT! So why were we given a meeting with someone with NO authority? Because NO ONE is taking this serious? We (Mt.) have had 12-13 deaths with in the custody of CPS since 2010 and they are worried about policy!!! What about the SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN! I have aligned myself with other people facing the very same circumstances and we ARE going to do something about this. Our circumstances are eerily similar to the grandparents whose grandchildren have died at the hands of this department! Do you really want that on your record? We are growing in numbers daily and we all feel we have been to "Hell and back" because of CPS and we will be heard! All we are asking is that our grandsons be brought back to safety. All any of us are asking is for the safety of our children! But until that happens we are going public and raising awareness and asking for the removal of some people in the department who are NOT doing their jobs! We will NOT go away and we will NOT be quieted!

Respectfully,

Allen E. Fercho Patsy J. Fercho is Patsy Fercho

Woman says grandchildren taken from her

Great Falls Tribune Staff 8:44 p.m. MST November 21, 2015



A grandmother who has been living with her two grandsons on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation for two months as she tries to gain custody said she was detained Saturday and the children were taken away from her and returned to their father from Minnesota.

The case is seen by some as a legal tug-of-war between state and tribal courts.

Patsy Fercho, 62, said Bureau of Indian Affairs officials said they had a warrant for her arrest and removed her from the property.

She said the grandchildren, who are 5 and 8, were given to their father, who waited for them on the border of the reservation. Fercho said the children said they did not want to go with him.

Fercho, of Glendive, was returned to the reservation.

Her attorney, Roberta Cross Guns, said BIA officials erred in removing the grandchildren. She said she and Fercho will discuss suing the agency. She said the children were returned to Minnesota without any due process.

BIA officials could not immediately be reached for comment Saturday.

Fercho said a Minnesota judge issued a warrant Friday for their return. Fercho and the grandchildren had moved to the reservation, which is not under the state court's jurisdiction.

The boys' mother — Fercho's adopted daughter — is a tribal member. A tribal judge had reportedly granted Fercho immediate emergency guardianship and physical custody.

She also said the tribal council has granted her permission to stay on the reservation with her grandsons.

U.S. officers remove children from N. Cheyenne Reservation amid custody fight



• Associated Press

Patsy Fercho, center, protests outside the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services office in Billings on June 5. Fercho was detained on the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation on Nov. 21 where she had fled with her grandchildren in September, believing she was out of reach of state court orders and protected by a tribal court order that gave her custody.

HELENA — U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs officers escorted two children off an American Indian reservation in Montana where their grandmother brought them amid a custody dispute, bringing the federal government into a clash between state and tribal courts.

One officer detained Patsy Fercho on the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation on Nov. 21 while another drove the boys to the reservation border and turned them over to their father, serving a warrant issued by a court in Minnesota, where the father lives, attorney Roberta Cross Guns said Tuesday.

Fercho had picked up the boys in Minnesota in late September and took refuge on the reservation, believing she was out of reach of state court orders and protected by a tribal court order that gave her custody.

"This is one of those areas where the BIA acts independently," said Maylinn Smith, associate professor and co-director of the Indian Law Clinic at the University of Montana. The bureau is "supposed to be operating on behalf of the tribe, but they aren't under their jurisdiction. This is a perpetual problem with BIA involvement in tribal affairs."

Bureau officers, who are federal employees, are required to recognize state court orders but not all tribal court orders, Smith said. An Indian Affairs spokeswoman did not return a phone call or email Tuesday seeking comment.

There is a process in which the tribe could complain to the bureau's local office that the officers' actions were not consistent with their obligations to the tribe, Smith said, but there's no statute that says an Indian Affairs officer can't execute a state court order on the reservation.

A Montana judge had ordered the boys' father to have temporary custody in late 2014 because their mother was unable to care for them. The mother, Fercho's adopted daughter and a tribal member, was battling addiction and legal problems.

Fercho asked the boys' tribe to intervene while also seeking custody through Minnesota courts. The Northern Cheyenne tribe ordered emergency guardianship and physical custody of the children to Fercho this fall after finding they were in danger of bodily injury.

The boys' father has not been charged with any abuse. His attorney, Rich Batterman, has declined to comment, saying it was a confidential child custody case.

A Minnesota judge found Fercho and her husband in contempt of court Nov. 20 for failing to follow a court order to return the children to their father and issued warrants for their arrest. That's when the Bureau of Indian Affairs got involved.

"It disturbs me that it was so coordinated," said Cross Guns, Fercho's attorney. The bureau "didn't consult with the tribe, but they did coordinate with a non-Indian guy to a great extent."

A federal court might end up deciding who has jurisdiction, taking into account the Northern Cheyenne tribal code, Smith said.

Tribal President Llavando Fisher did not return a phone message from The Associated Press seeking comment.

Cross Guns said she's working to see if the tribe will take a stronger position in the case and is asking the Minnesota court to quash the arrest warrants because the boys have been returned to their father.

REBUILD THE TRUST - October 2015

The Department of Health & Human Services - Child & Family Services (DPHHS-CFS) IS ALL POWERFUL AND CAN NOT BE JUDGE, JURY, AND EXECUTIONER: THEIR POWER HAS BEEN ABUSED, NEEDS LIMITS, RETALIATION TACTICS HAVE TO STOP.

Policy changes that need to be made by Department of Family Services

1. **License Caseworkers: Caseworkers should at least have MA or MS or MSW degrees; CFS supervisors and Regional Managers should be licensed therapists.** You would have to pay the caseworkers and Supervisors more but it would be less \$ in the long run as you would have less caseload because the 78% of children removed from non-abusive, loving, protective homes would be lessened because caseworkers and their supervisors are going to know better how to do their job. This would solve so many problems especially in sex abuse cases in small children and domestic violence cases. Also this education will prepare the workers mentally and emotionally to handle this most difficult job. This would also free up the courts of at least 1/2 of its youth-in-need of care cases. All of these unnecessary removals of children are causing our court systems to be overloaded! If Caseworkers had degrees and were properly trained, there would not be a need for Supervisors as long as the Regional Administrator was a licensed therapist. Also there would be many less children in the mental health system whose lives have been destroyed by overzealous case workers removing them from loving homes where no abuse exists!
2. **Case workers should have entry level Law enforcement training on investigation such as investigation classes at the Law Academy.** When investigating a case get an overview from as many family members as possible, in other words as comprehensive as possible, etc. *In a July 25, 2015 web article entitled Child Sex Trafficking through Child "Protection" Services Exposed – Kidnapping Children for Sex - Stefano encourages the listeners of the program to call law enforcement, not CPS, if they encounter sexual or physical abuse of a child, because this is a crime, and CPS is not trained to handle crimes. Stefano says: The minute you call child protection services, you can rest assured that the investigation will not be done properly. Chances are the child will not be protected. She then gives the example of Los Angeles County, where in 2013 CPS took "thousands of children away from parents," and that 570 children were murdered while in the care of CPS and away from their families. <http://medicalkidnap.com/2015/07/21/child-sex-trafficking-through-child-protection-services-exposed-kidnapping-children-for-sex/>*
3. **Prove parents are clean and or sober before reunification: 6 months to 1 year.** No drugs or alcohol has to be incentive for reunification. A job that supports their children and family, not going back on welfare the cycle needs to be broken.
4. **If a parent's treatment plan includes counseling, the Parents should be able to choose a licensed counselor of their own choice.** Currently CFS workers will only allow counselors who they can control or ones who do not have time to see more clients - forcing the parents treatment plan to take more time. If a counselor is licensed by the State of Montana, they should be acceptable to satisfy the court's treatment plan(s).
5. **Common sense assessments and honest discourse with families and the public.** Show consistency especially with contractors such as Youth Dynamics and PhDs doing assessments. Their opinions must be consistent and not changing without just cause. **Allow all qualified licensed therapists to be contracted by DPHS instead of the few they can control. All parents should be allowed to have an UNBIASED evaluation by an UNBIASED evaluator if one is required.** Other family members and all involved counselors and professionals should also be consulted in these evaluations.

6. **Immediate dismissal of CFS workers from their jobs when proven to have lied to the courts or falsified records.** If the Supervisor does not follow up on the accusations, the Supervisor's job should also be at risk.
7. **CFS workers should have a required ethics class as part of continued education for licensees.**
8. **Speed up adoption process for grandparents or other parties.**
9. **Return phone calls to concerned family members within 72 hours, no exceptions.**
10. **Oversight on Foster care - set a level of care and conditions.** Currently the foster care board is completely ignored. The foster care plan set in place by the foster care board must be followed. Parents are currently forced to sign off on foster care plans or are threatened that they will not get their children back unless they do.
11. **Investigate rumors and be able to rescind bad decisions.** Someone has to have that jurisdiction. Don't want to hear, "there's nothing I can do," from attorneys or officers of the courts or legislators or Directors of the Departments. Wrong decisions have to be changeable.
12. **Show Cause hearing to be completed in required 20 days, so parenting plans can be completed and not be interfered with.** The law is not being followed.
13. **Supervised visitations should be video and audio recorded to protect all parties.**
14. **Case workers should be required to wear body cameras when going into homes to do an investigation and especially when children are removed.** All meetings with parents should also be video taped as the case workers LIE to the parents!
15. **Supervised visits should be allowed at night so children do not have to miss school and parents do not have to miss work.**
16. **Foster parents should be required to undergo drug testing at least initially - even if grandparents.**
17. **DPHHS workers should be required to treat "other" professionals with respect and value their opinions - they are the experts - not the case workers & supervisors.**
18. **DPHHS-CFS should not be allowed to go against a judge's ruling, especially the judge who is overseeing the case.** How can the DPHHS-CFS workers be accountable? Who will make them and how?
19. **Have set standards to follow when doing an investigation.**
20. **Have stiff fines for bullying and threatening parents or family members.** All parents and family members regardless of what their offenses should be treated with respect.
21. **Case workers must be required to know Montana law.** Recently a caseworker testified at a show cause hearing - lawyer *"So based on your training and experience is it appropriate parental behavior for a father to manipulate an infant's penis to make it erect?"* caseworker- *"I can't - I don't believe I've ever read anything in State training that exactly went to that. Since then I've had to research more into that and was concerned about the behavior. But since then of learning more, like, criminally, there's nothing because Dad didn't do it for his own sexual gratification. And counselors who are trained in that area have - I have been told that - during my investigation, that Father perhaps needed counseling to learn appropriate boundaries, but that was not an act of molesting the child."* and *"that a one-time thing is not going to do damage to the child."* In fact according to Montana state law what the father admitted to was an act of sexual abuse of the child and it is clearly a crime! The caseworker removed the child from his protective mother and placed him with his father that admitted to doing this to him while his 4 year old sister had highly sexualized behavior since the age of 1 and made many disclosures to her counselor about her dad masturbating her and other grievous sexual acts. The mother has been told repeatedly she is not getting her children back until she admits that her children have not been sexually abused by their father.

This is Montana state law:

MCA 45-2-101 (67) "Sexual contact" means touching of the sexual or other intimate parts of the person of another, directly or through clothing, in order to knowingly or purposely:

(b) arouse or gratify the sexual response or desire of either party.

45-5-625. Sexual abuse of children. (1) A person commits the offense of sexual abuse of children if the person:

(a) knowingly employs, uses, or permits the employment or use of a child in an exhibition of sexual conduct, actual or simulated;

(b) "Sexual conduct" means: (i) actual or simulated: (D) masturbation;

22. **Case workers assigned to Sex abuse cases MUST have proper training in this area.** Currently they are operating under the common myths of Child Sexual Abuse (attached)

http://www.leadershipcouncil.org/1/res/csa_myths.html

23. **Failure to comply with any new training in a timely manner will lead to immediate dismissal.**

24. **All CFS workers should be dismissed and forced to re-apply for their current position. Nothing will change with the current staff - especially those in charge.**

25. **All CFS workers should be subjected to random drug testing. With the power these people have to destroy children and families lives, we can't afford to have active drug abusers or alcoholics in these positions!**

Judicial Branch Changes

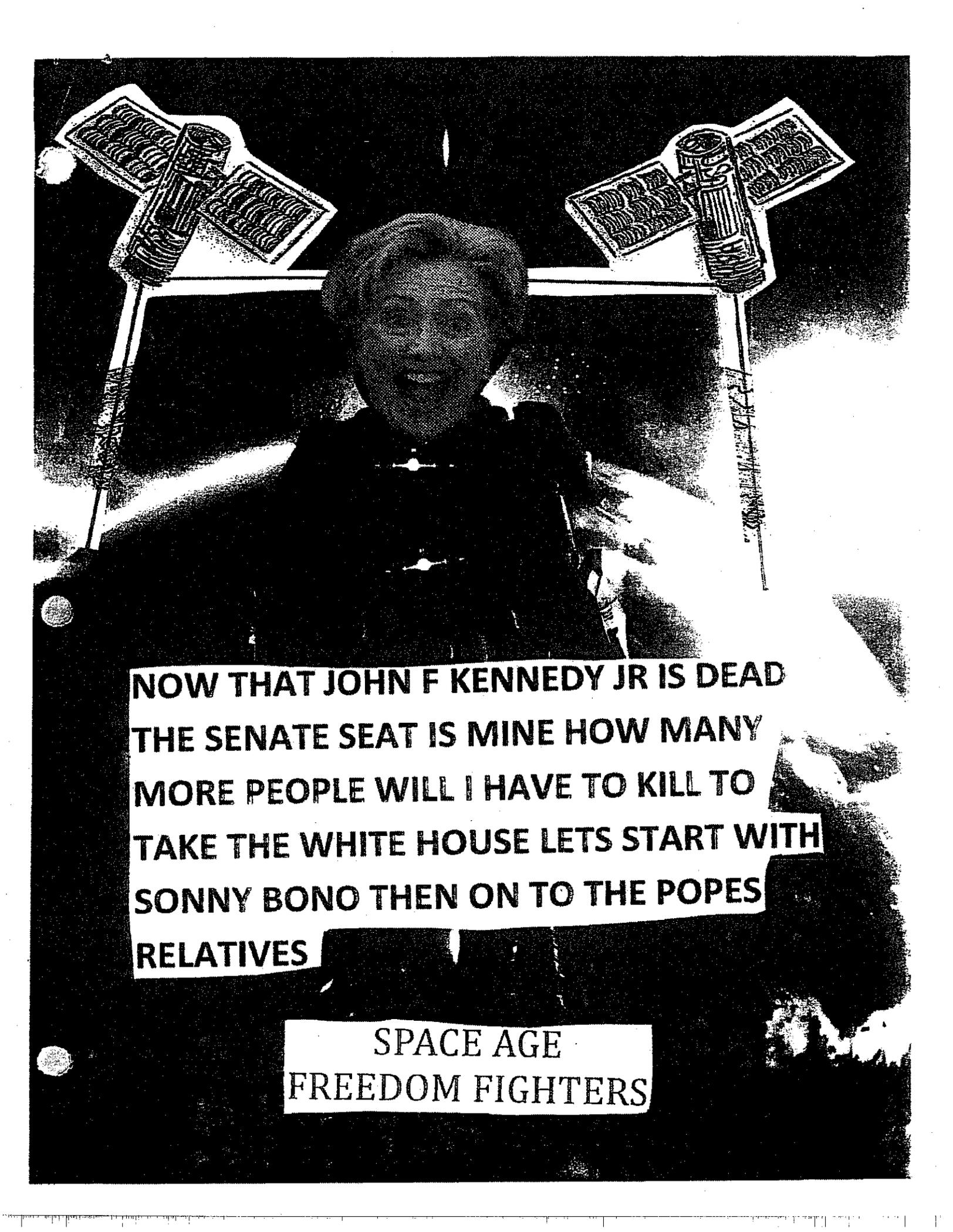
1. **Open courts:** use initials for the children for amenity to protect them. Make hearings open and transparent. Closed hearings are protecting the DPHHS-CFS workers more than the children.
2. **Lower standard of proof in Youth in need of Care and Custody sexual abuse cases to civil proof (51%) not criminal proof (99%).** Judges and CFS workers are basing their judgments on the standard of needing 99% proof that the abuse happened when there are allegations of child sexual abuse. This may already be the law but Judges are doing this.
3. **Larger fines for false reporting.**
4. **There should not be a time limit for child custody hearings if there is alleged sexual abuse.**
5. **Mandatory prison sentences for convicted child molesters.** In a case in Great Falls in 2014 a father ADMITTED to the abuse but was given a sentence with ALL of it suspended by Judge Niel who stated that it is too hard to determine guilt with children under 5. That sends a message that there is no penalty for abusing children as long as you admit it.
6. **Allow Guardian ad litem in divorce custody cases if there is alleged child or sexual abuse of the children.** Montana Code #41-3-112 regarding the Guardian ad litem includes "(1) In every judicial proceeding, the court shall appoint a Guardian ad litem for any child alleged to be abused or neglected." People have been told a Guardian ad litem cannot be assigned within a divorce custody case and they can only be assigned in "youth in need of care" cases. Also judges are failing to appoint guardian ad litem.
7. **Standing Master Judges should not be allowed to rule in "contested cases" whether it is a custody, divorce or youth in need of care case.** Montana is only 1 of 3 states left that allow Standing Master judges. Standing Master judges are not elected they are appointed. This stops the checks and balances set up to keep our country free of tyrants. Citizens should be allowed to vote out a judge that they do not feel is doing a good job of upholding the law or being fair in their rulings. Standing Master Judges cannot be voted out of their position. They were originally only supposed to hear uncontested cases. If step#1 under DPHHS-C FS policy changes above was implemented it would free up the overload on the court system that is causing a need for more judges.
8. **DFHHS-CFS should not be allowed to use County Attorney's for their lawyers in Child custody cases.** This is a conflict of interest. The Judicial and Administrative branches of government are to be kept separate.

When the County attorneys (judicial branch) are the lawyers for the DPHHS-CFS (administrative branch) it is merging the 2 branches of government which are supposed to be a check & balance. When the County Attorney is the DPHHS-CFS's lawyers, there is no one to hold Child & Family Services employees accountable when they break the law. **All Montana state Administrative offices should have their own attorneys.**

9. **If a CFS worker breaks the law - i.e. perjury or falsifying records or contempt of court - they should be subject to prosecution - just like any other citizen who breaks the law. Know of 2 cases where the judge KNEW the CFS worker was lying but ignored it. Why are CFS workers allowed to break the law?**
10. **All subpoenaed CFS workers should be forced to appear in court or be held in contempt of court. Why are they above the law and don't have to appear if they don't want to?**

Legislature - Laws that need to be changed or created

1. **Force the above policies on Department of Family Services - Child & Family Services if not implemented by the department by enacting laws.**
2. **Force the above judicial system changes by enacting laws if they don't change.**
3. **Confidentiality use should be limited to realistic measures. The current confidentiality laws protect DPHHS-CFS more than the children and families involved. These laws allow DPHHS-CFS workers to have no accountability for their actions or decisions. Use initials on documents. According to recent newspaper articles the legislature needs to open up disclosure of information in Neglect & Abuse cases. See attached Newspaper article.**
4. **Loss of parental rights in cases of sex abuse where the parent is the abuser.**
5. **CFS workers should not be protected from personal law suits against them when they break the law by the way they carry out their duties for the department of HHS. The "Public Duty Doctrine" was declared unconstitutional in the 73 New Montana Constitution. DPHHS-CFS workers should be accountable to the public for their actions and decisions.**
6. **Have a Grievance Board instead of a Review Board. Something that works does not appear to be in place. (Ombudsman). The Grievance Board or Review Board should not be controlled nor staffed by the department it is monitoring. This group should also have some recourse to cause change such as prosecution of DFS staff AND reversal of decisions. the Ombudsman office appears to be completely useless.**
7. **Create a citizen board to oversee CFS similar to mental health. CFS Must have an outside agency overseeing that they are actually following state and federal laws and their own policies.**
8. **ICWA expert witnesses should NOT be subject under DFHHS...it is a direct conflict of interest! Social workers threaten ICWA witnesses with failure to reimburse if they don't testify the way the state directs them. We know that for a fact!**
9. **Pass a law for a full investigation into the unethical, destructive and unlawful practices of DPHHS-Child and Family Services**



**NOW THAT JOHN F KENNEDY JR IS DEAD
THE SENATE SEAT IS MINE HOW MANY
MORE PEOPLE WILL I HAVE TO KILL TO
TAKE THE WHITE HOUSE LETS START WITH
SONNY BONO THEN ON TO THE POPES
RELATIVES**

**SPACE AGE
FREEDOM FIGHTERS**

HISTORIC FREEDOM FIGHTER FLIERS

~~The fliers in this document talk about the early part of~~
the early part of the freedom fighter movement but they do not talk about the most recent developments.

After returning from the east coast and arriving in Montana the state of my birth and the state which I considered my home to find the arrest warrant that Hillary Danes Zinki and Pall Rayon used to try and slit my throat in prison which computer hacker Steve Daines hacked off the police computer system was active because the Governor of Montana did not have clemency authority like other states. Having my favorite cousin Barry living right across the the street from the Governor is like a sign from God and Barry's wife Nancy is really good. Well the Governor is a big Jogger and he likes to go jogging in the morning so sleeping under Barry's front yard tree to and go jogging and talk strategic seemed like only a natural although being really busy I could not do it every day.

For a while I did not decide on a strategy to wipe out the warrant. My friends at the State House decided to pass a bill to give the Montana Governor Authority and it passed but did not take effect until October 1 20115.

Then Rhode Island sent out a document showing I was still registered to vote in Rhode Island so I sent out a Clemency to the new Rhode Island Governor a Woman this woke things up they picked me up and let me out no bail. Then I sent a Clemency document out to Maryland Governor Larry Hogan who we were responsible for putting in Office that did the trick they folded document enclosed.

Then I knew I had to protect my supporters so I went to Butte and filed 4 federal law suits that did the trick Hillary and Daines were placed on the SECERET TERRORST PHONE TAPPING LIST.

Mean while the only Montana congress Man a military veteran who is hooked on pork joins forces Hillary with Hillary the corrupt banks that finished off the Republicans chances for McCain to take the White House and set up a scam to wipe me out of the banking system leaking the contents of my safety deposit box keeping me from using the stacks of unused fliers I had ready in Maryland for the Pope's visit and attempted to scoop up all my copies of the image of Bill and I with the help of that Vladimir Putin KGB girl friend that kicked off the arrest warrant by promising me \$500 overdraft protection coordinating with corrupt cops Judge Bob Wood who Hillary sent EMAILS to (Hillary EMAIL Scandal) to (now in the NSA Files)

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED NOW

We are planning some big moves that will really make the difference. Hillary and Diane's are on the list lets up it to the NO FLY TERRIOST STATIUS. No commercial no private no leasing air craft any pilot caught taking either of these on a plain gets their license pulled right now.

We are soon to file a law suit against the democratic congressional appoint for congress this will give her an excuse to teach Star Wars in all Montana schools and home work assignments passing out fliers at the super markets.

RESOURCES ARE NEEDED NOW

DO NOT HESITATE

IT'S YOUR FUTURE

DO NOT WAIT YOUR HELP IS NEEDED NOW

CASH VOLUNTEER

LETS SAVE THIS COUNTRY IT IS NOT TO LATE

**WE ARE AMERICA THE MOST POWERFUL
DEMOCRACY IN THE GALAXY**

PAY DOWN THE DEBT AT A REASONABLE RATE

GET OUT OF THE PORK SYSTEM

PEACE AND PROSPERITY FOR THE WHOLE GLOBE

WHEN YOU CAN TAKE SOMEBODY OUT FROM

250 MILES UP IN OUTER SPACE

THAT'S BIG THE 1000 YEARS OF PEACE

THEY TALK ABOUT IN THE BOOK OF REVELATIONS

BEFORE CRIST COMES AGAIN IS POSSIBLE

Clemency

Emergency Short term limited Clemency

To be reviewed at a future date

Explanation enclosed

Eric Brosten was in my state when this warrant was issued no doubt the plan was to kill him when he was scooped up and locked up in the Notorious Baltimore jail which I have just closed note article.

When they had trouble doing that a police officer in car 5550 arrived in the area of Contee Road Laurel MD 20708 on 7-30-14 between the hours 9:00-10:00 AM and threatened to kill him. Un willing to waist a lot of time playing with the police and getting nowhere he made up fliers and distributed them among his MD contacted which brought down my opposition for Governor I thank him

Case No CR-2013-0002177

Citation No E01054

Police Report HP130630 3 previous listings ref Montana case

I am assuming jurisdiction because this killing was to take place on MD soil and Eric still rents property in MD under the full faith and credit clause of US this must be recognized in all 50 states unless over turned by the US Supreme Court

Larry Hogan Maryland Gov.

DISMISSED

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Notorious Baltimore jail to be shuttered

Maryland Gov. Larry Hogan says he will immediately shut down a "deplorable" Baltimore jail that was the focus of a federal corruption investigation.

Hogan said Thursday that the state would save \$10 million to \$15 million a year by closing the Baltimore City Detention Center. It houses hundreds of inmates awaiting trial or serving short sentences.

Employees and inmates will be reassigned to other jails.

The jail grabbed headlines in 2013 after a sweeping federal indictment exposed a drug ring involving dozens of gang members and correctional officers.

DO IT FOR YOUR COUNTRY



BILL DID YOU TRY TO GET MEDA COVERAGE WITHOUT SLEEPING WITH SOMEONE

JUST TRY !! NOW YOU KNOW WHAT BILL WAS UP AGAINST

THE THING ABOUT MONICA UNLIKE HIS OTHER GIRL FRIENDS

SHE WOULD SCREAM FROM THE OTHER SIDE OF THE OVAL OFFICE "PULL IT TOGETHER BILL DO YOU WANT ME TO START RUNNING THIS COUNTRY" (NONE OF HIS OTHER GIRLS WOULD DO THAT) HAY HAY HILLERY IS LEANING ON ME REALLY HARD TO CUT ME SOME SLACK " OK WE WILL WORK TOGETHER AND BALANCE THE FEDERAL BUDJET!!!!!!

The reason Ken Star focused on Monica is because **Eric Brosten** dropped off those documents with her they expected him to throw Bill out of office for abusing the Star Wars weapon system. But he explained to those in the Senate and Congress at the height of the impeachment you don't understand the Star Wars issue it is a tough scary issue it has to be worked just right to work and besides you don't want Bill what you really want is the White House Ken Star had done such a good job of dragging Bill through the Mud the polls WERE WARE we wanted them so we went for the White House and grabbed it.

ONE OF THE MOST STRATEGIC MOVES IN SPACE AGE
POLITICS

MONICA LEWINSKY

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STATE OF MONTANA
ANTI MATER FLIER LICENCE

The state of MONTANA is quite concerned about the handling of weapons of mass political destruction

Fliers have progressed through an advanced stage of development

1. NUCLEAR
2. HYDROGEN
3. AND THE FINAL AND ULTIMATE STAGE ANTI MATER GLOBE CHANGER

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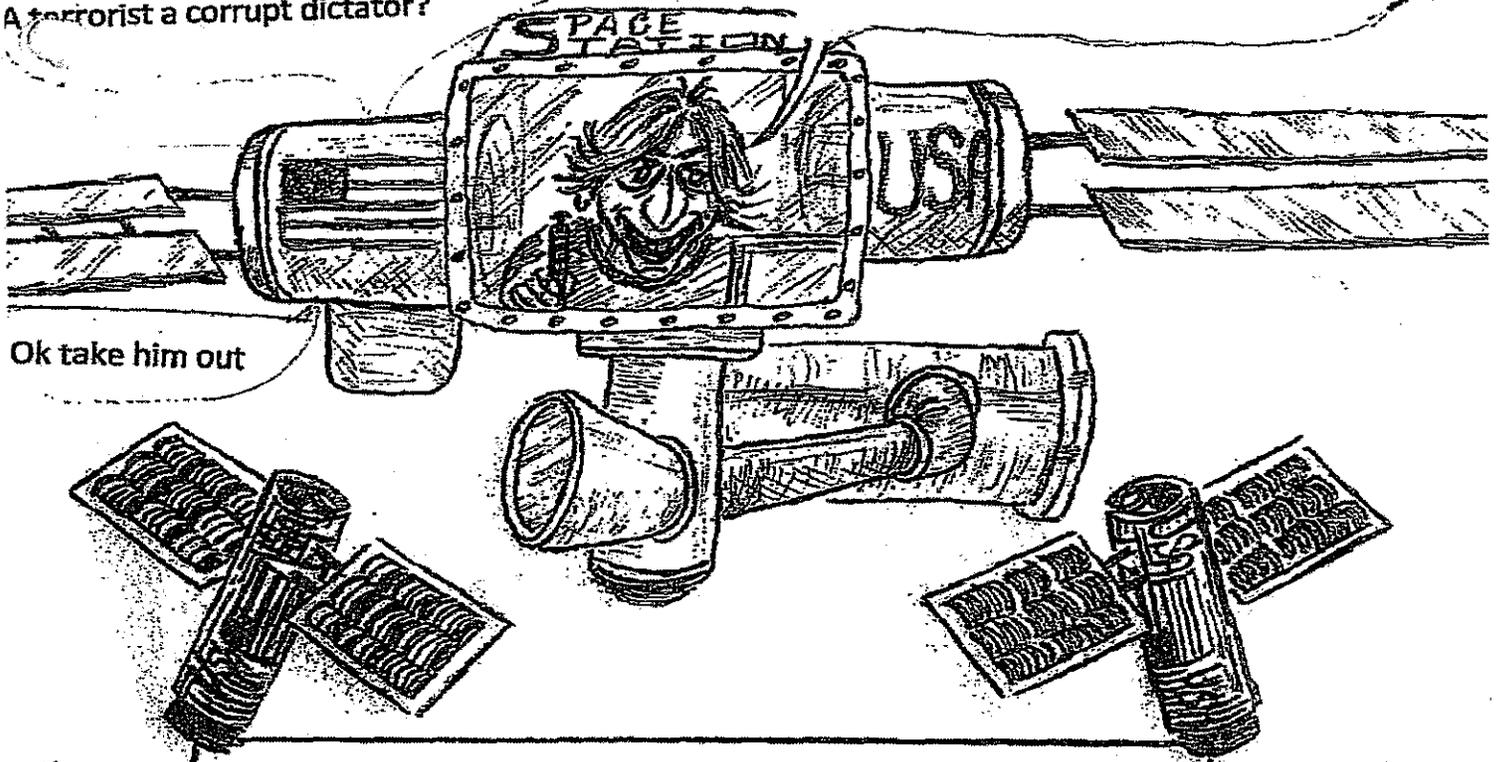
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Who are the drones helping us target today

A terrorist a corrupt dictator?

No just some sap that would not cough

Up enough campaign cash



Ok take him out

Another top secret mission at the Star Wars control center.

SPACE AGE FREEDOM FIGHTERS

spaceagefreedomfighters@gmail.com

Hello my name is Eric Brosten I would like to tell you about the most important issue of our time. The use and misuse of space base weapon system known as Star Wars. Reagan openly talked about it but since then the media has refused to cover the issue. As a result it is a total loss of those rights which mankind obtained in the Magna Carta. Politicians have regained the power once held by kings the ability to kill without retribution.

The system uses sub atom particles accelerated to the speed of light then bounced off a couple of satellites then to the target. Reference Scientific American (September 1998). This system was first developed for shooting down missiles and planes but has advanced to the point that people on the ground can be targeted and killed.

I first became aware this system existed when I was working on the Cruise Missile program. The main reason this weapon is kept secret is to continue the production of obsolete weapons so politicians can have jobs in their district.

When I was working as a quality control engineer in Rhode Island my supervisor was a democratic state representative Cam Peliqun. He told me that if I did not start accepting low quality parts for the military I would not only lose my job but have to leave Rhode Island.

I got another job at AMA and had to obtain emergency custody of my son when I discovered my son was being sexually abused by his step farther.

The custody case blew up when they basically used my son as a hostage to get an unsafe condition on the Cruise Missile stamped off. The condition had to do with the center of gravity of the missile. Under certain conditions the missile would hit the sub when launched.

The lawyers were so rabid to get my son away from me that they falsified one of the key court orders. My ex-wife lawyers were financed by state money and paid \$150 an hour to do things like trips to the airport. They took away my entire visitation and handed down a \$20,000 judgment against me.

I fired my attorney and reported the attorneys to the disciplinary office. The woman in charge of the disciplinary office dismissed the case and was later appointed to a Federal Judge.

I ran for state rep in RI and worked with church groups and other nonprofits to change the way judges were chosen. I got to know many politicians and finally was invited to see President Bill Clinton. They asked me to gather some documentation for back ground on the case. I gathered the documents and got a ride down to Washington with the Catholic Church for the Roe v Wade rally. I went to the White House and called from the guard shack. Clinton's aid sent someone to pick up the documents. A young girl came down to the guard shack it was Monica Lewinsky. Abuse of the Star Wars weapon system was the real issue keeping the Lewinsky sex scandal going. I convinced them not to bring it up at that time because Ken Star had done such a good job of dragging Bill through the mud. If Al Gore became president he would be much harder to beat in the coming election.

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Then came the ultimate political back stabbing. Back stabbing entered the human lexicon in the middle ages when a conniving tribal leader or king decided rather than risk his best warriors in a fair fight he would entice his rival to a false sense of safety talking about maybe a peace treaty or something. Then when the advisory was close enough for a hug or something pullout a short blade 2 to 3 inches, reach around the advisories back and sever the spinal cord. This action really stuck in the human lexicon.

In politics it is not far different. After the Lewinsky scandal, I had been meeting with Nobel Prize winners like Desmond Tutu and was going to get some nomination papers over to Norway. Then I got a somewhat flawed idea why not get Bill Clinton to sign them. I had been studying Clintons use of the media and got a false sense of security. Clintons signature would remove Star Wars from the black hole of secrecy prevent future misuse and I could pull myself out of my financial situation. I jumped on a bus and traveled to New York for Hillary's senate announcement.

I stood right up front at the rope line and it was obvious Bill recognized me and knew who I was. The Clintons came around to shake everyone's hands Hillary Bill and Chelsy. When Bill reached me I asked him if he would sign the nomination papers and he said he would.

I went home and called Catholic Bishop Louis Gelineau and told him what Clinton had said and my plans. His response was don't do it Clinton was bad news. I sent a gift a little bottle of perfume that I got with a coupon at J C Pennies to Chelsy at her dorm room in California. The Secret Service came up to my house and interviewed me and a short time later had me locked up in Butler Hospital. In open court they admitted they were taping my phone no court orders. Typical Rhode Island legal proceeding in Rhode Island the judge has already made his decision their just waiting for you to show up in court. To destroy my credibility and prevent future activism they court ordered me to take psychiatric drugs.

The long ago threat by that corrupt state representative had reach fruition. They took my house my sail boat all my cars and later my computer fax machine and all my cameras I had officially been evicted from the Democratic Party.

But Al Gore lost the election

The Democratic Trial Lawyers launched an avalanche of sexual abuse law suits against the Catholic Church. That ride on the bus to Washington they gave me probably cost them around a billion dollars. Now it's this contraception issue they won't let up.

I realized for me Rhode Island was no place to try and recover so I left to start a new life in Montana.

Star Wars is still secret and the potential for misuse is unlimited. If we ban together we fight back against the corrupt politicians and demand our freedoms back

Space Age Freedom Fighters

The incident when I lost my cars was quite interesting John Kennedy Jr. magazine George was folding and he was considering going into politics probably a senate seat in New York. Hillary was also considering a New York senate seat and the Clintons did not want any stiff competition.

John's plane went down so I gathered some supporters and set up a picket line with signs that said Star Wars Are Real right in front of a whole bunch of media trucks when they brought his plane wreckage to a base in Rhode Island. The story should have gone global overnight. But media in total complacency with our corrupt government made no mention of Star Wars. We may as well be living in Eastern Europe before the wall went down where political opposition were routinely assonated and the government run media only reported there propaganda message the secret police monitored every move and any one that steps out of line is dealt with severely.

They smashed out my windshield in my car then sent the police up to my house worked me over threw me in the slammer and towed all my cars away. I guess it's a good thing I was not doing any flying at that time they would have Star Wars down my plane too.

Eisenhower warned us about the influence of the military industrial complex. Help us put limits on this pork barrel fiasco we call a defense budget.

THE RELIABLE SOURCE

HELENA ANDREWS AND EMILY HEIL

15 years later, wondering 'What if?' for JFK Jr.

It's a trick question with an impossible answer: If Famous Person A hadn't died, would Famous Person B be as famous? But that doesn't stop folks from digging up the imaginary measuring stick. Take, for instance, RoseMarie Terenzio.

In the latest issue of *People* magazine, the John F. Kennedy Jr. confidant claims that if Camelot's heir apparent hadn't died in a 1999 plane crash, then Barack Obama would not have made it to the White House nearly a decade later.

"Someone once asked me if John were alive, what would he think of Obama being elected president, and I responded if John were alive, Barack Obama would not be the president," Terenzio, Kennedy's friend and

former assistant. Kennedy was piloting a light aircraft carrying his wife, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy, and her sister Lauren Bessette when it crashed in the Atlantic Ocean off the coast of Martha's Vineyard on July 16, 1999, killing all three.



John F. Kennedy Jr.

"John would have gone into politics by now," added Terenzio. "He was approached to run for the Senate before Hillary Clinton joined the race."

When Terenzio's memoir about her glamorous life with the Kennedy couple, "Fairy Tale Interrupted," was released in 2012, she told the *Reliable Source* that George magazine, which was co-founded by Kennedy, was ahead of its time "with tea parties and hanging chads and Obama."



"I still do not believe the official story."

— "The View's" new (but not new) co-host **Rosie O'Donnell** in a tweet responding to the question of whether she still believes in "9/11 trutherism," or conspiracy theories outlining the U.S. government's alleged involvement in the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001. After a vicious "hot topics" bout with then co-host Elisabeth Hasselbeck, O'Donnell left "The View" before her contract was up in 2007. She returns to the table this fall.



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CNN's Michelle Rusk married philanthropist House in Northeast Washington. Duncan's

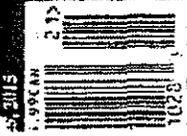
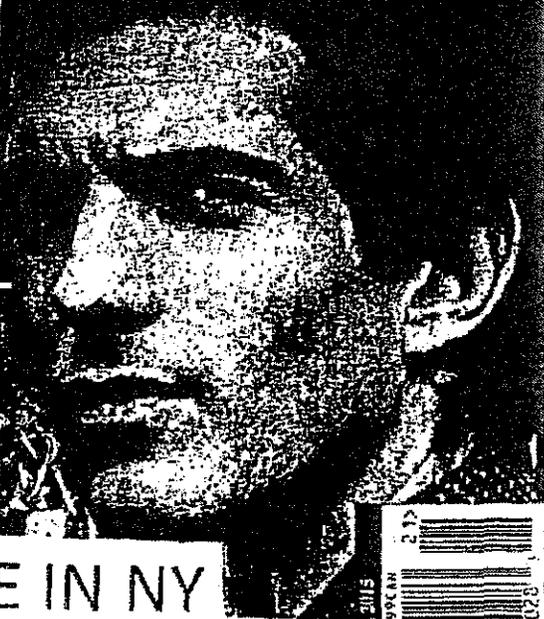
BREAKING NEWS

HILLARY MURDER BOMBSHELL

JFK JR. WAS MURDERED!

HILLARY STAR WARS DID NOT WANT TO RUN AGAINST HIM IN THE PRIMARY FOR SENATE IN NY

SHOT THE PLANE DOWN



SHE IS CORRUPT

CORRUPT TO THE MAX

TO THE MAX

STAR WARS DEATH

THE NEXT ONE COULD BE YOU

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ANTHONY BROWN MOB PRIEST KILLER HE WILL DO ANYTHING TO SHUT UP THE TRUTH THAT HILLARY KILLED JOHN F KENNEDY JR WITH STARWARS

ARGENTINA

3 relatives of pope killed in car crash

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Associated Press

THEY SENT A MOB POLICE OFFICER THAT THREATENED TO KILL ME THIS IS THE THIRD TIME I HAVE EITHER HAD MY CIVIL RIGHTS VIOLATED OR RUN DOWN ON MY BIKE

PLUS KILLED 3 MEMBERS OF THE POPES FAMILY

READ THE ARTICLE THEY NO DOUBT USED THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENTS SECRETE

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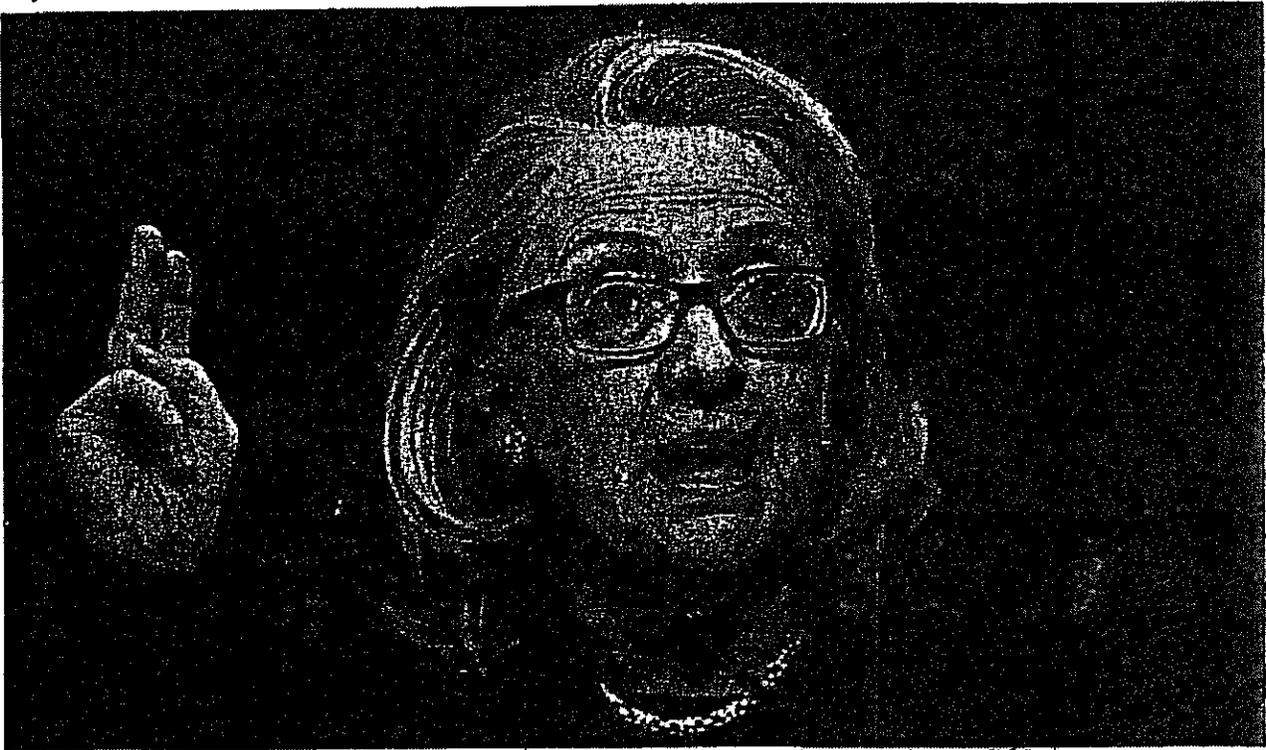
GIGNAC



Rev. FRANCIS T. GIGNAC, S.J., died Wednesday, June 4, 2014, in Clarkston, Michigan, age 81. A Jesuit for over 63 years, Fr. Gignac served most of his career at Catholic University, Washington, DC. He also served in Chicago, IL and the Bronx, NY. Wake Service, Monday, 7 p.m. at Colombero Center, 9075 Big Lake Road, Clarkston, Michigan. Funeral Mass, Tuesday, 10:45 a.m. at Colombero. Memorial gifts may be made to the Jesuit Partnership, 2050 N. Clark Street, Chicago, IL 60614, or online at www.Jesuits-chgdet.org. A.J. Desmond & Sons, Troy, Michigan, 1-800-210-7135.

GROSS

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The new battle against evil

HILLARY HAS GONE TO FAR KILLING 3 MEMBERS OF THE POPES FAMILY BECAUSE OF HIS WORK TO EXPOSE HER FOR KILLING JOHN F KENNEDY JR WITH STARWARS

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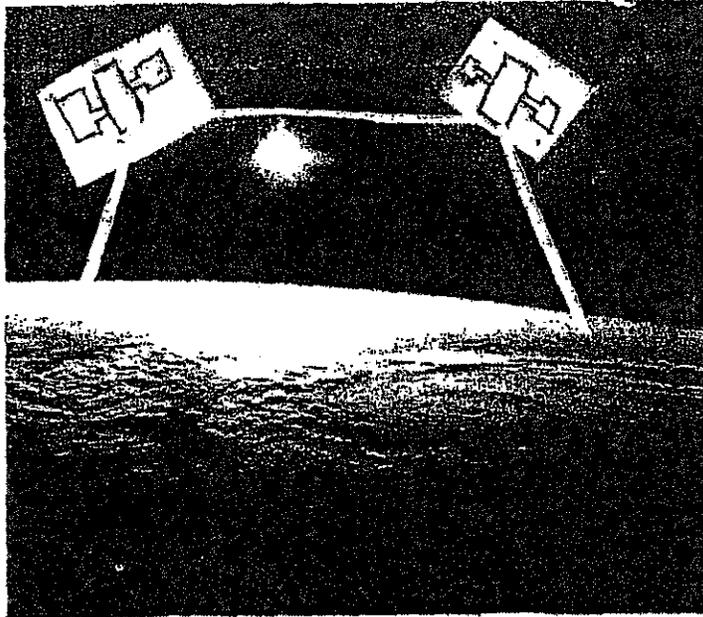


THIS SECERET SERVICE FEASCO HAS THE CLINTON CORRUPT KILLER POLITICAL FINGERPRINTS ALL OVER IT

ONLY THE CLINTONS HAVE A HISTORY OF USING THE SECERET SERVICE TO ACHIVE THERE
CORRUPT POLITICAL ENDS LIKE THE TIME THEY LOCKED UP A NUCLEAR TOMAHAWK CRUISE
MISSILE SAFETY ENGINEER IN THE PSYCH WARD BECAUSE HE WAS THE ONE THAT DROPE
OFF THE DOCUMENTS WITH MONICA LEWINSKI (HE REFUSED TO STAMP OFF THE PORK AND
MAYBE KILL 100 BRAVE MILITARY AND SINK A 2 BILLION DOLLAR SUB) IT MAY HAVE KEPT
QUIET THE FACT THAT HILLARY USED THE STAR WARS BEAM TO KILL JOHN F KENNEDY JR FOR
A WILE BUT NOT FOR EVER.

EVERY 8TH GRADE BOY SCOUT KNOWS A MENTELY ILL PSD WITH A TRUNK FULL OF GUNS AND
A MAP TO THE WHITE HOUSE MEANS TROUBLE

**BUT IN TERRY MCAULIFFE'S VIRGINIA HE GETS A FREE PASS I
AM SURPRISED THEY DID NOT TAKE HIM TO DINNER AND
GIVE HIM A 16 TRILLION DOLLAR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
CREDIT CARD THEY MAY AS WELL HAVE ITS SO STUPID AND
CORRUPT WHAT WERE THEY THINKING**



**LEARN ABOUT THE
BOLD NEW WORLD**

**WE WILL LIVE IN MANKIND HAS CROSSED A NEW THRESHOLD
OUR YOUNG BOYS WILL NO LONGER HAVE TO DIE ON
FOREIGN SOIL SO SOME DEFENCE CONTRACTOR CAN MAKE
SOME CASH WHEN THE ENEMY CAN BE TAKEN OUT FROM
250 MILES UP IN OUTER SPACE THAT'S BIG**

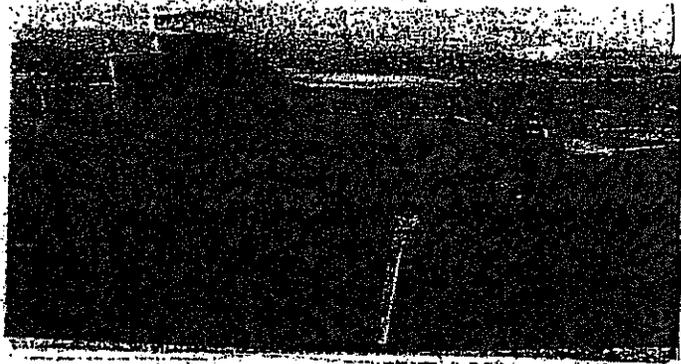
HEAR IT IN PERSON IN THE FIELD

TO THE EAST OF THE COLLEGE

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Most expensive defense program ever lacks a clear purpose

Until a national military strategy is crafted to defeat the new threats we face, military leaders can't know what they need to keep Americans secure



The F-35 should be known as the fighter that ate the defense budget.

PORK
YA

KICK BACK

IT WILL
NOT EVEN

MAKE IT OFF RUNWAY
Z.A PEPED FROM SPACE

8.59 BILLION PORK ARE YOU NUTS

WE KNOW YOU WANT A FEW PORK JOBS FOR THE DISTRICT BUT OUR FEDERAL DEBT IS NOT A NEVER ENDING CREDIT CARD FOR YOU TO TRY AND GET REELECTED

MAYBE A PORK ADDITITION PSYCH WARD ON CAPITOL HILL IS WHAT IS NEEDED PORK KICK BACK

REAL
SMART
YA

GROW UP LETS CALL FOR AN AMERICAN VOTING BOX REVOLUTION THROW THE BUMBS OUT NOW!!!!

PORK

WE GOT A PORK KICK BACK YA Z.A.P

F-35 Gets New Estimated Cost

Lower fuel-price forecast prompts U.S. to cut its estimate for the jet's operating costs

By DOUG CAMERON

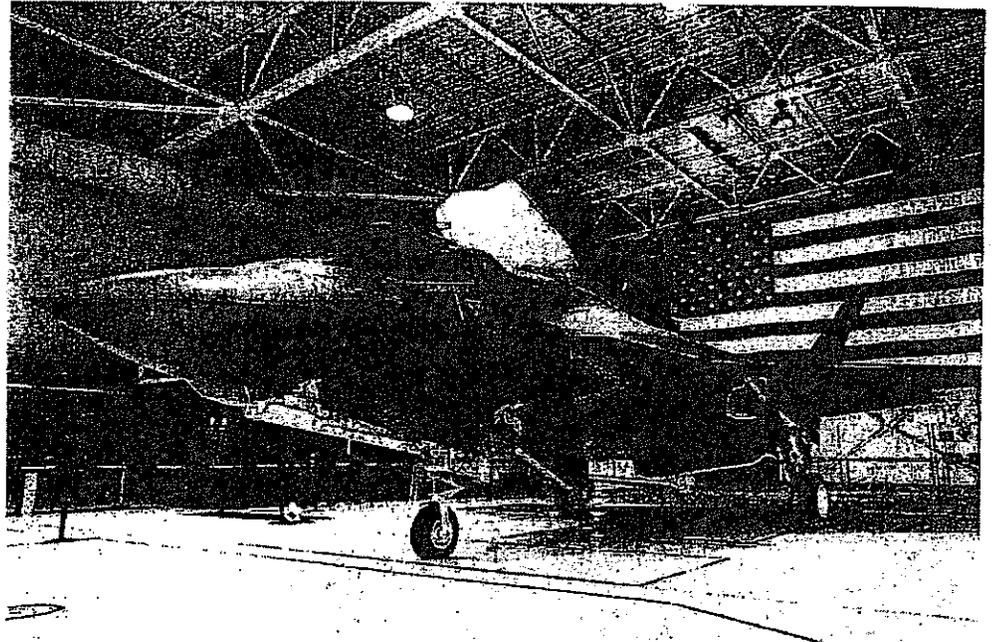
The Pentagon has reduced the long-term planning price for fuel costs, helping lop billions of dollars from the estimated cost of flying the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter.

Jet builder Lockheed Martin Corp. and its partners in the F-35 program are investing \$170 million over two years to cut the cost of each plane, but the change in the fuel-price assumption has shaved several million dollars from the operating cost of each aircraft.

The F-35 program office said on Thursday that its estimate for the lifetime cost of operating thousands of the jets fell to \$859 billion, down \$57.8 billion from a year earlier. The drop reflected lower forecasts for maintenance and repair, improved fuel consumption as well as billions of dollars from the revised oil-price assumptions.

The Pentagon reset its long-term fuel price forecasts in early February, according to the Defense Energy Support Center, and the F-35 program office said this was incorporated in its own new estimates for the jet's operating cost.

The drop in global oil prices will provide a windfall to the Pentagon, which spends around \$15 billion a year buying petro-



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leum products on the open market. It sells fuel to each branch of the military at set prices, and any difference with the market price is absorbed by its Defense Working Capital Fund. When prices drop, the fund goes into surplus and uses this to set lower prices in future years.

A Pentagon spokesman wasn't immediately able to provide details of the new fuel-price assumptions.

The estimated cost of buying more than 2,400 F-35 jets fell by \$7.7 billion to \$331.6 billion, compared with a year earlier. The purchase price of each plane

in the latest deal negotiated with Lockheed and engine maker Pratt & Whitney is \$108 million for the A model being bought by the U.S. Air Force and a number of American allies. That is \$4 million less than the previous batch. This excludes research and development costs.

The Pentagon is negotiating with Lockheed and Pratt & Whitney, a unit of United Technologies Corp., for another two batches of aircraft. It hasn't disclosed how many planes are involved.

Lockheed, Pratt and partners including Northrop Grumman

Corp. and BAE Systems PLC aim to cut the purchase price of the jet to around \$80 million by the end of the decade.

The disclosures came as the Pentagon said the estimated cost of its biggest weapons program fell slightly last year to \$1.62 trillion, though much of the decrease reflected assumptions about lower future inflation.

The report is closely watched as an indicator of the Pentagon's effort to improve the efficiency of the way it designs and buys new weapons, as Congress continues its scrutiny of the latest defense-budget request.

Tesla Upgrade to Make Cars Self-Driving

By MIKE RAMSEY

Tesla Motors Inc. is positioning itself as a software company, as well as an auto maker, committing to a series of upgrades for its Model S electric cars that it will start delivering to owners via the Internet within the next 10 days.

The upgrades will be rolled out over a series of months and will include a suite of groundbreaking features that would allow the car to operate with complete autonomy on highways. Unlike most of the auto industry's upgrades, which are delivered to customers through an in-

Thursday during a conference call with reporters and analysts.

Since entering the auto industry more than a decade ago, Mr. Musk has been challenging the auto industry's practice of selling cars through a dealer network. His confidence in the near-term prospects of the electric car has been unsurpassed, and his foray into using software to make major improvements in vehicles that are already on the road is largely unrivaled.

"We view it in the same way as updating your phone or your laptop," he said. "It is a fundamental paradigm shift."

The first round of upgrades,

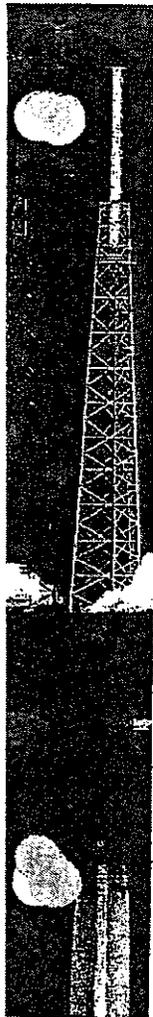
ture blind-spot detection, emergency automatic braking, and a "valet" mode, which would prevent an attendant from driving the car at high speeds or using it to access personal information.

The next upgrade, dubbed 7.0 and expected in a few months, will change the user interface and allow the car to drive itself on highways. The driver could let go of the steering wheel, permitting the car to guide itself to its destination.

The upgrade also would offer the option of having the car drive itself, without a human occupant, to pick someone up. But that feature is designed to work

has been supplying updates since it launched the car in the summer of 2012. Now, however the upgrades are becoming more significant. The latest download for example, will allow the car to communicate with the company's system of fast-charging locations called Superchargers. "It makes it almost impossible to run out [of power] unless you do it intentionally," Mr. Musk said on the call.

Mark Wakefield, a partner at management consulting firm AlixPartners LLP, said Tesla is well ahead of the rest of the automotive industry. Its willingness to take risks has given it a jump on



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...the need for such features, critics note. The life-extension program for other nuclear weapons, such as the B61 gravity bomb, has added security measures, such as increased encryption, without having to start a new design from scratch. Kristensen argues. "Here was a weapon that was designed back in the 1960s and 1970s, and when it was first deployed it did not have safety features," he says. "They refit it all on the weapon itself without having to rebuild it. This suggests that you can achieve extraordinarily high levels of safety in current designs without going to a new design."

The U.S. also spent millions of dollars upgrading the security of nuclear weapon storage sites after the September 11 terrorist attacks, leaving open the question of who is capable of improperly triggering such weapons. "I don't know anyone who believes that the physical security of U.S. nuclear weapons is in doubt," says Ivan Oelrich, FAS's vice president for strategic security programs. A panel of experts convened to evaluate the RRW program—the Nuclear Weapons Complex Assessment Committee of the American Association for Advancement of Science (AAAS)—agrees.

April assessment report the committee found no reason to believe that features such

COSTS

\$6.5 billion

Fiscal year 2008 cost for stockpile stewardship
—NNSA FY08 Budget Request

\$21 billion

Cost to replace the present weapons complex
—George Allen, Director, Office of Transformation, NNSA

\$5.8 trillion

Estimated cost of U.S. nuclear weapons program
—Stephen Schwartz, The Brookings Institution

as PAL would "substantially reduce the current reliance on guns, guards and gates."

The NNSA says the new features are necessary for the small amount of time such weapons spend being trucked from site to site, to eliminate the threat of hijacking. "It gives us an extra measure that we think is prudent, particularly in transportation scenarios," Harvey says.

The "Green" Nuclear Warhead

The RRWI also would eliminate the need for some of the toxic substances often used in weapons, such as beryllium, a brittle, carcinogenic metal that reflects the neutrons released in a nuclear explosion and redirects them back to start a thermonuclear chain reaction. "Because of the release of the weight requirement, we are able to use materials that are heavier but more environmentally benign," Goodwin says. "We will be able to eliminate an entire [manufacturing] process that produces 96 percent radiological toxic waste that has to be buried and replace it with nontoxic waste that is 100 percent recyclable."

"You replace [beryllium] with something that quite honestly you could eat and be healthy," he adds. "It is in prosthetic body implants. It's about as biologically benign as any material can be." Because the exact specifications remain classified, however, Goodwin cannot reveal what the substance is or its exact role in the new weapon. And any nuclear weapon would still rely on plutonium, which can kill in hours if handled improperly.

Building a new warhead would entail refitting the nation's nuclear weapons-producing factories, such as Amarillo, Tex.-based Pantex, Kansas City Plant in Missouri, and Y-12 in Oak Ridge, Tenn. All are "antiques," as Goodwin calls them, some dating from the 1940s. The Bush administration unveiled plans in April for a complex to build all the components of new nuclear warheads—dubbed Complex 2030 for the year set for its completion.

Even if the Complex 2030 plans were scaled back, upgrades to the current infrastructure would be needed to carry out the RRW program, according to the AAAS panel, including at least a doubling of the current assembling and disassembling work at the Pantex plant as well as a significant increase in the amount of plutonium pits produced at the Los Alamos TA-55 facility, which began producing new primaries for the first time in 18 years in July. "We do have pit production capability but it's one-

[RELIABILITY CONCERNS]

THEIR OWN VERIFY

Concerns about the reliability of aging weapons first prompted the U.S.'s Reliable Replacement Warhead program. Some argued that older plutonium cores would degrade and impede the thermonuclear explosion they were designed to create. But subcritical tests, computer models and other analyses allayed those fears, and a government-commissioned independent review by a panel of scientists known as Jason estimates that the plutonium pits in the current W76 warheads will last a minimum of a century. Jason has therefore recommended that no action be taken other than continuing routine maintenance in the current life-extension program, such as replacing surrounding circuitry and parts as needed.

Some scientists, most prominently Richard Morse, a former group leader of bomb design as well as laser fusion at Los Alamos National Laboratory, argue that the W76 design itself is flawed. The thin uranium shell that surrounds the core would fail to contain the initial explosion long enough to channel its energy into igniting fusion for the secondary hydrogen detonation.

But many scientists and officials refute this so-called Morse effect, pointing to several successful tests of the weapons package in the 1980s. The "W76 is fine. It's gone through its annual assessment," says Hank O'Brien, RRW program leader at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

The life-extension program itself could inadvertently cause reliability issues, however. Replacing aging parts changes the weapon incrementally. "I couldn't provide the fuse that was done in the 1980s if somebody put a gun to my head," notes J. Stephen Rottler, vice president for weapons engineering and product realization at Sandia National Laboratories. "The more you move away, the greater the uncertainties," Rottler continues. "Then you must either retire the weapon or test, and neither is an acceptable outcome." —D.B.

**VOTE DOWN THIS PORK BARREL PRISON
THEY JUST LOCK UP PEOPLE FOR POLITICAL
REASONS THEY WILL LOCK YOU UP FOR AS
LITTLE AS SREAMING IN THE HOUSE THEN
SLIT YOUR THROAT IN THE PRISON CELL AND
CALL IT A SUICIDE JUST BECAUSE YOU
WANTED TO CUT BACK THE OBSOLETE
MILITARY KICKBACK SCAM PORK AND
INTERFEAR WITH THE KGB MOB CASH**

COMPUTER HACKER

STEVE DAINES

RUN YOU DOWN ON YOUR BICYCLE OR YOUR MOTORCYCLE

KILLER SENATOR STEVE DAINES

SPEAKER BOEHNER

**HAD TO STEP DOWN FOR THE ROLE HE PLAYED WHEN HE CAME IN TO
THE STATE OF MONTANA AND WITH THE HELP OF MOB HIGHWAY**

HIGHTWAY PATROL SET UP THIS KILLING OF THIS MOTORCYCLE RIDER
SEE NEWS PAPER ARTICLE ABOUT SPEAKER BOEHNER IN THE STATE
OF MONTANA AND HAD A MOTORCYCLIST KILLED THE EVIDENCE IS
ON THE CELL PHONE SOLID CONCRETE EVIDENCE

**NO MONEY WILL BE SAVED
THE FEDS WILL TAKE CONTROL
OF THE NEW PRISON IF THE
BOND IS APPROVED AND
CHARGE MORE**

THERE IS A VACANT JAIL IN HARDEN OPEN IT UP AND USE IT FORCE
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THE KGB MOB FROM GIVING MONEY TO STEVE DAINES AND HILLARY
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LAUGHING AT HOW STUPID AND CORRUPT THE AMERICANS ARE AND
WHEN HE IS GOING TO SHIPWRECK THE AMERICAN ECONOMY HA HA

**AMERICANS ARE SO STUPID
AND CORRUPT**

STARTING THOUGHTS

Secret Service on the Yellowstone

Who Were They Guarding, How Did We Know?

■ BY DAVID S. LEWIS

So I'm driving down Hwy 89 in Paradise Valley near Point of Rocks. It's August, but freakishly cold and wet. I see a small fleet of identical silver SUVs parked at the fishing access. At 80 mph, I fly by, then turn around, drive back to the entrance, and roll down the gravel road to the access.

Slowly passing the SUVs, I observe what had to be an elite security detail, probably Secret Service, because who travels with a half dozen shiny new vehicles like that? — Not even Marlboro Ranch, and that's the Shields; this is *Paradise Valley*.

I do a once-around, down to the ramp where there's a circular turn—about at water's edge, come back to the SUVs again, then park next to one of them. Getting out of my car, I walk over to a fairly young guy with a shaved head, who is, again, to my mind, a Secret Service agent.

"How's it going?" I ask.

"Good," he says.

"Would it be a problem," I ask, "if I take a photo when he comes off the river?"

"How did you know we were here?" he asks.

I shrug. "You know, it's a small town."

The fellow gets that, and we cas-

ually chat, though he's concealing as much as me. He asks who I am, and I tell him, and what I do.

"Do you have a card," he asks. "I'll phone it in to staff."

I fumble around, no card handy, so I show him my driver license, and our masthead (see left) which also has my name on it.

He asks if it's okay to pass along my info. I say it's okay, and he walks down toward the water talking on his phone, while I wait, staring at the gun metal sky.

It's August, but cold, in the 40s. A sprinkle of rain spots my glasses and windshield, really odd weather. I wonder about water on my camera.

When the agent comes back, it's to say he's "contacted staff." Their priority wasn't dealing with me, obviously, but there was still the question of how I knew their guy was on the river, and where.

Let's suppose I did know who was on the river that day, because he often comes to town, and the number of people with Secret Service protection, who fly fish, can be narrowed down to a few. You do the algebra, and x equals so-and-so, pretty easy, and it sure wasn't Hillary Clinton.

But how did I know about that spot, at that time? — Maybe luck, maybe not, maybe that's my busi-

ness, literally.

So I stood there with the Secret Service guy in the cold, which he didn't like (the cold, not me). "I come here from DC," he tells me, "and this is what you give me."

"Sorry," I say. "It should be 90 degrees." Then I tell him about other Secret Service details we'd come across here, those with Gingrich when he was digging up fossils with Jack Horner and Peter Fonda in the 90s. The guys with Rumsfeld when he was having pizza in town. And Obama's were here when he fished with Dan Vermillion. Then of course the poor guys with Rahm Emanuel, whose visit here went viral after I snapped his photo and that so called \$140,000 bottle of wine.

But this time I wasn't feeling the desire to accost a man third-in-line from the presidency and stick a camera in his face (actually, I never feel that way), a guy who was just trying to relax and catch some fish. Rahm Emanuel, on the other hand, who deals in four letter expletives and threats about using the power of his office against guys like me, was another matter. That story made the *Chicago Tribune*; the *Washington Post*, the *Chicago Sun Times*, *USA Today*, and *Time* magazine.

This wasn't that. The stars were not aligned, and on that gray day you couldn't have seen them if they were. Besides, cold and wet, I wanted to crawl back in bed. After 20 minutes in the drizzle with the Secret Service, I thought, *maybe I'll pack it in.*

But the Secret Service have no such option. Upriver, they had blocked off Carbella early that morning, placed a guy high in the rocks overlooking the Yellowstone, and discreetly stowed AR-15s and other hardware in two of the four driftboats, as about 15 agents that day did everything in their power to live up to their motto: *Non in Noster Vigilia* (for a translation, consult a ninth grader in a charter school).

And then the agent asks again — "So how did you know we were here, was it the trucks?"

"They're a dead give away," I said (trade secrets being trade secrets). "And I'm always hearing he's in town, at the Chop House, or wherever. It's a small town."

He takes that in, and we just stand around. It's what Secret Service do. From the hills over the river, and near the access, you can see everything, any threat. Nothing's going to happen out there anyway, so these guys are relaxed, although later there would have to be a discussion about my presence there.

"I think I'll take off," I say. "Nice to meet you." I extend my hand and we shake.

"Nice meeting you, too, sir." A respectful response that, in all candor, made me feel honored.

Weather aside, it was an uneventful day, the kind those guys like Speaker Boehner fought the cold all morning, then jumped into a warm SUV parked a few steps from the river. Someone had alerted him a reporter was at the access, but the guy was already gone. Back to bed.

Fatal

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the name of either driver.

The driver of the pickup truck told officials he was not injured and refused medical attention. Troopers were still interviewing the pickup driver Monday night.

Nelson said he believed the motorcycle was a Honda, and that the make of the pickup could not yet be determined because of the fire.

Officials were investigating whether speed, alcohol or drugs was a factor in the crash, Nelson said. Information would be turned over to the Lewis and Clark County Attorney to review for possible charges, he added.

Immediately before the crash, an MHP trooper was "in very close proximity" to the pickup truck and planning to pull over its driver for a minor traffic infraction, Nelson said. The trooper had not initiated his lights to pull the truck over when the crash occurred, he said.

"At this time we removed that trooper from the investigation just based on the traumatic nature of what he's seen being the very first on scene when it happened," Nelson said.



Helena firefighters and other emergency personnel respond to a crash involving a truck and a motorcycle Monday night at the intersection of Highway 12 and Williams Street. The motorcyclist died in the crash.

Tom Kuehl, Independent Record

Motorcyclist killed in collision with truck

TOM KUEHL
Independent Record

A motorcyclist died in a collision with a pickup truck Monday night at the intersection of U.S. Highway 12 and Williams Street west of Helena.

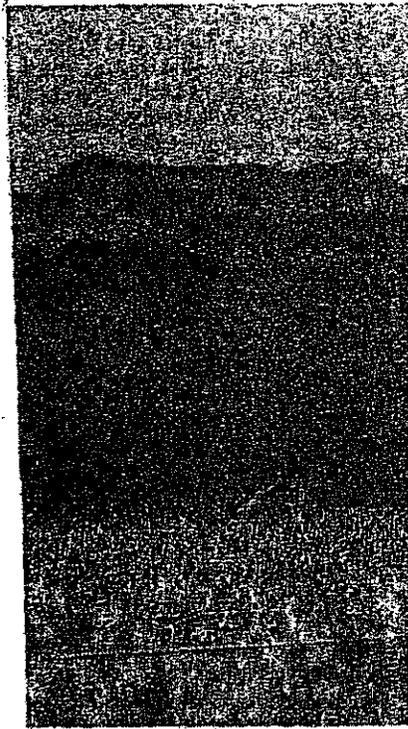
Although the crash was still under investigation Monday, the preliminary report showed the motorcycle was traveling westbound on Highway 12 when it collided with the truck

attempting to turn left onto Williams Street, Sgt. Jay Nelson of the Montana Highway Patrol said. The crash occurred around 8:30 p.m.

"Both vehicles burst into flames, and we have one deceased at this time," he said.

Both drivers were males, and the motorcyclist was an adult, Nelson said. Officials have not yet released

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Eliza Wiley, Independent Record

Inmate dies in apparent suicide

KATHLEEN J. BRYAN

For the Independent Record

BUTTE — An inmate at the Montana State Prison in Deer Lodge died of an apparent suicide Oct. 9, officials said this week.

Victor Lee Snorsky, 27, was discovered in his assigned housing unit, and security and medical staff responded, according to a prison media release.



Snorsky

He was transported to the Deer Lodge Medical Center where he was pronounced dead at 4:27 p.m. An autopsy was conducted at the state crime lab in Missoula.

Tom Wood, associate warden of security, said Thursday the incident remains under investigation. No additional details were released.

Since 2010, the prison has had five suicides, excluding the

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PUTIN EXPLORES SHIPWRECK



Russian President Vladimir Putin climbs into a C-Explorer 3 bathyscaph Tuesday to check out an ancient sunken ship found recently in the Black Sea off Crimea. The Northern Ireland *Belfast Telegraph* said Putin descended 272 feet to the wreckage of the Byzantine trading ship, which he said dated to the ninth or 10th century.



'Little pink pill' gets FDA approval

First libido boost for women - don't call it...

Laura Ungar
USA TODAY

A "little pink pill" boost women's libido approval from the Food Administration on Tuesday coming the first such market alongside men improve sexual function.

"It's been a long time," says Cindy Whitehead, drugmaker Sprout Pharmaceuticals of Raleigh, N.C. "the door to medical treatment for women" never available.

Flibanserin, which says should hit the market in 2017 under the brand name Addyi, has been dubbed "the little pink pill" even though very differently from the dysfunction drug for men. It is taken before sex and blood flow to the genital area. Flibanserin is taken daily before bedtime and affects brain chemistry.

The FDA has rejected twice in the past five years an advisory panel of medical experts in June voted 18-6 to give approval if more safety information was added. Paraphrasing concerns about side effects such as low blood pressure, fatigue and dizziness, and questioned data on whether the drug may interact with other birth control pills.

But supporters say that may outweigh the risks. Rep. Jackie Speer, D-Calif., and 10 other Congress members signed a letter to the FDA. "We firmly believe that health care should be available to all, regardless of gender, whether you are a man or a woman."

"Today's approval of women distressed by low sexual desire with an effective treatment..."

Athletes cash in with \$160M more in benefits

took effect Aug. 1, following a vote at January's NCAA convention by school and athlete representatives from the nation's five wealthiest conferences that allowed, but did not require, all Division I schools to cover athletes' cost of attendance.

venues for the elite conferences and skyrocketing spending on facilities and salaries for prominent coaches and executives.

"I do think it'd be naive to say that the lawsuits didn't accelerate things, but there was a lot of..."

Scholarships can cover incidentals

Rules change allows Division I schools to put spending money in players' pockets. **IN SPORTS**

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**CHINA TO THE U.S.:
SHAPE UP—OR ELSE**

**WHY WALL STREET
ALWAYS BLOWS IT**



Some of you may be concerned why Eric Brosten has been involved in so many important issues the only answer is with the help and guidance from guidance from God. Let me show you god's tracks. Like a mother Grizzly tracks on new fallen snow but not any mother Grizzly but the most powerful most stragitic that ever lived. The first track is the fact the Space Age Freedom Fighter movement started in the state that lit the first spark in the American Revolution Rhode Island. Before the Boston tea party some Rhode Islanders burned the British Ship British Gaspe. They were patrolling the Rhode Island waters guarding against smugglers. Well the spotted a vessel they were sure was a smuggling ship and started to close in. They chased it up the bay but back then it was too dangerous to sail at night for fear of running aground so they sailed after them in day light and anchored at night. The bay was narrowing and the Rhode Islanders knew they had to do some thing or they would be tried by the British it could be bad. So they figured out a solution when off the coast of Warwick they boarded their long boats rowed over to the British Ship the Gaspe and burned it burned it to the water line problem solved the first spark in the American Revolution.

The next track is the fact the my Rhode Island property was on Tomahawk trail the Nuclear Tomahawk Cruise Missile engineer ends up on Tomahawk Trail

The next track is the fact that back in Rhode Island those corrupt mob politicians wanted to drive me from the state so all economic possibilities dried up and I could not pay my water bill so the water at my house got shut off. But in the state house in the basement they converted a toilet in the men's room to a shower. Because during the snow storm the governor had to live in his office for about a week there no way to get home so he needed a way to shower up. So I started showering up every couple of days there. Back then there were no magaitominers at the door it was a salt of the earth kind of place any one could wander in and do their state house business. Well these politicians started getting embarrassed Eric Brosten is using the shower in the basement something has to be done. So they called the local bishop Louis Gelineau and pretty soon I was swimming with the bishop at the YMCA 2 blocks from where he lives every couple of days. Bishop Gelineau is only 2 days difference in age from my dad 2 days.

When he was appointed bishop he was one of the youngest bishops in the Catholic Church.

The next track the Catholic Cardinal lives at the Catholic church nearest the white house and it is on Rhode Island Avenue.

The duel assination attempt against me was launched out of a CIA safe house near the corner of Rhode Island and Montana AVE. I was born in Montana.

The first European in this country was a Norwegian Viking Eric the Red he sailed his long boat to Iceland to Greenland to America. There is a stone tower in Rhode Island Newport they think the Vikings built.

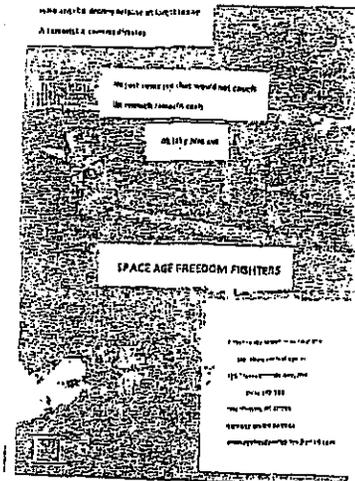
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Another track is the fact that I studied law under Reverend Gordon he taught hands on street fighting law to activist like me so we would not be screwed by our own lawyer like Joseph Houlihan did to me and got a state Judgeship for doing it. He was a powerful Litigator those crooked Politicians tried to tax his church he fought them all the way to the United States Supreme Court and won

Another track is the fact that I cut my organizing chops fighting to correct the Rhode Island Crooked Judge problem twice the head of the Rhode Island Supreme Court had to be thrown out because of mob ties the mob family ran the whole state everyone knew it. Well God fearing hard working Rhode Islanders wanted something done so we got to work. We got all the churches working together all the nonprofits. But what finally gave us the leverage to get something done was. Governor Sunland stepped it to office and the very first thing he did was shut down all the state insured credit unions. A corrupt banker Joseph Mollicone had looted 40 million out of the system the state insurance RISDICK could not take the hit. Governor Sunland shut down all the state insured credit unions this was a big shock to the State most of these people were salt of the earth run of the mill people and only had one account and it was quickly shut down.

The people were ferrous they did not have access to their cash they could do nothing. They were up on the State House lawn marching throw the bums out now.

So the leaders up at the State House relented and changed the way state judges were chosen.

Another track is the fact that I inherited my mechanical skills from my grandfather Invar Vik born in Norway descendant of Vikings his reputation was legendary in the eastern Montana area he could have easily have set up a production line and made millions that would just bore him no god told him to help those eastern Montana Farmers settle that harsh land and use his mechanical skills to see that they prospered.

Most of these people came over from the old country like him and he was devoted to do his best to help them save their farms and move forward. He had a full machine shop and junk yard. The stories were many and close to the same one of the farmers in the community would show up with a beat up piece of farm equipment and plead that if it was not fixed he would not get the crop in therefore not pay the farm payment and thus loose the farm grandfather always came through. There was no FedEx back then these dirt farmers could not afford new parts anyway. Grandfather would fabricate a fix with used oarts some machining many times better then new because of his improved fix get the equipment operational get the crop in and save the farm. He did not demand payment up front and never sued anyone for payment after words he would get farm products he needed for the household and kids including my mother years later 5 years who cared they made due.

The name BROSTEN my last name stands

for a flat stone crossing of a shallow

stream so you don't get your feet wet

MANKINDS CROSSING INTO THE SPACE

AGE (NO WET FEET) WITH

DETERMINATION AND DIPLOMACY

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But the best and most important track of all that Hitler keyed on to but failed had already been achieved by the Vikings during their Long Boat era. The Long Boat was the latest in technology of that time. The Vikings would arrive on the shores of all the lands within a reasonable distance from Norway. The best and brightest women would look to these invading worriers and think hay I am not going to hang around this looser midlevel village and crank out some brats with these losers. I am going to Norway with these masters of the latest technology the Long Boat. Norway now has the largest percentage of women in government. The women have always run things when the men are away sailing. (Even during the Viking era). In an AR ecological dig a Long Boat was discovered now in a museum in Oslo was owned by a Viking Queen not a King a Queen. It is obvious even now in America women have a different approach to leadership.

Now a modern space age version of the Vikings is demanded traveling on jets some with brother Carl at the controls if he's not busy taking Jerry Sinfield or Warren his boss cursing at 500 per bringing the Star Wars message to America and the water planet Earth (I told those Politian's on the hill at the height of the Monica Lewinski impeachment Star Wars is a scary tough issue it has to be driven into the American peoples skull hard (scary tough)

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Providence RI was the location where the action where most of the early action took place Providence stands for GOD.

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My girlfriend Sonia Sotomayor is a Catholic

The previous minister at the Lutheran Church of Laurel MD now lives in Whitefish Montana my brother Dennis works at the ski hill Big Mountain closest town is Whitefish MT.

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Rhode Island has a city named Pawtucket Laurel MD has the Patuxent River.

In Newport Rhode Island there is a stone tower located on land which now is a park which they think the Vikings built. The land was once owned by Benedict Arnold and the tower is mentioned in his will my lawyer in Newport Rhode Island was a Benedict Arnold lawyer (traitor) he was appointed a Judgeship for selling me up the river typical Rhode Island solution to using total corruption to make things happen there way.

I finally left Laurel when they attempted to kneecap me by running me down on my bicycle hurting my knee but god saved me this is the second time the first was when I was on my way to see the Bishop.

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CLEMENCY

Emergency Short term limited clemency

To be reviewed at a future date

Explanation enclosed

This warrant is so corrupt stupid and pathetic I can't believe it. It shows how desperate corrupt losers can get and to think a whole group of powerful people were involved. Showing everyone how screwed up the country would be if their party controlled both houses and the White House

Back Ground

Eric Brosten is an Eagle Scout

Former Nuclear TOMAHAWK CRUISE MISSILE quality control engineer

And safety engineer

Responsible for the worst custody case in human history

Responsible for the largest whistle blowing in human history

Responsible for the legal case with the largest impact on the federal budget 105 billion that's a lot of cash

This corrupt warrant is no doubt the handy work of that corrupt computer hacker Senator Steve Daines in a pathetic attempt to cover his tracks for his criminal activity (other computer hackers are serving 10 years for their crimes.)

This warrant resulting from a transaction between Elkhorn Federal Credit Union and Helena Community Credit Union resulted when Elkhorn Credit Union promised Eric \$500 in overdraft protection (Eric was promised overdraft protection by Helena Community Credit Union also he would not have opened the account otherwise) both banks reneged on their promises. No doubt from pressure from the corrupt Senator Steve Daines. Usually overdraft protection situations are paid back right away but it is impossible to raise money quickly when supporters are dropping dead like flies as in this case by the hands of the corrupt Senator Steve Daines. First the boy friend of the Space Age Freedom Fighters Director then the Director all dead.

This is the 3rd corrupt assignation attempt in a similar fashion against Eric Brosten. The first two were to take place on South Carolina soil: Number one resulted when Eric was brought in front of that corrupt mob (slit the throat in the prison cell) South Carolina Judge that threw Eric in prison for 60 days 2 contempt of court charges for simply demanding a lawyer (he qualifies he is low income).

Best of the Blogs

PHYSICS

Particles for Peace

Iranian, Israeli, Turkish and Arab physicists plan a joint accelerator

Physics has always been one of the most globalized of professions. Physicists think of themselves as supranational, rising above national and cultural concerns. They may not always live up to this ideal, but at least they try. I got a glimpse of this as a college student in 1987, when I spent my spring break at Bell Labs. High-temperature superconductors had just been discovered, and I had some fun levitating magnets (and collaborated on a published paper). Over lunch, the talk turned to poking holes in the iron curtain. Lab scientists were making contacts with colleagues in the Soviet Union, orga-

nizing joint conferences and translating articles from or into Russian. They told me stories about Andrei Sakharov and the Pugwash conferences, which brought together scholars from all countries to work toward nuclear disarmament and later won a Nobel Peace Prize.

This idealistic urge remains powerful. In April, at a workshop I was attending on black holes, I talked to Eliezer Rabinovici, a theoretical physicist at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem. He and his colleagues may well be the only people on the planet to have gotten Arabs, Iranians, Turks and Israelis to agree on anything. Many countries around the Middle East have signed on to their project to build a particle accelerator for joint use: SESAME.

The decades-long effort has made understanding the nature of space, time and matter look trivial. "I had a vision to try and work with our neighbors, to do

something for our common humanity," Rabinovici says. "That sounds bombastic, but that's what SESAME is all about."

The project has managed to hang together despite the tumult of the past two decades. It chose a laboratory site in Jordan in 2000, completed the building in 2008 and settled on the synchrotron design. It is not really a particle physics project but a general source of radiation for chemistry, biology, pharmaceutical development and other fields—a diversity that is matched to the region's needs.

In March, Iran, Turkey, Jordan and Israel pledged \$20 million for the main accelerator. The project has now gone, cap in hand, to the U.S. and the European Union for

the balance, about \$15 million.

In 1954 European scientists founded CERN near Geneva so that German, French, British and other ex-adversaries would have a place to shoot particles rather than bullets. "It was one of the places where Europe was reborn," Rabinovici says. SESAME arguably has the tougher task because the adversaries are not yet "ex." Another Israeli theorist, Rami Brustein, compares it to "climbing on an ice wall." Yet in 1987 everyone thought the same of cultural exchanges across the Berlin Wall.

—George Musser

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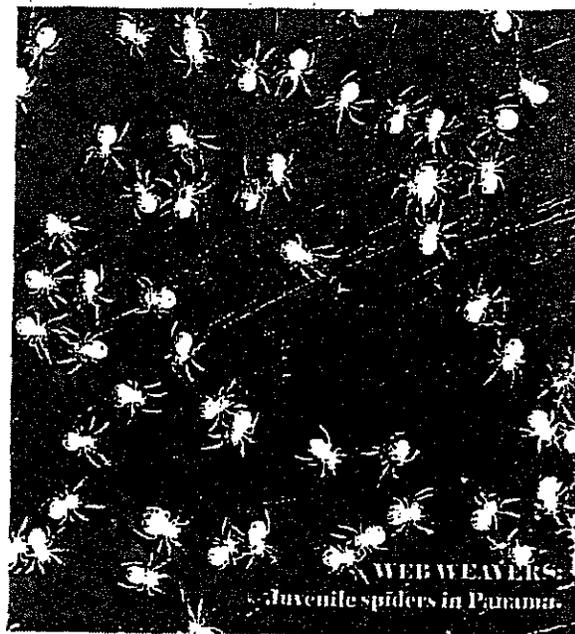
ENTOMOLOGY

How Spiders "Balloon"

The science behind a scene in *Charlotte's Web*

Charlotte's Web, the E. B. White childhood classic, ends with Wilbur the pig eagerly waiting for Charlotte's baby spiders to emerge from their egg sac in spring. When they finally crawl out, they do something that seems pretty amazing to anyone not familiar with how some spiders travel long distances: they fly away. "One spider climbed to the top of the fence," White wrote. "Then it did something that came as a great surprise to Wilbur. The spider stood on its head, pointed its spinnerets in the air, and let loose a cloud of fine silk. The silk formed a balloon. As Wilbur watched, the spider let go of the fence and rose into the air.... 'Wait a minute!' screamed Wilbur. 'Where do you think you're going?' But the spider was already out of sight."

Charlotte's hatchlings were "ballooning," which is the method that some spiders, especially baby spiders, use to disperse themselves through nature. Richard Bradley, an entomologist at Ohio State University, says that the phenomenon happens all over the country in spring, summer and fall but that it is tricky to catch. "The key is weather," he wrote in an e-mail. "You need a relatively calm air or a slight breeze—ballooning doesn't happen often in wind. The rising air currents created by the sun heating the ground are the launching



force for these tiny flights." Bradley recommends going to "exposed places with prominent launchpads" such as fence posts, stumps, small bushes or even an unmown lawn on a cool, clear morning, and looking for silk lines or lots of webbing. "If you find this, you might be in for a treat," he says. —Anna Kuchment

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