

Citizens Commission to Restore America



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Directive 4 -2023

To: United States Governors & Speaker McCarthy

Directive 4 -2023: Stop the Invasion

The Citizens Commission for Restoring America represents a diverse set of citizens who seek to restore America by exercising our Constitutional rights for a limited government such that "the powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.¹" To stop the government expansion, appropriation of state and the people's powers, and ever-expanding subversion of our Republic by a minority group of authoritarians, we request your immediate action to

Stop the Invasion of America by:

1 – Declaring an invasion – To protect citizens against the ongoing invasion of illegal immigrants and increased crime, death, and violence². This action should include engaging Congress and the Department of Defense to provide for calling forth the necessary Armed Forces to execute the Laws of the Union, suppress Insurrections, and repel Invasions.³" Action must be taken to eliminate the cartels controlling and directing the invasion. This is a National Threat. The State Governors must also act to deploy their National Guard Forces to complement Federal Forces, and instead of Federal action, the states should deploy the National Guard. Our nation cannot afford

¹ 10th Amendment to Constitution - The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

² Article IV, Section 4 - Republican government The United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a Republican Form of Government and shall protect each of them against Invasion; and on Application of the Legislature, or of the Executive (when the Legislature cannot be convened) against domestic Violence.

³ Article I, Section 8 - Powers of Congress - To provide for calling forth the Militia to execute the Laws of the Union, suppress Insurrections and repel Invasions.

the financial, legal, social, educational, health, and other costs or accept this invasion's concurrent violence and deaths.

- 2 Execute Congressional and State authorities to fulfill Article IV, Section 4 of the Constitution Article IV, Section 4 guarantees that the federal government shall "protect each [state] against Invasion, and against domestic Violence."
- 3 Execute State and Provide Congressional support to fulfill Article 1., Section 10 of the Constitution "No State shall ... without the consent of Congress," keep troops, lay any duty (tax) on tonnage, or "engage in War Unless, actually invaded, or in such imminent danger as will not admit of delay."
- 4 Execute Congressional authorities to fulfill Article I, Section 8 Powers of Congress "To provide for calling forth the Militia to execute the Laws of the Union, suppress Insurrections and repel Invasions.

Sincerely,

/Signed/

LTG Thomas McInerney USAF (Ret)

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This Directive is a collaborative effort with Mr. George McClellan (see context below). <u>Action requested</u> - please print, sign, and send the letters to your Governor and Speaker McCarthy (see instructions at the end).

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Context for Directive 4-2023 Stop the Invasion –

The Constitution's Grant of Independent Power to States Against Invasion

by George McClellan | Feb 24, 2023, | Constitution, Immigration, Politics

The Constitution's Grant of Independent Power to States Against Invasion - America Out Loud

We wonder why Biden's government is so adamant against Texas and Arizona's efforts to defend their border with Mexico. Because it's their border(s) with Mexico, a dual concept of sovereignty, one abandoned by Biden's government, Authority lies in: Art. 1, Sec. 10 of the Constitution, a litany of "No State shall...without the consent of Congress," keep troops, lay any duty (tax) on tonnage, or "engage in War Unless, actually invaded, or in such imminent danger as will not admit of delay." The imminent danger part is due to Biden purposefully opening the border to all intruders.

Are States defenseless against the invasion of illegals flooding across their borders? Are they legally bound to do nothing except what the Biden Administration allows? **No!**

The Constitution expressly grants the states sovereign power to defend against invasions and imminent dangers. Although ordinarily, when Congress acts on a subject in furtherance of its constitutional powers, the states are pre-empted from occupying the field or acting in a contrary manner, \Box it stands as an expressed exception for the states to engage in self-defense, it authorizes States to employ extraordinary powers in their self-defense, among them the power to keep troops and even to engage in war if "actually invaded, or in such imminent Danger as will not admit of delay." That power necessarily includes the power for border states to build a border wall, raise a militia to interdict illegal border crossers, and arrest, detain, and eject all illegal entrants apprehended to their countries of origin.

In a previous column, I explained that Article IV, Section 4 of the Constitution guarantees that the federal government **shall** "protect each [state] against Invasion and Domestic Violence." In light of President Biden and Homeland Security Secretary Mayorkas's abdication of their oaths to ensure that the immigration laws are faithfully executed and their acts to destroy the nation's border defenses resulting in virtually unlimited immigration through the southern border, what other legal action can the states take to defend themselves? None!

The states themselves have the direct constitutional authority to take action, arrest, detain, and expel illegal entrants; indeed, they even have the authority to declare war against an invasion by anybody. As war powers are all-encompassing, including the power to arrest, detain, and eject illegals, no constitutional provision grants the federal government an exclusive power to prevent a state from defending its territorial integrity against non-citizen entry.

The "State Self-Defense Clause" enables states to act independently of the federal government to repel the invasion across their borders. By its plain and intended meaning, this Section permits each state invaded by alien criminal trespassers, drug traffickers, sex traffickers, spies, and terrorists who now trespass, loot, rape, murder, engage in corporate and government spying, and plot against the United States government, to keep troops, to keep ships of war, to enter into agreements with other states, even with foreign powers, and to engage in war to repel the invasion.

The breadth of that constitutional authority certainly includes the power to collude with other states on a method to transfer illegal entrants through bordering states across ultimate national borders into Mexico for expulsion. It allows individual states to agree with foreign nations to accept receipt of their nationals illegally present in a U.S. state. In short, the expulsion of illegal entrants invading a state is a constitutionally reserved state power independent of federal power.

To protect Article I, Section 10, the House, now in Republican hands, should pass legislation to redirect to border states the \$785 million allocated for migrant services, including paying their hotel bills, from Biden's monstrous inflationary \$1.7 trillion omnibus spending bill, and specifying those funds instead be spent to aid the border states in repelling the invasion of illegals through the construction of border walls, arrest, detention and expulsion of illegals back into Mexico or to their countries of origin, and to take such other measures as are necessary to protect the lives, liberties, and properties of lawful citizens of the states against the invasion of illegals.

In short, because Biden and Mayorkas have shirked their duties to protect the nation by willfully enabling criminal, indeed terrorist cartels to control American immigration policies, Congress should circumvent the administration and supply border states with direct funding and power to put an end to the border criminality.

Without a doubt, if such a bill were to pass both houses, Biden would veto it, but it is essential to pass the legislation and allow Biden to chuck it, proving once again he operates as an enemy of the people. Moreover, a two-thirds vote to override his veto, while a long shot, is not impossible and would enable us to see clearly who is and who is not the domestic terrorists within Congress trying to destroy the American Republic.

While Biden's actions and those of Homeland Security Director Mayorkas in failing to fulfill their oaths of office are impeachable offenses, Congress should proceed to impeach both in any event. For the Senate still in Democrat's hands, voting on removing Mayorkas should be a no-brainer. Still, the Senate delayed a vote on removing Biden until his last week in office, which makes sense if only to forego the horror of the inept Vice President Harris serving for any length of time as Biden's replacement.

Remember, freedom is the goal; the Constitution is the way. Now, get them!

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He has published a historical biography on a namesake, a John Jacob Astor Fur Company member who explored a route west and back, after Lewis and Clark. Early American history, Celtic influence on America, and conservative politics remain his greatest interests. He is also a bagpiper since 1975. He and his wife, since 1965, now resides in Gilmer County, Ga.

Date
Dear Governor
Please see the attached Directive 4 -2023 Stop the Invasion. Many other Americans and I support this directive and ask that you take action to support the actions requested.
I am sending you this input directly, as it is essential to Restore America!
I am a concerned citizen who believes our country is on the wrong track, that we must ensure a limited federal government, return the power to the states the people, and focus federal efforts and spending on ensuring the resilience and security of our Republic.
Sincerely,
Signature
Name:

The Honorable Kevin McCarthy 2468 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC, 20515-0520

Phone: (202) 225-291

Dear Speaker McCarthy, please see the attached **Directive 4 - 2023, Stop the Invasion.** I ask that you take immediate action in support of this directive and share it as directed with the other leaders in Congress and others as identified in the directive.

I am a concerned citizen who believes our country is on the wrong track, that we must ensure a limited federal government, return the power to the states and the people, and focus federal efforts on providing for the security of our Republic.

Sincerely,		
Signature	 	
Name:		
Address:		

INSTRUCTIONS: Print, Sign, and Send

- 1. We ask that you print the above directive and letters.
- 2. Fill in your governor's name, sign the form, and if desired, put in a return address.
 - a. To find the name and address of your governor, please visit this website: Governors National Governors Association (nga.org)
 Please look for the contact information and address of the governor.
- 3. Fill in our information for a letter to Speaker.
- 4. Send your Governor and the Speaker the signed letters and directive.