



***THE HEMET-SAN JACINTO CHAPTER  
OF THE  
CALIFORNIA CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS***

***Invites you and your friends to the  
SEPTEMBER 22, 2025 MEETING***

***To meet and hear***

***GREG LANGWORTHY***

***SPEAK ON***

***'VOTER INTEGRITY' AND HIS ASSOCIATION WITH  
THE RIVERSIDE ELECTION INTEGRITY TEAM***



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## GREG LANGWORTHY RIVERSIDE ELECTION INTEGRITY TEAM

The **HSJCR** welcomes **Greg Langworthy**, member of the **Riverside Election Integrity Team**, as the guest speaker for September.

**REIT** consists of a group of Riverside County citizen-volunteers committed to helping our county identify and correct the problems with our current election system.

The roll of **REIT** is to check the accuracy of voter rolls, how voter identity is verified, how ballots are counted, and whether or not our election system complies with state and federal election law.

The team conducted an audit of the 2024 General Election and found that 33,888 more votes were counted than the number of voters who voted. They are in discussions with the ROV and county officials about the findings. Ask Greg for an update.

**Greg** and his wife **Veronica** have five children and eight grandchildren. He is a former high school English teacher. **Greg** is one of the leaders of **REIT (The Riverside Election Integrity Team)**

## NO ON PROP 50!!!

Ballots for the costly and unnecessary November 4 Special Election will be in the mail October 2! All fair-minded Californians should vote **NO**.

**This initiative would END FAIR ELECTIONS in California!** Prop 50 would nullify a citizens' initiative that requires an independent redistricting commission to draw election districts in a strictly non-partisan manner.

Prop 50 takes the redistricting power away from citizens and **gives that power back to the politicians who will manipulate the lines of election districts** for their own personal political benefit.

Be aware that **Prop 50 has a FALSE TITLE – THE ELECTION RIGGING RESPONSE ACT** **Vote Yes—**deceptively worded to suggest to voters that a YES vote would keep the independent citizens redistricting commission when in fact a YES vote eliminates the citizens from the process and hands the power back to the politicians.

**Prop 50 Eliminates Fair and Competitive Districts** as it allows gerrymandering, which disproportionately harms communities of color, reduces competitive elections, and erodes accountability. Strips constitutional protections that currently ensure communities are kept whole and that maps are not drawn to favor political parties or incumbents.

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## Meeting Information

The Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republican's September 22 meeting is at **The Elks at 1305 West Florida, Hemet**. Check-in is 6 p.m. with the program at 6:30.

To reserve, contact **Joanne at quiltersite2@yahoo.com or 951-663-7870**. Please reserve by September 18, 2025. If you reserve and are unable to attend, cancel with **Joanne**.

The **HSJCR** is charged for all reservations which causes an unnecessary financial burden for the organization when members reserve and are 'no-shows'.

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## CONDOLENCES

Condolences go to Sharon Durbin in the loss of her son in July. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time, Sharon.



## HEMET SAN JACINTO CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS MEMBERSHIP

Thanks to all of you who have renewed and to all new members. We now have 99 members! Welcome aboard to **Donna Cook** and thanks for the renewal from **Mike VanDerLinden**.

At the September Board of Directors meeting, the Board voted to carry the membership of those who join in September, October, November and December into 2026. What a deal for new members!

If you have questions regarding your dues and membership, contact Membership Vice President **Robin Lowe**.



## HEMET SAN JACINTO VALLEY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB FEDERATED

The Hemet San Jacinto Valley Republican Women's Club Federated's next meeting is September 18—the third Thursday. It was the consensus of the Board to temporarily meet on alternate months. Details for the September meeting are to be determined.



Please text or email President Crystal Ruiz for verification of program and time: 714-476-5469 or [rulison\\_crystal@yahoo.com](mailto:rulison_crystal@yahoo.com)

## SPECIAL ELECTION RESULTS

Assembly District 63 sent **Natasha Johnson** to **Sacramento!** She won the right to represent **Riverside County and the 63 AD** in a run-off election August 26.

She ran a true Grassroots Campaign with even help from some **HSJCR** members!

## CONGRATULATIONS ASSEMBLYWOMAN JOHNSON

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If **Prop 50** passes, according to the Congressional District map that has been drawn, **Republicans** will lose 5 Congressional seats. The **San Jacinto Valley** will be split and on the edge of two Congressional Districts.

Information from Shawn Steel has been forwarded to **HSCR** members on email.



## REPUBLICAN PARTY OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY

The August meeting of the **Republican Party of Riverside County** was held Thursday, August 28 at the Hemet Elks Lodge. The September 25 meeting will also be at the Hemet Elks Lodge.

The primary thrust of the August meeting was the endorsement of Riverside County incumbent legislators. Those endorsed were: **Congressmen Ken Calvert and Darrell Issa; State Senator Kelly Seyarto; Assemblymembers Kate Sanchez, Jeff Gonzalez, and Leticia Castillo.**

Fundraising dates to calendar are December 5, 2025, **Reagan Dinner** at Monteleone Meadows in Murrieta and the **Liberty Dinner** in April.

## CALIFORNIA REPUBLICAN PARTY

The CaGOP Fall Convention was held at the Orange County Hyatt Regency the weekend of September 5-7.

CaGOP Committees met and delivered their reports Sunday morning. The body voted to accept or not accept the reports.

In addition, workshops were offered. One that was offered multiple times was **VOTTIV Training**. This is the system the CaGOP and County Parties will be using for precinct walks.

The legal aspects of **Prop 50** were covered in a workshop. Information on **Voter ID** was a major thrust.

**Texas Congressman Dan Crenshaw** was the Saturday banquet keynote. (continued in column 3)

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

President Tom Wilson

Happy September, I am looking forward to seeing all of our members and guests at the September 22 meeting at the Hemet Elks Lodge. We appreciate members bringing guests and always hope they will become members.

The **HSJCR Board** voted to offer a special consideration to new members if you choose to join at the September meeting. The dues remain at only \$20 per year and \$35 per year per couple and will cover the remainder of 2025 and all of 2026.

The guest speaker this month is Greg Langworthy speaking on the subject of voter integrity.

Please RSVP to Joanne ASAP. Remember: Guests are always welcome. **Tom**

## CALIFORNIA CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS

The **California Congress of Republicans** met on Saturday afternoon. **Sonia Shaw, candidate for California State Superintendent**, spoke as well as several candidates for **Congress and State offices**.

Club reports were given.

CaGOP continued

The Inland Empire Region of **CaGOP** met to elect the **Regional Vice Chair**. **David Markey** of San Bernadino County was elected to represent Riverside, San Bernardino, Inyo and Mono counties.



## BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING NOTES

The Board of Directors met on Tuesday, September 2, 2025 at the office of the Greater San Jacinto Valley Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was called to order by **President Tom Wilson**. The following were in attendance: **VP Membership Robin Lowe, VP Programs Dale Dieleman, VP Liaison with RWF Joanne Dielema, Treasurer Keith Meissner Board Members Taryn Cagliero, Joe Cagliero, Marcie Martinez, and Charlene Stover.**

- The financial report was given by Treasurer **Keith Meissner**.
- Greg Langworthy is the September keynote speaker on Voter Integrity.
- The program for October will emphasize **No on Prop 50**.
- Membership is at 99. **Treasurer Keith Meissner and Membership VP Robin Lowe** will send **California Congress of Republicans** state dues to the **CCR treasurer**.



**HEMET-SAN JACINTO CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS  
CALIFORNIA CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS  
2025 MEMBERSHIP FORM**

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
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I AM A REGISTERED REPUBLICAN (SIGNATURE) \_\_\_\_\_

**DUES: \$20 PER PERSON/\$35 PER COUPLE  
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**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans**

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### 6-3 RULING LETS IMMIGRATION RAIDS RESUME IN CALIFORNIA

(Jon Fleishman excerpts from Does It Really Matter.)

The United States Supreme Court has handed the Trump administration a significant win, at least temporarily, by granting an emergency stay that permits broad enforcement of federal immigration laws. This decision lifts a lower court injunction that had halted large-scale enforcement actions by Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) targeting illegal immigrants, including those involved in other federal violations. The ruling underscores the executive branch's authority in immigration matters, even as critics decry it as overly aggressive.

In a 6-3 the Court's conservative-leaning majority sided with the government. Chief Justice John Roberts along with Associate Justices Clarence Thomas, Samuel Alito, Neil Gorsuch, Brett Kavanaugh, and Amy Coney Barrett voted to grant the stay. Dissenting were Justices Sonia Sotomayor, Elena Kagan, and Ketanji Brown Jackson, who argued the injunction should remain to prevent potential overreach.

#### What Happens Next?

The stay is temporary. As the unsigned order explains, it will last "pending the disposition of the appeal in the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and disposition of a petition for a writ of certiorari..." For now, the green light means operations can ramp up immediately.

#### The Irony of "Indiscriminate" Raids

Outrage from progressive leaders and immigration advocates has been swift, labeling the enforcement actions as "indiscriminate" and harmful to communities. Yet this criticism overlooks a glaring irony: the necessity for such broad federal actions is fueled, in part, by sanctuary city policies that hinder cooperation between local and federal authorities.

In cities like San Francisco and Los Angeles, local laws prohibit police from notifying ICE about undocumented individuals arrested for other crimes, even serious ones. And some states, like California, there are statewide

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### VOTER ID INITIATIVE

Voter ID is a constitutional amendment, which, once approved by the voters, state politicians will be compelled to comply with for all future elections—no exceptions.

Voter ID would require:

- Photo ID to vote. If voting by mail, the last four digits of a driver's license.
- Election officials would be required to maintain accurate voter rolls and remove any ineligible voters before mailing ballots out.
- Election officials would be required to verify citizenship of an individual before adding them to the state's voter rolls.

The first challenge toward the reform is getting the 1 million signatures to force this game-changing initiative on the ballot in November 2026.

What you can do:

- Sign the online petition at [voterIDPetition.org](http://voterIDPetition.org)
- Volunteer to get signatures at [VoterIDVolunteer.org](http://VoterIDVolunteer.org)
- Contribute at [VoterIDInitiative.org](http://VoterIDInitiative.org).



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"sanctuary" laws that impose this policy in every jurisdiction. This ideological barrier forces federal agents to cast a wider net, conducting operations that might otherwise be avoided through targeted tips from local law enforcement.

If sheriffs and police departments were free to collaborate without political shackles, enforcement could focus on high-priority cases—rather than sweeping actions.

#### Breaking the Sanctuary Barrier

Removing these self-imposed restrictions wouldn't just make enforcement more efficient; it would align with the rule of law that underpins our system. When locals withhold information, ICE must deploy more agents, conduct more broad enforcement actions, and incur higher costs.

#### (EDITOR'S NOTE)

From time to time, I receive information from the CaGOP and other sources that is timely. I have been forwarding via email some of the information but to **members only**. Members are encouraged to share the information.

Sometimes it is an item for members to take action on and other times, a reminder of a fundraiser. One example is the information sent September 9 on **No on Prop 50**.

Charlene

### DATES TO CALENDAR

September 11: **Patriots Day (Remember 9-11)**

September 22: **Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans Meeting at the Elks Lodge with guest speaker Greg Langworthy.**

September 17: **Constitution Day.**

September 25: **Republican Party of Riverside County September General Membership Meeting at the Hemet Elks Lodge at 6:30 p.m.**





### 9/11 DO NOT FORGET

Where were you and what were you doing at 8:45 a.m. on September 11, 2001? With the world as it is today, one may need reminded of the 9/11 tragedy.

On September 11, 2001, 19 militants associated with the Islamic extremist group al-Qaeda hijacked four airplanes and carried out suicide attacks against targets in the United States. Almost 3,000 people were killed during the 9/11 terrorist attacks, which triggered major U.S. initiatives to combat terrorism and defined the presidency of George W. Bush.

At 8:45 a.m. on a clear Tuesday morning, an American Airlines Boeing 767 loaded with 20,000 gallons of jet fuel crashed into the north tower of the World Trade Center.

As the evacuation of the tower and its twin got underway, television cameras broadcasted live images of what initially appeared to be a freak accident. Then, 18 minutes after the first plane hit, a second appeared out of the sky and sliced into the south tower. The U.S. was under attack.

As millions watched the events unfolding in New York, American Airlines Flight 77 circled over downtown Washington, DC before crashing into the west side of the Pentagon military headquarters at 9:45 a.m. Jet fuel from the Boeing 757 caused a devastating inferno that led to the structural collapse of a portion of the giant concrete building, headquarters of the Department of Defense.

A fourth California-bound plane was hijacked about 40 minutes after leaving an airport in New Jersey. Because the plane had been delayed, passengers on board learned of events in New York and Washington via cell phone and airfone calls to the ground. Knowing that the aircraft was not returning to an airport as the hijackers claimed, a group of passengers and flight attendants planned an insurrection.

They fought the four hijackers and are suspected to have attached the cockpit with a fire extinguisher. The plane then flipped and sped toward the ground at upwards of 500 miles per hour crashing in a rural field killing 44 passengers.

Some of the terrorists had lived in the U.S. for more than a year and had taken flying lessons at American commercial flight schools. Others had slipped into the country in the months prior to September 11.

### ORIGIN OF LABOR DAY

Union leader Peter J. McGuire is generally given credit for the idea of Labor Day in the United States, but it was likely another leader, Matthew Maguire, who suggested to the Central Labor Union of New York a celebration honoring workers. This resulted in a parade of some 10,000 workers on September 5, 1882.

By 1885 Labor Day celebrations were being held in a number of states, and in 1894 U.S. President Grover Cleveland signed into law a bill making Labor Day a national holiday.



### QUOTABLE QUOTES

"On my desk in the Oval Office, I have a little sign that says: 'There is no limit to what a man can do or where he can go if he doesn't mind who gets the credit.'"

President Ronald Reagan 1988

"Peace is more than just an absence of war. True peace is justice, true peace is freedom, and true peace dictates the recognition of human rights."

President Ronald Reagan 1986

"The problems we face today are there because the people who work for a living are now outnumbered by those who vote for a living."

Anonymous

"Territory is but the body of a nation. The people who inhabit its hills and valleys are its soul, its spirit, its life."

James Garfield

"A nation that will not enforce its laws has no claim to the respect and allegiance of its people."

Ambrose Bierce

"Everyone thinks of changing the world, but no one thinks of changing himself."

Leo Tolstoy

### THOUGHTS TO PONDER

In 1905, 120 years ago:

The average life expectancy in the U.S. was 47 years.

Only 14 percent of the homes in the U.S. had a bathtub.

The average wage in the U.S. was 22 cents an hour.

Coffee was fifteen cents a pound.

A three-minute call from Denver to New York city cost eleven dollars.

### TRIVIA

I voted Democrat because I think illegal aliens have a right to free health care, education, and social Security benefits.

I voted Democrat because I believe the government will do a better job of spending the money I earn than I would.

Whenever I fill out an application, in the part that says "if an emergency, notify," I put "DOCTOR". What's my spouse going to do?

I went to a seafood disco last week...and pulled a mussel.

Newspaper headings:

"If strike isn't settled quickly, it may last awhile."

"Juvenile Court to try shooting defendant."

"Something went wrong in jet crash, expert says"

"Typhoon rips through cemetery; hundreds dead."

I feel like my body has gotten totally out of shape, so I got my doctor's permission to join a fitness club and start exercising. I decided to take an aerobics class for seniors. I bent, twisted, gyrated, jumped up and down, and perspired for an hour. But, by the time I got my leotards on, the class was over.