

The American System Must Prevail: Implement LaRouche's Four Laws Now!

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Two systems are before the world . . . one looks to pauperism, ignorance, depopulation and barbarism; the other to increasing wealth, comfort, intelligence, combination of action, and civilization. One looks toward universal war; the other to universal peace. One is the English system, the other we may be proud to call the American system; for it is the only one ever devised the tendency of which was that of elevating while equalizing the conditions of man throughout the world.

—Henry Carey,
The Harmony of Interests, 1851

Aug. 4—The above words were composed one hundred and sixty-six years ago. It is a damning charge against the follies of our recent political leadership that, today, we find ourselves at a strategic fork in the road, where once again there are “two systems before the world,” two alternative paths, and it is the “path taken” which will determine the future for all of humanity. One is the pathway of global economic development, prosperity, and peace. This is the system of China’s Belt and Road Initiative, epitomized in its “win win” philosophy. That philosophy, and the magnificent economic development projects now under construction, are fully and beauti-



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Re-enact Glass-Steagall: Franklin D. Roosevelt signs Glass-Steagall Act, 1933.



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National Banking: Hamilton's First Bank of the United States (1797-1811).



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Infrastructure: Norris Dam constructed by FDR's Tennessee Valley Authority.



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Fusion-Drive Program: National Spherical Torus Experiment (NSTX) facility.

fully coherent with Carey's imperative for "elevating while equalizing the conditions of man throughout the world." The second pathway is the monetarist system of looting. This is the system of the dying trans-Atlantic imperial financial system, a now bankrupt monetary house of cards that has only managed to stave off annihilation over the recent decades through a combination of unbridled financial speculation, war, and brutal austerity against the people of the United States and countless others in Europe and most of the rest of the world.

As Lyndon LaRouche declared strongly this week, "We have to cancel the British system. This is what is destroying the income and function of the people of the United States. They should declare a freedom from the British system." Lyndon LaRouche's [Four Laws](#) represent a clear pathway out of the escalating global financial crisis and danger of thermonuclear war between the USA and Russia. Bringing an urgently needed program of industrial and physical economic growth to save the American people from mass suicide, drug overdose, and fear of the future, means once and for all taking away the power of Wall Street to decide the fate of humanity. This will require immediately accepting China's offer to cooperate in the global Belt and Road Initiative. This quality of paradigm shift is key to humanity launching a new era and to advancing an industrial and scientific breakthrough in the United States that generates a higher quality of life,—to free people so they may again look to a future of hope and optimism for a better world, and of promoting growth, and "win-win" cooperation, around the world.

LaRouche's Four Laws

Three years ago, Lyndon LaRouche authored "The Four New Laws to Save the U.S.A. Now!" LaRouche identified four key areas that must become the basis for policy in order to save our United States from destruction. The efforts of *EIR* and LaRouche PAC have been unceasing and relentless over the last thirty-eight months in fighting for LaRouche's solution to the current crisis. Yet it is clear that the overwhelming majority of elected officials, particularly in Congress, have either ignored LaRouche's expertise or been unwilling to act in the necessary way. It is time for the American people to force these measures through the Congress and the Presidency. The American people must go on the offensive and move now, to abolish the Wall Street casino economy and its war machine, now, and bring forth a new paradigm of optimism and growth for mankind.

In summary, LaRouche's Four Laws are:

1. The immediate re-enactment of the Glass-Steagall law, instituted by U.S. President Franklin D. Roosevelt, without modification, as to principle of action.
2. A return to a system of top-down and thoroughly defined National Banking.
3. The deployment of a Federal Credit system, to generate high-productivity trends in improvements of employment, to increase the physical-economic productivity and the standard of living of the persons and households of the United States.
4. Adopt a Fusion-Driver "Crash Program." The essential distinction of man from all lower forms of life, in practice, is that it presents the means for the perfection of the specifically affirmative aims and needs of human individual and social life.

Let Hamilton Guide Us

True economic value, as defined by Alexander Hamilton, starts with the promotion of the creative powers of the human mind. It advances a pro-human, pro-science, and pro-growth culture, as opposed to the British system of fake economic value that starts with the promotion of monetary profit and the bestialization of the human mind. The British system advances an anti-human, anti-science, and pro-death culture. The acceptance of the British system in America has resulted in permanent Wall Street bailouts, wars, civil strife, drug addiction, mass hysteria in popular opinions, and a total lack of vision for the future.

The year 2017 marks the one hundredth birthday of two great visionaries, President John Kennedy and space pioneer Krafft Ehrlicke. Together, their dedication and inspiration decades ago created a new wave of optimism, inspiring the imagination of the next generation of explorers as never seen before. That is why today we can celebrate the forty-eighth anniversary of the first Apollo Moon landing. This great achievement, which propelled mankind into a new era on July 20, 1969, did not happen as a result of random chance. It was a result of hard work, dedication to a better world, and setting a future mission for the progress of mankind in our Solar system and beyond.

President Kennedy understood that exploration of space and shared breakthroughs in scientific discoveries were instrumental to future cooperation among nations, ending the threat of war, eradicating disease and ending poverty. Kennedy declared in his first inaugural address, "Let both sides seek to invoke the wonders of science instead of its terrors. Together let us explore the stars, conquer the deserts, eradicate disease, tap the

ocean depths and encourage the arts and commerce.” President Kennedy went on to say, “All this will not be finished in the first one hundred days. Nor will it be finished in the first one thousand days, nor in the life of this Administration, nor even perhaps in our lifetime on this planet. But let us begin.”

So did President Kennedy begin, as he called on a new generation of leaders to join him in the new beginning, of ensuring economic growth and progress throughout the nation. Young people from all over signed up to take part in this great mission that had been set by the President to be fulfilled before the end of the decade. Much was done in subsequent years to set the course of progress back and to prevent the nation from realizing the vision of President Kennedy. The President’s murder was followed by the launching of the anti-growth environmental agenda, and massive budget cuts. Engineers, astronauts, and space pioneers faced many challenges, but they were determined, despite the many obstacles and setbacks. Failure was not an option.

Today, Let Us Choose the Right Path

The same British empire that opposed Kennedy continues to attempt to brutally enforce its system of usury, universal war, and depopulation on the people of the world. This, at the very time that the world is being led into a new paradigm by Russia and China, who refuse to allow the true cause of the American System to be tossed into the waste bin while mankind is destroyed by total war and annihilation. *Russia and China* are not our enemy; Wall Street, as the tool of the British empire, is. We can break the back of the British empire once and for all by reversing the effects of the coup that killed President John F. Kennedy. Today, that same coup is being run against a legitimately elected President Donald Trump, by those who have orchestrated the fabricated lie of “Russian hacking” into the United States’ election process. They have generated the lie to destroy the Presidency of Donald Trump, and to keep the United States in a state of perpetual war and economic disintegration. President Trump can defeat this coup. The lie has been exposed. [See the [VIPS memo](#).]

Let us return to the economic system of the specific intent of the original U.S. Constitution, as defined by our first Treasury Secretary, Alexander Hamilton.¹ Let



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Voters elected Donald Trump for an end to perpetual war, and for Glass-Steagall. President Trump speaks during a rally in Nashville, Tennessee on March 15, 2017.

us use the economic methods he established at our nation’s foundation to achieve what Henry Carey later wrote about, by realizing the vision for humanity of Krafft Ehrlicke and President John Kennedy, with Lyndon LaRouche’s scientifically precise guidance at this current conjunctural crisis.

Let us reject the “fake news” that money has some intrinsic value, independent of what it does. The new national credit that must be issued through a Glass-Steagall protected national banking system—to rebuild our nation’s infrastructure, industries, and farms, and advance to the era of fusion power—requires us to understand that Credit is a means to an end, rather than an end in and of itself. We advance a national credit program, as Lyndon LaRouche calls for in his four economic laws, “to generate high productivity trends in improvement of employment, with the intention to increase the physical-economic productivity and standard of living of the persons and households of the United States,” rather than just to “get rich.” Hamilton’s notion of real economic value requires the promotion of the creative powers of the human mind. It requires a pro-human, pro-science, and pro-growth culture.

Implement LaRouche’s Four Laws now. Let us bring the United States into the New Silk Road to benefit all. Let us restore our commitment to universal peace, through realizing mankind’s common mission and common destiny in the universe. Let us explore and develop the Solar system and the vastness beyond, together, restoring our mission and vision for our nation, and for the world.

1. See Hamilton’s [Four Reports to Congress](#).