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Please stand strong against government overreach and protect our Island Home & members of our Community!

In hopes for humanity,

Mary Felger
Key West Resident since 1998

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I hope you are having a great day, and I hope besides our local issues, you are informed and have been watching what's been going on in real time in DC...

WE PRESS ON!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
-Hakeem Jeffries
House Minority Leader
(D-NY)

And if you are still watching. They are literally making a mockery of what this bill is going to do. To children. To veterans. To the disabled (my sons Medicaid for his type 1 diabetes) To the minorities. To the

poor. To the afflicted. ENOUGH IS ENOUGH! Stand on the right side of history. You DO have a voice. You DO have a say.

This is just the beginning. Denaturalization and birthright citizenship is next.
Have anyone in your family who got married and got citizenship through that? Gone.

In case you need an overview of what that means exactly:

Who Can Be Affected by Denaturalization?



Applies To:

1. Naturalized Citizens Only

- Anyone who obtained U.S. citizenship through the naturalization process (not by birth).

2.

3. Green Card Holders or Immigrants Before Citizenship

- Not denaturalization per se, but their path to citizenship can be blocked or revoked before approval.

4.

You will be complicit to that.

But you STILL have a choice.

I'd like you also point you to this important document (that we will LITERALLY be celebrating TOMORROW) I'd like to SPECIFICALLY point you to the area where it speaks to King George III, specifically this line:

- He has forbidden his Governors to pass Laws of immediate and pressing importance...

Here's the full text:

The Declaration of Independence (1776)

When in the Course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.—That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed,—That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shewn, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security.—Such has been the patient sufferance of these Colonies; and such is now the necessity which constrains them to alter their former Systems of Government.

The history of the present King of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States. To prove this, let Facts be submitted to a candid world:

[Here follows a list of 27 grievances against King George III, including:]

- He has refused his Assent to Laws, the most wholesome and necessary for the public good.
- He has forbidden his Governors to pass Laws of immediate and pressing importance...
- He has dissolved Representative Houses repeatedly...
- He has made Judges dependent on his Will alone...
- He has kept among us, in times of peace, Standing Armies without the Consent of our legislatures...
- For depriving us in many cases, of the benefits of Trial by Jury...

[And many others.]

In every stage of these Oppressions We have Petitioned for Redress in the most humble terms: Our repeated Petitions have been answered only by repeated injury. A Prince whose character is thus marked by every act which may define a Tyrant, is unfit to be the ruler of a free people.

Nor have We been wanting in attentions to our British brethren. We have warned them from time to time of attempts by their legislature to extend an unwarrantable jurisdiction over us...

We, therefore, the Representatives of the united States of America, in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the Name, and by Authority of the good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare, That these United Colonies are, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent States; that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain, is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of right do.

And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor.

👤 Signed by:

John Hancock (President of the Congress), followed by 56 other delegates from the 13 colonies, including:

- Thomas Jefferson
- Benjamin Franklin
- John Adams
- Samuel Adams
- Roger Sherman
- Robert Livingston
- and others.

Thank you for your time and service, I truly hope you do the right thing and know we stand beside you if you do. I hope you have an amazing 4th of July, May God Bless America and May God Bless Key West

🙏❤️ us

Monica Caceres

-A mom who just wants her kids to grow up in a loving world

On Monday, June 30, 2025, Monica Caceres <xxmoni09@gmail.com> wrote:

I request for this to be added to the record for the special meeting on 6/30/2025

Hello All,

My name is Monica and I am writing in today as a concerned citizen, I am highly concerned for the sacredness, magic and One Human Family presence that our little island once held and you could feel (and smell) as soon as you stepped off of a plane or drove down into the Keys. I haven't just lived here my whole life, I GREW up here. This is my home, this is the island that shaped me into the woman I am today. As many times as I've moved away and resided elsewhere, in all of the craziness away from here, I always felt assured that I could come back to my home, to my safe space of an island. Unfortunately, that is no longer the case. I am a US citizen and even here on my little island, I know I can be profiled at any moment by ICE and have been carrying my passport around with me for this reason. I have a type 1 diabetic kid and the fear of being profiled and stopped because of how I look or where I was born is truly insane. And clearly, it's not just me. I'm sure you will get many letters of people and businesses where their folks, who have documentation or are already in the legal process, have been stopped and/or detained. And if you do nothing, you are just as complicit. If you do nothing, what was the point of running and having constituents who depend on your moral and ethical principles?

We understand ICE is here. We understand there are certain requirements that need to be adhered to. We are not asking to break any laws. We are asking that you:

- Pass a resolution affirming that city resources—including staff, vehicles, equipment, and facilities—will not be used to assist ICE unless required by law.
- Designate city spaces such as schools, clinics, libraries, and food distribution sites as “safe zones” where immigration enforcement is not permitted unless accompanied by a judicial warrant.
- Create a public communication protocol so that residents are notified when ICE is actively operating in the community—just like we do with hurricanes, road closures, or threats to public safety.
- Fund a legal aid referral hotline or partner with pro bono immigration attorneys and nonprofits to help residents understand their rights and receive support.
- Train city employees and local police on how to respond lawfully but neutrally to ICE requests—clarifying when cooperation is mandatory vs. when they can respectfully decline.
- Issue a public statement urging ICE to respect constitutional rights and refrain from targeting peaceful families, sick children, and legal residents, especially at courthouses, schools, and places of worship

These actions do not violate SB 168. They do not make Key West a sanctuary city. They make us a constitutional city—a community that leads with law and love. If you say you care, this is how you prove it.

To Commissioners Kaufman and Haskell, Key West truly thanks you, from the bottom of our hearts! ❤️🙏

To Commissioner Lee, you may not know exactly who I am from this letter, but know I've known you for the majority of my life. I've known you to be a person of love and fairness and equality. I've known you to be the Chief who built community and public trust, you were of the city and for the city. So I ask you, would you have entered into this VOLUNTARY agreement, harming the beautiful city you worked so hard to protect? And if the answer is no, I ask that you help get us back to what you built.

To City Manager Barroso, again, you may also not know exactly who I am, but I've known you and your family for majority of my life as well. We go to the same church, we've had communions and confirmations at St. Mary's together, here on our little island. I know you love this community just as much as I do, the real Conch community and the real love that is our island. Of you, I ask this: my children and your children and grandchildren will grow up on this island, what kind of island are you choosing for them to grow up in?

You do have a choice and a say.

Thank you all for reading this and I hope you choose to do the right things and make the right choices.

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