Nevada Republican Party 2024 Platform

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Preamble

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- 5 We the people of the Nevada Republican Party, affirm that this Nation and this
- 6 State were founded upon the principle that all people are created equal; that the
- 7 powers of government as outlined in the Constitution exist to protect the people's
- 8 God-given right to be free and to choose their own pursuit of life, liberty, and
- 9 happiness; without regard to race, gender, religion, country of origin, or sexual
- orientation. This Platform is the result of a deliberative body that discussed,
- debated, and voted on the content herein, and was ultimately adopted by the full
- convention. We invite those who agree with the principles stated herein to join
- with our efforts so that this Republic will return to the principle that we are a
- "government of the people, by the people, and for the people."

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Budget, Economy, and Taxation

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We support balanced budgets developed with zero-based budget processes at all levels of government.

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21 We support a free market economy.

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We support lower taxes and fees and a reduction in the scope of government at all levels.

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We support a simple, fair tax code.

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28 We support the repeal of the Commerce Tax.

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We support the Nevada constitutional prohibition on personal and corporate income tax.

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Constitution

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We support the Constitution of the United States, which includes the Bill of Rights, in its original intent, as ratified by Congress and the States.

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- We charge all officials that take an oath to the Constitution under Article VI "to
- support this Constitution" must honor their oath as the method of enforcing it. We
- oppose the Nevada Legislature applying for an Article V convention.

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42	We support Constitutional justification for all Federal and State legislation. We
43	believe legislation be limited to a single subject. All executive orders,
44	administrative directives, and other rules shall emanate from a specific enumerated
45	power in the Constitution.
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48	We support the climination of the unconstitutional LIC Department of Education
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52	specified by the Nevada Constitution.
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54	We support local control of a traditional, classical liberal curricula and oppose the
55	testing, data collection, data mining, psychological profiling and tracking that
56	follow students for life.
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58	We assert that education is a state and local responsibility, and parents have the
59	right to choose the best education for their children, with the public funding
60	following the child.
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We support an education system which prepares students for a successful life and meets the needs of Nevada's economy.

We support the prohibition of biological boys and men from bathrooms, locker rooms, and spaces or sports that are designated as girls or women's spaces or sports in all schools in the United States.

We oppose the implementation of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) in school policy and curriculum in all schools K-12 in all colleges and universities in the United States.

Elections

We support the Electoral College and oppose the unconstitutional national popular vote initiatives.

We support the current, partisan primary election system, and oppose any alternative.

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82	We support a per voter verified paper audit trail for all electronic voting machines
83	that must be used in the event of a recount or audit.
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85	We advocate proof of U.S. citizenship and residency at the time of voter
86	registration and requiring government issued photo ID at the time of voting.
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88	We oppose automatic voter registration through any governmental agency.
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90	We oppose same day voter registration.
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92	Energy
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94	We support the aggressive free market development and exploitation of all
95	domestic energy resources.
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97	English as Our Official Language
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99	We support legislation affirming English as the official language for conducting
100	business at all levels of government.
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102	Healthcare
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104	We assert people must be free to choose healthcare that best suits their needs and
105	beliefs according to a free market model.
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107	We oppose medical treatment such as puberty blockers, cross sex hormones and
108	surgeries that will sterilize or adversely affect the health and fertility of minor
109	children.
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111	We support the rights of parents as the medical decision-makers for their minor
112	children.
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114	<u>Immigration</u>
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116	We support legal immigration from all nations, creeds, and races who assimilate
117	and embrace the Constitution of the United States.
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119	We support securing United States borders and effective enforcement of
120	immigration laws including deportation.

121 We oppose sanctuary cities, counties, states, and birthright citizenship for children 122 born of illegal aliens. 123 124 **Limited Government** 125 126 We assert that the powers of government must be limited to those enumerated in 127 the United States Constitution and respective state constitutions. We support 128 limited government, lower taxes, less regulation, and more individual 129 130 responsibility. 131 132 We assert that all public servants must live by the same laws as the public. 133 We support removing local, state, and federal governments from the marriage 134 covenant. 135 136 **Military / National Defense** 137 138 We support peace through strength to sustain our national defense and protect our 139 citizens abroad. 140 141 We support a strong Veterans Administration to ensure veterans and their families 142 receive the care, benefits and support earned as promised. 143 144 **Nevada Natural Resource Use and Management** 145 146 We support the relinquishing of federal control of public lands to the state. We 147 support multiple use of public lands. 148 149 We oppose the taking of Nevada lands for wilderness areas, national monuments, 150 wildlife refuges or wilderness study areas in Nevada without a vote of the people 151 in the affected counties. 152 153 We support mineral exploration and extraction, agricultural, ranching, and other 154 industries necessary for economic well-being of Nevada and the United States to 155 remain free and independent. We support streamlining the environmental 156 permitting process. 157 158 We affirm that water is an essential resource which must be conserved and used 159 wisely in our arid state. We support Nevada water law as currently codified with 160

the "first in time, first in right" principle where all users are treated fairly under the law. **Recognition of Israel** We support Israel as a sovereign state and recognize her right to defend herself. We believe the United States should provide such assistance as is constitutional and in our interest. **Sanctity of Life** We affirm the sanctity of life from conception to natural death and the inherent dignity of each human being. We oppose government funding of abortion and organizations that advocate for or provide abortions. We encourage the use of alternatives to abortion. **Sovereignty** We reject any efforts to surrender United States sovereignty either through constitutional adoption of a treaty or usurpation of the Constitution and assert that all governmental entities must defend this concept. We unequivocally declare that the United States is a sovereign nation not subject to any international organization, court, or law.