We the People of West TN December 7, 2021 7-9 pm

To Listen to our conversation with Gary Humble of TN Stands, here is a link to that portion of the meeting at our Facebook Page:

https://www.facebook.com/ray.condray.5/videos/860699721264366

If we are able to edit a rough technical beginning of this meeting, we'll send out a link to it at a later date.

After opening with the Pledge, member Peg Ramsey opened with prayer.

Guest Speaker: Gary Humble of West TN.

Gary shared with us the beginnings and goals of TN Stands. www.tennesseestands.org

Education, Litigation, and Legislation.

TN Stands is rooted in limited government to secure our constitutional rights. Medical freedom issues brought about by Covid is the tip of the spear here in Tn as in many other locations, where the left is using that to get control of people - worldwide. Climate concerns didn't do it - so they are using fear of death in order to scare us into submission. The TN Constitution doesn't secure rights to businesses, but to PEOPLE, to Individuals. It is NOT the court's job to secure liberty - it is OUR job!

Gary shared the TRUTH that as of today - NO business can enforce or make special accommodation.

It is our job to be the voice of what is TRUTH about this reality and to share it with our friends fearful of losing their jobs.

Asked about what happened with the Freedom Matters Tour that was supposed to be held August 30, 2021 at Union chapel, Gary gave us the accurate very sad story. They need a venue to hold 500, inside. We are all challenged to help solve this need. Trey Cleek is working on it, but we all need to do so. There are many churches here that will hold that number. Pray, and ACT folks! The people of West TN need to hear the TRUTH of our constitutional Freedoms.

Gary shared that TN Stands has formed a PAC: www.standforTN.com that can help get any good candidate aligned with their values elected to office. We are encouraged to check it out. At the meeting, the Administrators and those present told Gary to 'count us in'.

Gary also shared regarding Election Integrity - there will be an event January 6 in Franklin at Liberty Hall. Check out www.tennesseestands.com - subscribe to their newsletter to know more details as they are released. Try to attend.

Kyle Wheeler, student at Union University needs our prayers as he fights to bring true conservative values to the minds of students AND faculty. He is a David there fighting a war. We let him know we are ready, willing, and able to assist.

Ray Condray shared that he was able to interview Rep. Chris Todd with the questions as were shared on our Facebook Group. Technical difficulties prevented him from sharing that video with us at the meeting, but Ray has posted that interview at our Facebook and Telegram pages. Our hope is that both Johnny Shaw and Sen. Ed Jackson and any others for districts in which our members belong (please contact us), will agree to answering the same questions regarding Election Integrity, Covid Mandates and Critical Race Theory. As our elected officials, they owe us their answers.

Londa Rohlfing brought up the candidacy of Bob Hendry who will challenge David Kustoff for the Republican nomination to run for Congressman from our district. The Administration will be extending an invitation for him to speak so that we hear directly from him. www.hendryforcongress.com

Congressman David Kustoff was one of 80 (along with Fleischmann from TN) who voted for a <u>HR500 - an Immunization Infrastructure Modernization Ac</u>t which, if passed by the Senate, would fund a federal vaccination database. Our group disagrees with this legislation, and all are urged to write to Kustoff their disappointment with his vote, and also to Senators Blackburn and Haggerty their feelings that this should NOT become law. Check out our Facebook Page for additional discussion...

Ray Condray shared about SB 562/House Bill 233 - Marital Contract Recording Act as brought to our attention by the Tennessee Independent Baptists for Religious Freedom. Here is the verbiage that you should share with your pastor regarding what he signs in a marriage licensee:

"Signed in reliance on Article XI, section 18 of the Tennessee Constitution and by solemnizing the marriage I in no way endorse any understanding of marriage other than that stated in Article XI Section 18."

School Board Elections were discussed, with the question posed of when they will be held and for what positions. Here is the info discovered the day following the meeting. Redistricting must be done by this Dec. 20, 2021

These are the seats up for the upcoming election with the now partisan (candidates must declare a political party) Primary Elections coming up May 3 and the General Election Aug. 4. Currently, the Administrators know of THREE of our members considering running for school board!

- * District 1 currently held by Janes Johnson, current School Board Chairman
- * District 2 currently held by Newman
- * District 4 currently held by A.J. AJ Massey
- * District 5 Position 2 currently held by Scott Gatlin
- * District 6 Position 2 currently held by Andre Darnell

Londa Rohlfing shared more about what one CAN DO, just making phone calls when a volunteer with **Convention of States (COS).** The effect of thousands of calls made by tele-patriots all over the nation, but especially TN COS volunteers truly made a difference in the London County, VA elections, and is currently in 'call mode' for a school board election this Saturday in Houston, TX. Calls are to 'get out the vote'. <u>COS needs more District Captains.</u> It is not a hard job - please contact Londa if you are interested. This organization of grassroots Activists is AMAZING!

Also from both Gary Humble (who is a strong advocate and petition signer of COS) and COS:

"This battle is not going to be won overnight...it took decades to get here and it will take years to re-capture the glory. Let's create a NEW world that is EVEN BETTER than before by being better people...WE THE PEOPLE!

Ray Condray closed in prayer.

Respectfully offered by note-takers, Lori McManus and Londa Rohlfing

Next Meeting: Wed. Jan. 12, 2022 11am-1pm at Heritage Room - Old Country Store, Jackson.