

LaRouche Candidates Call on Patriots To Back Impeachment of Obama

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Jan. 8—The LaRouche Youth Movement (LYM) was fully engaged in a coast-to-coast organizing drive Jan. 7, to place Lyndon LaRouche’s call for the impeachment of the British-controlled traitorous President Barack Obama, and the removal of Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid and House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, at the top of the agenda for American patriots. LaRouche’s statement “Tantamount to Treason” was presented as a rallying cry—from Worcester, Mass., where a gathering of more than 150 Tea Party activists greeted LYM member and Democratic Party Congressional candidate Rachel Brown with a thunderous ovation; to Las Vegas, where a LYM truth squad denounced Senator Reid (D-Nev.) to his face, and to the gathered media; to San Francisco, where Summer Shields announced his candidacy for Pelosi’s Congressional seat at a press conference in front of her office; to frozen Houston, where Kesha Rogers was well received by members of the Harris County Democratic Central Committee.

In Worcester, Brown introduced herself at a “kick-off meeting” of the local Tea Party as Rep. “Bailout” Barney Frank’s opponent, and was greeted with wild enthusiasm, and a standing ovation. Brown became famous last Summer, when she confronted Frank at a Congressional town meeting over his support for Obamacare, in a video that went viral, and enraged Bailout Barney. Her call for Obama’s impeachment drew a round of applause, since many became involved in the Tea Party to oppose the fascist health-care bill, and already knew about the secret sessions run by Reid and Pelosi to ram it through. The audience was very attentive, when Brown spoke about LaRouche’s Plan to rebuild the country, with CCC-style jobs programs, and a revived NASA space effort to colonize Mars.

The attendees included many people new to politics, who have strange notions about “socialism” and “big government.” However, when we explained that

the problem is not inherent in government—certainly not in our Constitution—but is the result of a foreign takeover by the British Empire, lights seemed to go on in their heads: “Oh, I don’t doubt that,” said one, while another proudly discussed his ancestors who fought in the American Revolution against the British.

Reid: ‘The Most Vulnerable Democrat’

At the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, a LYM-LaRouche PAC team confronted Harry Reid with the charge that he is a traitor. The *Las Vegas Review Journal* ran an article, provoked by LPAC’s intervention the previous day, which reported that Reid would be speaking at a RSVP-only “health insurance reform event,” and that, following Sen. Chris Dodd’s (D-Conn.) announcement that he will not seek re-election, Reid is the “most vulnerable Democrat.” The organizers unfurled a large poster with a picture of the mustache-sporting trio—Hitler, Obama, and Reid—as the media flocked around it. The organizers were interviewed by local television and newspaper reporters, sticking to the message from LaRouche, that the patriotic party will throw the traitors out of office.

Inside the event, as Reid was droning on, LYM organizer Michael Steger stood up and denounced him and the health-care bill as fascist. He identified IMAB (the Independent Medicare Advisory Board, sometimes known as the “death panel”), and Reid’s role in inserting the “perpetuity clause,” into the Senate version of the bill, declaring that this is grounds for impeachment. As Steger was speaking, some Reid supporters tried to drown him out, while others—a much smaller number, as this was a pro-Harry crowd—shouted their agreement. Steger was taken from the room in handcuffs, then released.

A number of people came up to talk afterward, and leaflets went out to about half of the 200 people attending. One person reported that when he told Reid that he

didn't like all the secrecy and backroom deals involved in the final Senate bill, Reid responded, "It doesn't matter about transparency, it's a done deal."

The Other Candidates

In Houston, at the Harris County Democratic Central Committee meeting, Kesha Rogers, who is running for the seat now held by GOP Rep. Pete Olson, was greeted warmly by many Democratic Party activists, and congratulated by several



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Rachel Brown is challenging Bailout Barney Frank for his Boston Congressional seat. A video of her confrontation with Frank, at a boisterous town meeting last Summer, went viral on the Internet. Here, Brown addresses a campaign meeting in Taunton, Dec. 19, 2009.



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The announcement of her campaign by Kesha Rogers, shown here after filing for the seat now held by Republican Rep. Pete Olson in Houston Dec. 20, 2009, was warmly greeted by many Democratic Party activists.



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Summer Shields, California Congressional candidate, has charged that his opponent, incumbent House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, is engaging in treason against the United States. Shields is shown here announcing his candidacy, in front of Pelosi's district office in San Francisco, on Jan. 7.

candidates, including an incumbent Member of Congress. Obamastache posters, "Tantamount to Treason" leaflets, and other material provoked those attending—some did their usual rain dance to avoid the LaRouche PAC organizers, while others expressed uncomfortable agreement about the health bill or the bailout, and some made arrangements to get together with Rogers to discuss backing her candidacy.

In San Francisco, Summer Shields announced that he is challenging Pelosi for the Democratic Party nomination for Congress, in the June primary. Shields told the press that Pelosi is engaging in treason against the United States, for her role in conducting secret sessions to assure passage of Obama's fascist so-called health-care bill, and should be removed from office. He also charged the President is impeachable, for his role in subverting the Constitution.

Attending the press conference was Fog City News, a local San Francisco news service; YO-TV Channel 26, represented by two young women (YO stands for Youth Outlook, of the New American Media); and LPAC-TV. The reporter from Fog City News engaged in an in-depth interview, asking Shields to explain why he said that health-care plan is Nazi, and asking what else would Shields do, besides opposing Obama on health care. Pelosi is now on notice that her free ride in the district is over.

These events represent the opening salvo in a national drive to provide leadership to the mass strike process which continues in the United States. No longer will angry and frustrated people lack direction, or a program. The call was made by LaRouche, for patriots to revive the United States, and throw out the traitors. And on Jan. 7, a new generation of leadership, spearheaded by the three candidates arrived to educate that mass strike, and put an end to the era of imperial monetarist domination forever.

A follow-up news conference of the three LaRouche PAC candidates will be held at the National Press Club in Washington, Jan. 12.