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**Dear Patriot,**

**Most "news" is designed to distract us, and infuriate Democrat voters and protesters.**

It is all small ball.

Keep your eye on the real things that are happening but are ignored by the left.

Trump is a true leader of change. We may never see the status quo ever again.

That is terrifying to the radical left in The Swamp and in almost all media.

The existing state of affairs does not work.

Sensible Americans, know that the way we have been operating is not working for hardworking families.

**Trump is changing the world.**

**Embrace the magic of change!**

Today, we discuss all of this and much more. To receive all of our content, subscribe



**1-** NPR and PBS have been working with the radical left for decades to push out on sided news and commentary. We are all for their free speech!

But, we are not for paying them to be biased with the largess of our tax dollars. Republicans have promised to defund public TV and radio for a long time.

As usual, President Trump is the only Republican in The Swamp with the courage of convictions..

[\*\*NYPost\*\*](#)

### **Trump terminates NPR, PBS federal funding with sweeping executive order.**

**QUOTE:** President Trump signed an executive order terminating federal funding National Public Radio (NPR) and the Public Broadcasting Service (PBS).

NPR and PBS, which have long been targeted for cuts by conservatives, both receive partial funding through the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB), which the president argued is unnecessary in the current media environment.

"Government funding of news media in this environment is not only outdated and unnecessary but corrosive to the appearance of journalistic independence," Trump wrote in the order. "The CPB Board shall cease direct funding to NPR and PBS, consistent with my Administration's policy to ensure that Federal funding does not support biased and partisan news coverage," he added. "The CPB Board shall car

existing direct funding to the maximum extent allowed by law and shall decline to provide future funding.”

Trump further directed the CPB to end indirect funding to NPR and PBS, including by “ensuring that licensees and permittees of public radio and television stations well as any other recipients of CPB funds, do not use Federal funds for NPR and PBS.”

The president gave the CPB until June 30 to effectuate his directive.

In his late-night order, the president argued that “Americans have the right to expect that if their tax dollars fund public broadcasting at all, they fund only fair, accurate, unbiased, and nonpartisan news coverage. No media outlet has a constitutional right to taxpayer subsidies, and the Government is entitled to determine which categories of activities to subsidize.”

“In the event of a finding of noncompliance, the Secretary of Health and Human Services shall take appropriate corrective action,” the order read.



**2-** Read this as a reminder of some of the many reasons to defund NPR and PBS.

Go to the link for twelve reasons. We think there must be hundreds more!

[The Federalist](#)

**12 Reasons Why NPR And PBS Deserved To Be Defunded**

**QUOTE:** On Thursday, President Donald Trump signed an executive order defunding NPR and PBS — two taxpayer-subsidized “news” organizations that have consistently published propaganda.

The order proclaims that “Government funding of news media in this environment is not only outdated and unnecessary but corrosive to the appearance of journalistic independence.”

“At the very least, Americans have the right to expect that if their tax dollars fund public broadcasting at all, they fund only fair, accurate, unbiased, and nonpartisan news coverage,” the order continues. “No media outlet has a constitutional right to taxpayer subsidies, and the Government is entitled to determine which categories of activities to subsidize.”

Here are 12 reasons why NPR and PBS News deserved to be stripped of taxpayer funds.

### **1. NPR Refused To Cover Hunter Biden’s Laptop**

Perhaps the most egregious example of why NPR should be defunded — and should have been five years ago — is their refusal to cover the Hunter Biden laptop scandal in the lead up to the 2020 election. “We don’t want to waste our time on stories that are not really stories, and we don’t want to waste listeners’ and readers’ time on stories that are just pure distractions,” NPR Managing Editor for News Terence Samuel said in a statement back in October 2020. A newsletter published by NPR Public Editor Kelly McBride claimed “there are many, many red flags in the New York Post investigation.”

Well, five years later, NPR has finally been defunded.

### **2. 100% Of NPR’s ‘Editorial Positions’ Are Held By Registered Democrats**

NPR editor Uri Berliner previously reported that voting records showed “87 registered Democrats working in editorial positions and zero Republicans.”

NPR’s Katherine Maher admitted it was a “concern” during a March Congressional hearing that all 87 positions are held by registered Democrats.

As Rep. William Timmons (R-S.C.) said in a post on X, “NPR’s blatant partisan imbalance is unacceptable — taxpayers should not be forced to foot the bill for a one-sided echo chamber.”

### **3. NPR Spread Tear Gas Hoax**

As pointed out by The Federalist’s Elections Editor Elle Purnell, NPR “falsely claim demonstrators outside the White House were tear-gassed by U.S. Park Police” in June 2020.

“Park Police Tear Gas Peaceful Protesters To Clear Way For Trump Church Photo-Op,” one NPR headline stated.

A post on Twitter from NPR Politics stated: “Police in Washington, D.C., used tear gas and rubber bullets on peaceful protesters to clear them away from St. John’s Church, which suffered a small fire.” (The “small fire” being an apparent act of arson). But the “peaceful” protesters actually threw “projectiles, including bricks, frozen water bottles and caustic liquids,” according to acting Park Police Chief Gregory T. Monahan. Monahan also stated Park Police did not use tear gas but rather smoke canisters, which as noted by Purnell, “lack the irritant used in tear g



**3-** Lawfare is a stall tactic. By design it slows down the Trump agenda. It is frustrating that anyone in the administration has to take time and talent away from the core mission to deal with these aggravations.

Wresting control of Voice of America is another Trump effort to rein in government funded propaganda.

### [Fox News](#)

### **Appeals court backs VOA overhaul Kari Lake says will 'modernize' agency: 'Huge victory for President Trump'**

**QUOTE:** U.S. Agency for Global Media senior advisor Kari Lake joins 'Sunday Morning Futures' to discuss President Donald Trump's ongoing legal battles with federal judges over their efforts to slow his agenda.

In a significant legal victory for the Trump administration, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit has granted a stay on a lower court's order that had mandated the reinstatement of over 1,000 Voice of America (VOA) employees and the resumption of full broadcasting operations.

"This is a huge victory for President Trump and his Article II powers granted in the United States Constitution. It's also a victory for US Agency for Global Media (USAGM) and VOA," Kari Lake, a USAGM senior advisor to the Trump administration, told Fox News Digital following the court's decision Saturday.

The decision allows the administration to proceed with its efforts to restructure USAGM and its affiliated broadcasters.

"Now that we have a favorable ruling in the appeals court, we look forward to accomplishing the plan we've always had; to bring VOA into the 21st century."

"Voice of America has been out of step with America for years. It serves as the Voice for Radical America and has pushed divisive propaganda for years now," a senior White House official told Fox News Digital at the time.



4- If a poll is done by a Fake News Media company, do not even bother to read the headline.

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### **Want To Know The Truth Behind Those Anti-Trump Polls?**

**QUOTE:** You've no doubt heard the media narrative about President Trump's poll numbers according to most pollsters—you know, the ones who got the 2024 election so wrong,

Make no mistake about it — the legacy media is at it again with their dishonest polling tactics against President Trump. But this time, their deceptive game has been called out by none other than former House Speaker Newt Gingrich.

Appearing on Hannity Thursday night, Gingrich exposed how the media's recent polling showing Trump's approval dropping is nothing but smoke and mirrors. The reality? These polls are deliberately skewed to paint a false narrative about Trump standing with the American people.

Let's look at the facts. The same media outlets that got it wrong in 2024—ABC News, CBS News, and CNN—are now pushing polls that show Trump's approval declining from his February high of 53%.

But are they really?

"I got a little preview about poll numbers that are coming out tomorrow, and from both Robert Cahaly and Matt Towery, who I respect a lot," Hannity said. "And as suspected, all of the polls that the media has been pushing on the American people about Donald Trump are false, and that's what the early indications are."

He pointed out the absurdity of the numbers being hyped by the media, especially when far-left figures such as Chuck Schumer were polling in the teens. "All the pollsters that got the election in '24 wrong and got every election about Donald Trump wrong—all of those people—the ones saying, 'Oh, he's plummeting.' But meanwhile, they're ignoring Chuck is at 17% and the Democrats are in the 20s. I'm trying to understand that logic. Can you help me out?"

Gingrich didn't mince words. "Well, first of all, they're just plain lying," Gingrich replied. "And I think we've got to be tougher and clearer about how dishonest these people are."

He cited conversations with veteran GOP pollsters, pointing to the way poll samples are rigged to undercount Republicans. "The fact is, and I talked to John McLaughlin and I talked to Matt Towery about this, they have some polls there that are like 23% Republican when Trump got 50% of the vote. So if you add the 23 points they didn't test, suddenly he's in great shape. This is deliberate. It is willful."





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## **Trump Tariffs Force Germany's Mercedes-Benz to Shift More Production to America**

**QUOTE:** Mercedes-Benz is set to expand its manufacturing operations in the United States, as the company plans to produce an additional vehicle at its Tuscaloosa, Alabama, facility. This move comes amid the Trump administration's emphasis on bolstering American manufacturing, urging automakers to enhance their domestic production efforts to avoid tariffs imposed on foreign auto and steel imports early this year.

"We are getting even closer to the U.S. customer by localizing a core segment model in Tuscaloosa, strengthening our ties to the North American market where a range of Mercedes-Benz vehicles including the GLE and GLS models have their roots," Mercedes-Benz North America CEO Jason Hoff said in a statement announcing the move on Thursday.

The decision aligns with other shifts in the automotive industry toward onshoring production. BMW is contemplating increasing its workforce in South Carolina with additional shifts. Honda intends to transfer production of its Civic model from Japan to U.S. facilities. Additionally, Hyundai has announced a significant \$20 billion

investment aimed at strengthening its American production capabilities. This includes a new \$5.8 billion steel plant in Louisiana, aiding in Hyundai's goal of localizing production in the United States.

Kia, in collaboration with Hyundai, plans to manufacture hybrid vehicles in Georgia. Nissan is evaluating the possibility of moving production from Mexico to the U.S. Additionally, Stellantis is set to restart its Belvidere, Illinois plant to produce a midsize pickup truck, while Toyota intends to increase hybrid vehicle production at its West Virginia facility.



**6-** Just in case you become confused by the Fake News, print this and tape to your computer!



PRAY for everyone on the Trump Team. Every single job is important and hard.

PRAY that Americans will resist the Fake News lies.

**SHARE the truth. It is shocking still how many do not know the truth.**

**Hold Fast,**

**Defending The Republic**

**Follow Sidney on X ..... @SidneyPowell1**

[Read the five part series truthfully explaining the unprecedented lawfare used the left to remove Sidney Powell's right to free speech.](#)

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Regardless of who wins any election, to have confidence in the outcome, we must continue to demand **(1)** real paper ballots, **(2)** hand counted in a bipartisan transparent process, and **(3)** citizen voter ID.

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