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## Welcome!

By CJ Wallace, COS, [cos@albertausa.info](mailto:cos@albertausa.info)

### Welcome to the Alberta Statehood Party Newsletter!

The news is extracted from our database [https://albertausa.info/Database/all\\_records.asp](https://albertausa.info/Database/all_records.asp). This online database is free to the public to browse and search for information and news articles.

If you have questions on the party, what our aim is, or what joining the USA as a state means and why it is the best solution for Alberta, check out our FAQ listing on our online database. Click on the link [https://albertausa.info/Database/query-media\\_type.asp?search\\_fd0=&search\\_fd1=FAQ](https://albertausa.info/Database/query-media_type.asp?search_fd0=&search_fd1=FAQ).

Visit our political website at <http://www.albertausa.org/>.

For our information, educational website see... <https://albertausa.info/>.

If you need to contact us, use [info@albertausa.info](mailto:info@albertausa.info).



## News

### AMERICANUCK RADIO - GUEST: BENJAMIN EBLE

By Thomas JeffersonEagle

Listen to Benjamin Eble, VP Marketing, here at:

[https://www.spreaker.com/user/icrn/americanuck-radio-20210414?fbclid=IwAR1H0sMvpS7gU3TzplmckWO4QDJHO\\_M7xG-wEAEbtMqplICqwwqjpEK25e0](https://www.spreaker.com/user/icrn/americanuck-radio-20210414?fbclid=IwAR1H0sMvpS7gU3TzplmckWO4QDJHO_M7xG-wEAEbtMqplICqwwqjpEK25e0)

### CANADA'S BIGGEST MISTAKE WAS NOT BUILDING A CROSS-COUNTRY OIL PIPELINE

By Benjamin Eble

"Canada has no leverage in negotiations with the United States right now and will end up on the losing end of any compromise, which is precisely why Energy East should have been built in the first place."

See... [https://financialpost.com/diane-francis/diane-francis-canadas-biggest-mistake-was-not-building-a-cross-country-oil-pipeline-and-the-line-5-standoff-proves-it?fbclid=IwAR0wF654oAafvyGW0h\\_UtZPvRH5NjPJPfP4ty9DpMeJddq4NaTNbCyxr-4](https://financialpost.com/diane-francis/diane-francis-canadas-biggest-mistake-was-not-building-a-cross-country-oil-pipeline-and-the-line-5-standoff-proves-it?fbclid=IwAR0wF654oAafvyGW0h_UtZPvRH5NjPJPfP4ty9DpMeJddq4NaTNbCyxr-4)

### JAY TREATY OF 1794 - ALLOW CANADIAN BORN NATIVE AMERICANS TO TRAVEL FREELY ACROSS THE US/CDN BORDER

By Laurie N Misty Mcmann

...Native Americans may have problems getting jobs, government benefits or services because their rights under existing U.S. law are misunderstood. Many of those rights arose out of the "Jay Treaty".

The "Jay Treaty" is an agreement signed by the United States and Great Britain in 1794 to allow Canadian born Native Americans to travel freely across the U.S./Canadian border. The "Jay Treaty" recognized that the Indians dwelling on either side of the...boundary line...{shall have the right} freely to pass and repass by land or island navigation...and to navigate all the lakes, rivers and waters thereof, freely, to carry on trade and commerce with each other.

Since 1928, United States law has specifically recognized the right of "American Indians born in Canada to pass the borders of the United States" but has limited that right to "persons who possess at least 50 per centum of

blood of the American Indian race." 8 U.S.C. 1359. If you are a Native American born in Canada of 50% or more "Indian blood", you have specific rights and benefits.

Some of the specific rights include the right to:

- Cross the U.S./Canada border freely
- Visit the United States
- Live or work in the United States
- You do not have to:
- Have an alien card "green card".
- Register at the Post Office as an alien
- Obtain work authorization.
- The U.S. Government cannot:
- Deport You.
- Exclude You from entry.
- Deny You services.
- Impound or search sacred objects you have in your possession having religious significance to you as a Native American.

### \$670 BILLION DOLLARS TAKEN FROM ALL ALBERTANS, BOTH LIBS AND CONS

By Benjamin Eble

This could never happen under the US Constitution. This represents the single biggest transfer of wealth in the history of the Western Hemisphere. Freedom is for those who take it... <http://albertausa.org/membership/>





## Party's Activities



### PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO MAR-A-LAGO

By Larry Semeniuk, Interim President

I was privileged and honored to attend the 917 Society luncheon at the Mar a Lago resort on April 10, 2021 with Wexit founder, Independence Party member and 51st state proponent Peter Downing. The Society's mission is to provide a copy of the American Constitution to all 8th graders in the United States. Its rationale is as follows:

"All across this great nation, 8th graders memorize the words and take a test, never fully understanding what the Constitution means to them and all of us living in the greatest nation on earth. Becoming a partner of the 917 Society will ensure that our beloved U.S. Constitution will become a guidebook for our youth to carry with them throughout their lives." Mission Statement from <https://www.917society.com/> website.

Prior to the luncheon there was a "mix and mingle" at the resort's poolside patio. It was there that I was able to meet with a number of dignitaries and representatives of the 917 Society, some of whom were elected officials including Congressmen. I was also able to meet one of the guest speakers, U.S. Congressman Brian Mast from Florida. (Unfortunately, U.S. Congressman Matt Gaetz who had been scheduled to attend and speak at the event was unable to be there; his present challenges have recently been publicized). However, the Republicans that were present represented 10 states. Peter Downing I and were the only representatives from Canada.

During our discussions I was able to distribute our 51st State glossy pamphlets and business cards so that those

I spoke with would have a printed reference and contact information to take with them when they left. Peter and I also did our very best to fully describe Alberta's situation within Canadian Confederation—our perpetual lack of representation in the House of Commons despite efforts to correct it, how our Senators are appointed for life by our Prime Minister rather than being elected; that a large part of Alberta's wealth had been stripped from it (in Equalization payments) to fund not only Quebec but other eastern provinces as well; that we possessed the third largest oil reserves in the world, and (unlike the rest of Canada) had a young, hardworking, well-educated/trained populace. To say these dignitaries were shocked is an understatement.

In contrast, we were able to also explain that Alberta has a closer relationship with the United States than it does with Canada; that the majority of our trade is with America (87%) rather than with our fellow provinces; that historically waves of American immigration had helped build our province. After all these facts were presented it was easy for us to declare that Alberta could only fully realize its economic potential by joining the Union and becoming a state.

At this point there was a great deal of interest and support. Everyone was not only sympathetic to our situation and cause, but more importantly extended offers to assist us in our statehood pursuit.

After the luncheon we were able to further network with others. At one point, we were encouraged to move from the dining room to another area. Later we were told President Trump was returning from golf and would be passing through the area where we had been. It was unfortunate that we had to leave the area before the former president arrived; we missed a golden opportunity to see or possibly meet him.

One interesting personal note: While waiting for transportation from the resort, I ran into Fox News' #1 commentator, Sean Hannity and was able to have a cordial exchange with him. In retrospect, he was most probably there to attend the evening fundraising being held for the Republican National Committee. Peter and I had also been encouraged to attend the dinner, but with a cost of \$25,000 US it was not feasible. ...cont on page 4...



...cont from page 3... That said, the following day Peter and I had an important private meeting with Trump advisor, friend and neighbor George Lombardi and Rosine Ghawji, leader of the group "Working Women for Trump"—both of which have the former president's ear on demand. We discussed additional strategies to achieve statehood, which included the possibility of Edmonton and Calgary establishing sister-city designations between like-minded American cities (ex: Dallas and Houston). Also, both George and Rosine were keen on Alberta's prominent business groups or companies establishing corporate relationships with their American counterparts. They believe that taking this action would provide the greatest opportunity to solidify Alberta's statehood efforts, outside of using government entities.

In closing, I want to express how warmly we were received, how much genuine concern and interest these Americans had for Alberta, and how much they wanted to help us.

Respectfully submitted,  
Larry Semeniuk  
Interim President  
Alberta Statehood Party  
Board of Directors

Download the PDF...

[https://albertausa.info/images/MaraLargo/Mar\\_A\\_Lago\\_Trip.pdf?fbclid=IwAR1xR6V4Sa5WHw4udLLGj6iBAEjkGJ682vGnvCN-AE1Fp66k09B3mx7Nlg](https://albertausa.info/images/MaraLargo/Mar_A_Lago_Trip.pdf?fbclid=IwAR1xR6V4Sa5WHw4udLLGj6iBAEjkGJ682vGnvCN-AE1Fp66k09B3mx7Nlg)

## DIRECTOR-AT-LARGE APPOINTMENTS

By CJ Wallace, COS

Brett Campbell and Shelley Jones have been appointed as Interim Board Directors-at-Large. They will be responsible handling fastball issues that will crop up from time-to-time.

## SIGNATURES FOR PARTY REGISTRATION

By CJ Wallace, COS

Although the party has completed the initial registration with Alberta Elections, reserving our name Alberta Statehood Party, we still need to complete full registration as a provincial political party. In accordance with Alberta Elections laws, the method chosen is to collect Albertan voting citizens' signatures. Voter qualifications may be found at this official site, <https://www.elections.ab.ca/voters/who-can-vote/>.

Timeline. Starting mid-March 2021, from the time the foundation is incorporated, we will have nine (9) months to collect and submit 8,473 elector signatures to Alberta Elections.

How Are Signatures Collected? There is only one way to satisfy Alberta Elections requirement for the petition; everything must be 'handaulic'. In other words, physically downloading the pdf form, filling it out, signing it and mailing it through Canada Post.

Download the Petition Package...

[https://albertausa.info/Docs\\_Elector\\_Petition/PETITION\\_REGISTER\\_PROVINCIAL\\_PARTY\\_2021.pdf](https://albertausa.info/Docs_Elector_Petition/PETITION_REGISTER_PROVINCIAL_PARTY_2021.pdf)

## Join!

Membership applications may be found at <https://albertausa.org>. Go to the menu and select Memberships.

Although membership is free, to become a member of the provincial party, Alberta Statehood Party, you must meet the following criteria:

- \* Be a Canadian citizen
- \* Be 18+ years of age
- \* Be a resident of Alberta

## Volunteer!



Alberta Statehood Party needs all types of volunteers. You'll never get bored.

We need volunteers to gather signatures to officially register our party with Alberta Elections.

Go to <https://albertausa.org>. Go to the menu and select Help Us Become a Party.



## Our Links

### Alberta Statehood Party (ABSP)

#### Media Digital Connections

Current as at 13 Apr 2021, 0935 hrs MST

ABSP political website: <http://albertausa.org>

ABSP info website: <http://albertausa.info>

Our FAQ Database. FAQ search results in our database:

[http://albertausa.info/Database/query-media\\_type.asp?search\\_fd0=&search\\_fd1=FAQ](http://albertausa.info/Database/query-media_type.asp?search_fd0=&search_fd1=FAQ)

ABSP Database. This is a direct access to the online database:

[http://albertausa.info/Database/all\\_records.asp](http://albertausa.info/Database/all_records.asp)

ABSP Twitter: <https://twitter.com/Alberta2USA>

ABSP YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCt8kKTL-cqycEIO7yLcghSQ>

ABSP MeWe page: <https://mewe.com/group/5e7a58f9de8a474f3bbfd96a>

ABSP Gab page: <https://gab.com/alberta2usa>

ABSP Parler page: <https://parler.com/profile/Alberta2USA/>

ABSP Reddit Page: <https://www.reddit.com/user/Alberta2USA/>

ABSP NewTube Channel: <https://newtube.app/user/Alberta2USA>

ABSP official FB page: <https://www.facebook.com/Alberta2USA>

ABSP CloutHub group: <https://g.clouhub.com/group/alberta-statehood-party>

ABSP official FB Public Group at:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/albertastatehoodparty/>