

M. Lane BAS 10/26/2021 Open Forum

Melody Lane

From: 1bcc@comcast.net
Sent: Sunday, October 24, 2021 6:51 PM
To: Andy Nevis; Todd White
Cc: Bob Stucky; Bill Carey; Carol Lewis; Dave Smythe; Bill George; Ellen Day; Harry Norris; Jack Sweeney; James W. Alderink; Karl Weiland; Lori Parlin; Melody Lane; MIME POWELL; Steve Ferry; Gatha Willyard; Ellen Day
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1 message

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Tue, Oct 26, 2021 at 5:13 PM

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Please ensure the entirety of this correspondence, and attachment, is entered into the public record under today's BOS Open Forum. Below is a clean copy of my public comments.

Melody Lane

Founder – Compass2Truth

"When the Law no longer protects you from the corrupt, but protects the corrupt from you--you know your nation is doomed." ~ Ayn Rand ~

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Back to the reprehensible dog and pony show put on by Lori Parlin & DOT during the Mt. Murphy Bridge Town Hall last Wednesday night held here in this Board room...It was a lot of talk—the same old BS we've heard for years-- ***but no answers***. The meeting was another total waste of resident's time and county resources.

What the Zoom video won't show is Lori gave those present in this room unlimited time to dominate the meeting, many of whom do not even live in Coloma. Liberal members of the River Mafia Mob sat at the rear of this room out of view of the camera-- miscreants who have harassed, threatened, assaulted, libeled and slandered me and other conservative Coloma residents.

Zoom participants were muted and not allowed to speak. Lori censored our chat questions, then she had the audacity to publicly mock me, "*Melody doesn't appreciate this meeting. I'm sure I'll hear about it at the Tuesday Board meeting. Ha ha ha.*"

The coup de grace was when you, Lori, invited your partner in crime, Sue Taylor, to take the podium as the last speaker. Sue seized the opportunity to address the October 14th Planning Commission meeting, which you know, was conducted outside of the law.

Lori, I wasn't the only one offended by your arrogance, disrespect, and abuse of the public trust. Several of my neighbors called afterwards and gave me an earful. They all expressed their disgust, and you can bet they won't waste their votes on you again.

For the record, Lori Parlin and Kris Payne dominated the Taxpayers meeting when Joe Harn was the speaker. I was on Zoom, but when I attempted to address Joe about the Mt. Murphy bridge closure, Andy censored me.

It is obvious Lori is emulating Andy Nevis who conducts the Taxpayers Association meetings in the same fraudulent manner as the BOS. Censorship and fraud is not leadership—it is despotism that needs to be exposed and **eradicated**. **[This]** email sent out by Bernard Carlson yesterday is pretty revealing about the cronyism. It was addressed to the directors of the Association, but Bernard **included me, Jack Sweeney, and Lori** in his distribution. Jack Sweeney hasn't been a member of the Association ever since I publicly exposed him for threatening me, just like Al Hamilton did.

You will be receiving a copy of Bernard's correspondence, but here are a few notable quotes: *"Nevis's Taxpayers operation is a do-nothing speakers platform...The reason that the Board of directors voted for Nevis and Payne for those positions is speculative...Directors were disorganized at that time under Al Hamilton's leadership."* George, your name along with Todd White and Joe Harn, is also mentioned in here.

At this point, I'd like to draw your attention to **[this graphic]** I composed at the request of Lori Parlin from two sheets of notes she gave me after Sue Taylor and Lori had met with the FBI. A few of the names will paint a more vivid picture of EDC corruption: **Jack Sweeney; Joe Harn; Ron Briggs; Leonard Grado; Parker Development; Kim Kerr; Terri Daley; Brian Veerkamp; CEDAC; Vern Pierson.**

Lori, you've been going along to get along, so perhaps it's time your name is added to this hall of shame for aiding and abetting EDC corruption.

If you have any questions or comments, please make them at this time while I'm at the podium.

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