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Dear Georgetown Township Board Members:

As you know, the Ottawa County Board recently passed a resolution declaring Ottawa County a “constitutional county”. GT Trustee Becky Steele spoke in the comment section before the Board vote explaining her objections, whereas I expressed my support of the resolution and urged the Board to go yet further in the Christian anti-federalist direction. Trustee Steele and others have voiced the case for federalist secular humanism against a quintessentially anti-federalist “constitutional county” resolution that has been adopted by the Ottawa County Board.

The Declaration of Independence, the Articles of Confederation, the Continental Colors flag, the Congressionally-authorized Protestant Bible of the USA by legal act, the Northwest Ordinance, Christian state constitutions, and much more, mark the USA in its original design as an anti-federalist Biblical Christian nation of confederated sovereign states, by constitution, law, and official legal action. Pitted against this political theology since the nation’s founding has been the political theology of federalist secular humanism. Federalists could not *legally* overturn the founding Biblical Christian order, so they did it by *illegal* usurpation, setting up the Federal Constitution in its place, and progressively implementing their agenda over the years. But even in their illegality they had to concede some ground to the anti-federalists, which they did in the form of the “bill of rights”, as the first ten amendments to the Federal Constitution. In so doing, they created “a house divided against itself”. Scripture testifies such “cannot stand” long term. I urge a return to the Christian Articles of Confederation as our national constitution, to be so recognized starting at the local grassroots level.

With that background, I have three requests to make of this Board now:

1. Please pass a resolution in support of the Ottawa County Board’s “constitutional county” resolution. It is important that this Township officially go on record as supporting the direction of the County Board on this matter.

2. Please read Dr. Murray Rothbard's book *Conceived in Liberty: Volume 5*, in which he cogently refutes the federalist version of history, showing how the federalists "were able to execute their truly amazing political coup d'etat which *illegally* liquidated the Articles of Confederation and replaced it with the [Federal] Constitution. In short, they were able to destroy the original individualist and decentralized program of the American Revolution...The Federalists, by use of propaganda, chicanery, fraud, malapportionment of delegates, blackmail threats of secession, and even coercive laws, had managed to sustain enough delegates to defy the wishes of the majority of the American people and create a new Constitution." Legally and morally, the Christian Articles of Confederation is the rightful national constitution of the USA.
3. Please sponsor a public debate in the Township building between me and Trustee Steele, so that Township citizens can decide for themselves which side is more cogent. I am challenging Trustee Steele to such public debate both here and in the area schools so citizens of all ages may hear information on both sides. I have written a book on the subject entitled *Return to the Articles of Confederation: A Rebuttal to Trustee Steele and All of Those who Oppose Biblical Christian Rule*, which is available in paperback on Amazon and free online at <http://www.puritans.net/book-return-to-the-articles-of-confederation/> .

The Washington, DC-based Federal empire has become a modern Babel and is going wrong in many ways, openly defying Jesus Christ as He is revealed in scripture, and encroaching on Christian liberties. Ottawa County Commissioners Joe Moss and Sylvia Rhodea are correct in asserting that this sad situation needs to be addressed from the ground up (see <https://ottawaimpact.com/build-from-the-ground-up-the-ottawa-county-blueprint> ). The ground up approach of the current County Board is a Christian anti-federalist approach. This Township Board should not take a federalist approach to governance, but a Christian anti-federalist approach to governance. It is wrong legally and morally for the local Boards to be mere administrative arms of the Federal Government imperialistic agenda. The Federal Government imperialistic agenda is morphing into something even worse: a globalist agenda. So we should not be surprised if the pressure from above becomes increasingly oppressive and wicked. The Bible says civil magistrates at all levels are to "kiss the Son", not kiss tyranny and immorality.

Sincerely,



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