



Freedom Principle MO Condemns Missouri Senate Leadership for Temper Tantrums – Launches Online Petition Calling for Immediate Resignations

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The Freedom Principle MO is condemning Senate President Pro Tem Caleb Rowden (Dist. 19) and Majority Leader Cindy O’Laughlin (Dist. 18) for removing Senator Bill Eigel (Dist. 23), Senator Andrew Koenig (Dist. 15), Senator Rick Brattin (Dist. 31), and Senator Denny Hoskins (Dist. 21) from their respective committee assignments. In addition to removing these Missouri Freedom Caucus members from their respective committees, Rowden also revoked their parking spaces and cut staff salaries in these Senator’s offices.

Rowden & O’Laughlin took these actions because the Missouri Freedom Caucus has been working to get proposed bills addressing initiative petition reform assigned to committees so they can be heard and brought to the floor for a vote. Several of the proposed Initiative petition reform bills will require future constitutional amendments to be approved by a majority of the voters and a majority of the state legislative districts or a majority of U.S. Congressional districts.

“What we saw in the Senate today was nothing short of two children getting mad and throwing a temper tantrum because they would rather protect and promote their special interest donors than serve the citizens of Missouri,” said Byron Keelin, President of the Freedom Principle MO. “Senator Rowden and Senator O’Laughlin have proven they don’t care about protecting our Constitution.”

“We stand behind the Missouri Freedom Caucus as they continue to fight to push conservative bills and protect Missouri’s constitution from out-of-state dark money influences,” said Keelin.

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The Freedom Principle MO has started an online petition calling for Rowden and O’Laughlin to resign from their leadership positions in the Missouri Senate.

“We encourage Missourians to go to www.freedomprinciplemo.org and sign our petition,” said Keelin.

“We need to immediately elect new leadership to recast a courageous and conservative vision to create and pass legislation the voters have been demanding.”

The Freedom Principle MO is a pro-citizen, pro-Missouri First organization. We are a membership-based 501(c)4 organization, acting locally and state-wide, to protect our families and our constitutionally protected liberties. We are fighting for America. We are fighting for Missouri. We are fighting for you. For more information about the Freedom Principle MO visit our website at www.freedomprinciplemo.org.

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