

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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'Our Children are the Future, Let's Invest'

To the Editor:

What are some of your best memories from childhood? For me, all of them begin outdoors and always with a group of neighborhood kids. The Northwoods graces us with so many wonderful quality of life attributes but finding a true "neighborhood" usually isn't one of them.

Most of us, all of us really, will take that trade-off to be fortunate enough to live in this extraordinary place. What if we were able to provide a place to build a neighborhood? Where families can gather to watch their children grow, engage, and learn.

The town of Boulder Junction in conjunction with the Boulder Junction Community Foundation and a group of dedicated volunteers want to make that happen. Together with your help, we are fundraising to bring a brand-new playground, zip-line, and ninja warrior area to our community. This will replace the existing equipment located behind the Sturm Memorial Ball Field and brand-new restrooms in Boulder Junction.

The new playground area will consist of 4 sections: two to five-year-old area, five to 12-year-old area, zipline, and ninja warrior area. As you can imagine, this is going to encompass a much larger area than the current playground. There will be pathways connecting all the areas, additional seating with cover, and fencing to ensure the safety of the children from the bike path and nearby parking lot.

On our website and our Facebook page you can find renderings from Gerber Leisure, whom we have accepted an offer to design and build the new playground. They are a Wisconsin based company and you can see their work in other areas like Marshfield, Wausau, and Eau Claire.

Over the course of the next year

keep an eye out for fundraising events. We are already planning a carnival and concert behind the Boulder Junction Community Center for the middle of June. This will include kid friendly fair games, food, drinks, and music by local artist Olivia England and Roy Rivers, a John Denver tribute artist. We are still in need of volunteers as we begin our fundraising efforts. If you are interested, please fill out the form on our website: www.boulderatplay.com, or just shoot us an email: boulderatplay@gmail.com.

Thank you for considering the future of our community and our children. Our hope is to provide a space for imagination, growth, and learning that is accessible to all children. We would love for you to be a part of that!

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Retired educator opposes firearm education in schools

To the Editor:

Senate Bill 875 and Assembly Bill 843 require the state superintendent of public instruction to develop a curriculum for a comprehensive firearm education course for high school students. It also specifies that a school board that elects not to offer a firearm education course must adopt a resolution making that election.

As a retired educator I have several objections to such a course being taught in high schools.

School Districts struggle every day to provide a quality education with academic rigor so that students can be offered courses that prepare them for their future endeavors. The districts strive to obtain highly qualified teachers, to meet the demand for expensive technology, and to address the emotional and mental health needs of their students. All school districts must address these responsibilities within the restraints



of their budgets. Choices must be made. Do schoolboards spend money to hire highly qualified, experienced academic teachers or a firearm instructor? Do schoolboards spend money to increase availability of technology to prepare students for the highly technical occupations of the future, or spend money to purchase firearms so that students can learn how to use them? This legislation will require that schoolboards make those types of choices. Providing a firearm course will diminish any academic program because choices must be made.

Educators must face the reality of the everyday threat of gun violence in their schools and classrooms. It is normal to conduct tornado drills and fire drills. Now students practice not just fire and tornado drills, but active shooter drills, hard lockdowns, soft lockdowns, and what to do if there is a lockdown during passing period. I had to instruct my students if they could not get into a classroom before the teachers had locked the doors, they would need to run into the bathroom and stand on the toilet. Firearm courses will do nothing to reduce the necessity of students needing to practice such drills

to save their lives. If this legislation is approved, will teachers need to decide whether a student is looking up guns on his phone because of what he saw in a firearm class or a threat that needs to be reported immediately? Teachers will need to make a choice and the wrong choice may cost lives.

As a taxpayer I happily pay taxes to support public education. I do not support my tax dollars being used to provide a firearm course that has nothing to do with any quality academic program. Teaching children about firearms is not the responsibility of the taxpayers. It is the responsibility of the parents. It is not the responsibility of the taxpayers to bear the burden of a lawsuit if a student who takes the course is involved in an illegal or criminal use of a weapon. It is not the responsibility of the taxpayers to pay damages to those impacted by any illegal or criminal use of a weapon by a student who takes such a firearm course at school. The choice to educate minors in the use of firearms, as well as, assuming all the legal and financial liability is the sole responsibility of parents not the taxpayers.

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The woke AMA

The American Medical Association (AMA) now tells doctors: Use woke language! It's issued a 54-page guide telling doctors things like, don't say "equality"; say "equity." Don't say "minority"; say "historically marginalized."

Much of the AMA's advisory sounds like Marxism: "Expose ... property rights ... Individualism is problematic ... Corporations ... limit prospects for good health ... people underpaid and forced into poverty as a result of banking policies."

This is too much even for some on the left, like writer Matthew Yglesias, whose article about the AMA caught my attention.

"Can you imagine anyone actually doing this?" asks Yglesias in my new video. "What would happen if you were in a clinical setting, and somebody starts giving you this lecture about landowners? ... Nobody practices medicine like that, and it wouldn't be helpful to anybody!"

He points out that while the AMA

now tells doctors to call poor neighborhoods "systematically divested," not "poor," it has long lobbied for things that hurt poor people, like restricting the number of doctors.

The U.S. has fewer doctors than other countries. Per person, Austria has twice as many.

"We have the best paid physicians in the world and the scarcest physicians in the world," says Yglesias. "That's not a coincidence."

Years ago, in most of America, anyone could practice medicine. Licensed doctors didn't like that. That led to the formation of the AMA.

They're a trade group, says Yglesias. "They ... advance the interests of their members."

Like the teachers union or dock workers union.

"It's called a trade association rather than a union," says Yglesias. "But it's never been all that different."

In 1986, the AMA called for

smaller enrollment in medical schools, to curb an alleged doctor "surplus." In 1997, it even got the government to pay hospitals not to train doctors!

Today, the AMA supports rules that make it hard for doctors from other countries to practice here. Foreign doctors must complete a U.S. residency program. They don't get credit for having practiced abroad.

Such rules preserve America's doctor shortage. That shortage allows the average doctor to make more than \$200,000 a year.

Well-paid doctors can be choosy about where they work. It's why it's tough to find a doctor in rural America, says Yglesias.

There are lots of Walmarts and Targets in rural areas because there is no limit on big stores. Walmart and Target compete to serve as many communities as they can.

Likewise, "Restaurants keep time that's convenient for their customers. Doctors keep hours that are convenient for doctors."

I asked the AMA for an interview about this, but they declined. They sent us a statement saying they've worked to approve "approximately 20 new medical schools."

Why does the AMA and its Liaison Committee on Medical Educa-

tion" even get to approve new schools? I don't get to approve new TV reporters.

The AMA's statement claims it supports "increasing ... the number of physicians." If that's true, it's long overdue. A study in *Annals of Internal Medicine* says if there were more primary care doctors, 7,200 lives would be saved.

Since doctors are scarce, more people go to nurses for help. But AMA lobbyists push for laws that require nurses to be supervised by a doctor.

"That makes it much harder to open retail health clinics ... (that offer) low-cost, high-convenience treatment," says Yglesias. "Nurses have a lot of training ... there's a lot of useful stuff that they can do."

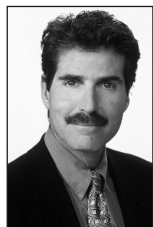
The AMA's lobbying hurts poor people most.

The AMA doesn't like talking about that. Instead, it now obsesses about politically correct language, telling doctors, don't say, "ex-cons"; say "formerly incarcerated." Don't say "slaves"; say "enslaved people."

It's hard to imagine how that helps patients.

Yglesias concludes, "Getting really obsessed with language politics is a

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Mask farce

Many people have known for a long time that most masks are useless against the spread of the coronavirus, and that mask wearing — except for respirators — can essentially be broken down into three groups.

First, there are the authoritarians of the political and medical establishment who want to use masks to reinforce the masked class's inferior place in society and to rob them of personal identity — essentially branding them, and as a means of social control. Throughout history, compelling the wearing of masks has worked as the equivalent of social handcuffs, cementing inferior status and constituting a form of mental torture.

As Grada Kilomba wrote in an essay more than a decade ago for the Bicentenary of the Abolishment of the Atlantic Slave Trade, the mask in the age of slavery represented a “sadistic politics of conquest and domination”:

“Formally, the mask was used by white masters to prevent enslaved Africans from eating sugar cane or cocoa beans, while working on the plantations, but its primary function was to implement a sense of speechlessness and fear, inasmuch as the mouth was at the same time a place of muteness and a place of torture.”

It's hard to argue against the same kind of function for masks in today's world when masking is inadvertently stripped of its meaningless public health facade, as it is when mostly white elite liberals happily attend birthday parties and fundraisers, all unmasked while being obediently waited on by the masked servant class. Nothing depicts oppression better than that.

The second category of mask advocacy comes from those who wear them to virtue signal. The intention is not to oppress directly but to signal that they are part of the preferred class, or at least its ally. They seek not to oppress but to avoid oppression.

Finally, there are the many who wear masks simply because they have been terrified, for no good reason, by the corporate media and the public health establishment.

And who can blame them? We've been subjected to this new study and that new study showing how effective masks are, though critics have punched gaping holes in each and every one. Either that, or the CDC has cherry-picked the data.

But how do you really know?

Well, we do know that for decades prior to the pandemic, the science behind universal face masking was pretty much settled: Face masks didn't do much if any good, the experts said, and themselves posed some downsides, a false sense of security chief among them.

Both the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) recommended against the widespread use of masks right up until and into the pandemic, in fact as late as March 30, 2020.

Indeed, the scientific reality was buttressed by a major policy review published by the CDC, a meta-analysis of 14 randomized controlled trials on the effectiveness of masks in preventing the transmission of in-

fluenza, conducted between 1946 and 2018 — they were not effective. And Covid aerosols are as small as influenza aerosols.

Then the science suddenly changed, and masks were essential. Now there is more evidence that it is the politics and not the science that changed because in recent weeks the pandemic authorities, such as they are, have told us that the science has changed yet again.

Now it's OK to drop mask mandates, and, oh, by the way, cloth masks don't work. You really should wear a respirator. Here's former Planned Parenthood president, CNN contributor, and all-around Covidian authoritarian and professional hysteric Dr. Leean Wen:

“We have known for many months that Covid-19 is airborne and therefore, a simple cloth mask is not going to cut it.”

And this from her, too: “There was, and is, a time and place for pandemic restrictions. But when they were put in, it was always with the understanding that they would be removed as soon as we can. And, in this case, circumstances have changed. Case counts are declining. Also, the science has changed.”

Hooray. But boy the science is changing awfully fast.

In truth, the science never did change. The science was and is just like it was before the pandemic and during its early stages. Indeed, what the public health authorities are circling back to now that mid-term elections are approaching is the very same conclusion issued by prominent scientists at the beginning of the pandemic who were later exoriated and even canceled for telling the truth.

For example, here's Dr. Lisa Brosseau, a nationally recognized expert on infectious diseases who taught for many years at the University of Illinois at Chicago, in an April 2020 interview with Infection Control Today.

“And at the end of the day, cloth masks in my opinion don't work in any form,” Brosseau said. “They aren't very good at source control, except for maybe very large particles. And they should not be used in healthcare settings for a number of reasons. Surgical masks, I decided, based on the literature, might have a role as source control for people who have symptoms. Say if they're staying home and they have some symptoms. They shouldn't be something you'd wear if you have symptoms going out into the public because you shouldn't be going out into the public service.”

In other words, cloth masks did nothing, and surgical masks should be worn only if a person has symptoms, and then only in the house. Most important of all, Brosseau also correctly pegged a central point of the previous consensus — when masks work at all, they work only as a source control. The masks don't protect anybody from getting the virus if the source isn't controlled.

They just don't work, except for respirators.

“So, at the end of the day, the only thing that provides personal protec-

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How do you feel about Sarah Palin? It shouldn't matter

Scrolling through the comment sections under news stories about Sarah Palin's defamation lawsuit against the New York Times — dismissed by a judge while a non-sequestered jury was still deliberating and no doubt next heading to an appeals court — provides ample evidence of the dismal state of political tribalization in this country. With few exceptions, all conservatives wanted to see her prevail against a media outlet they revile, while liberals who care neither for her politics nor her style argued that she deserves to lose because she helped contribute to the rhetorical toxicity in which they themselves are unwittingly participating.

Politics is personal. But the personal shouldn't obscure policy. If they stopped to think about it, lefties ought to sympathize with Palin. Declaring herself “powerless,” Palin testified: “I was in Wasilla, up against those who buy ink by the barrel and I had my No. 2 pencil on my kitchen table.”

She's not wrong. Having been a few million votes away from being a heartbeat away from the presidency 14 years ago may well make her something of a historical immortal, but that past doesn't alter the present truth. Palin is now a private citizen, a relative David challenging a \$7 billion Goliath with iconic cultural clout and the deepest of establishment ties, backed by decades of case law that protects media defendants to the extent that most aggrieved would-be plaintiffs never dare to sue. The New York Times, on the other hand, is hardly a sympathetic defendant. As progressives recall, the Times allowed reporter Judith Miller to propagandize in favor of invading Iraq, to run interference for Hillary Clinton against Bernie Sanders and to studiously stifle ideological expression to the left of the corporatist wing of the Democratic Party.

Without Palin's proto-Trumpism, from a team-politics mindset, she'd be the left's inherent favorite. I am impervious to her charms. As I said in 2008, I voted for Barack Obama in large part because I worried that John McCain's age and health increased the likelihood that the kooky Alaska governor would wind up in control of nuclear launch codes. I will always have contempt for anyone who thinks it's cool to shoot wolves from a helicopter. But none of that matters in her lawsuit, which comes down to an important question: Our society and democracy rely on robust freedoms of the press, but must the First Amendment remain a license to defame and an inducement to journalistic laziness, as has become the case since *New York Times v. Sullivan*?

Defenders of free expression have often found themselves legally allied with controversial and disreputable figures. In 1978, the American Civil Liberties Union supported a neo-Nazi group's application to march through the streets of Skokie, Illinois, a Chicago suburb where many survivors of the Holocaust lived. *Hustler* magazine publisher Larry Flynt received support from high-profile celebrities in his 1977 ob-

scenity trial in Cincinnati as well as his 1983 legal defense against Moral Majority founder Jerry Falwell; the Association of American Editorial Cartoonists, of which I am a member and a former president, supplied an amicus brief in the Falwell case. The ACLU has consistently opposed attempts to ban the burning of the American flag at political

protests.

The fact that these legal battles involved fascists, a notorious pornographer and profound disrespect of a revered national symbol is neither ironic nor bizarre; censors rarely target milquetoast or middlebrow expression.

Several aspects of *Palin v. New York Times* ought to concern liberals and progressives.

First and foremost, journalists who don't check their facts and then print outrageous falsehoods about a person, even a public figure like Palin, ought to risk legal exposure. If it can happen to her, it can happen to you. Yet Federal Judge Jed Rakoff, 78, a liberal appointed by Bill Clinton, stated in his dismissal ruling: “Certainly the case law is clear that mere failure to check is not enough to support ‘reckless disregard’ in the context of any libel claim.” If he's right, “reckless disregard for the truth” is a phrase without meaning — and that needs to change.

Evidence favorable to Palin's “actual malice” argument was brushed off in media coverage and, apparently, by the judge. “What was missing from the whole production was any indication that Bennet was out to smear Palin,” wrote Erik Wemple of *The Washington Post*. Maybe there wasn't a “smoking gun,” as Wemple noted. But what about motivation? What about conflict of interest? Former Times editorial page editor James Bennet — responsible for smearing Palin — has a brother, Michael Bennet. Michael happens to be a United States senator from Colorado — and Palin endorsed his Republican opponent. Michael despises Palin, calling her an “extremist.” Maybe James, a Democrat from a family of Democrats, doesn't share his brother's opinion of Palin. But I wouldn't bet on it.

Rakoff didn't allow the jury to hear that tidbit.

Ex post facto (retroactively applied) laws are specifically prohibited under the Constitution. Palin sued in 2017, yet Rakoff ruled that her case was subject to the state's newly amended “anti-SLAPP” law enacted in 2021 and so requires her to meet the high bar set by Sullivan for public figures to prevail in libel and defamation claims. Do we want to live in a country where the rules change after the game has started?

Every plaintiff and defendant should enjoy an equal playing field, but that doesn't appear to be the case here. The Times was permitted to make the distracting, spurious argument that Palin's reputation wasn't harmed. “The Masked Singer. Do they put on inciters of violence?” David Axelrod asked during closing arguments. Under straight defamation, Palin

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Survey: Half of Wisconsin businesses hit with double-digit inflation

A new survey of Wisconsin businesses found that nearly half have seen costs increase by over 10 percent thanks to historically high inflation.

According to the Wisconsin Employer Survey, 82 percent of employers have been negatively impacted by inflation, and one in five companies have seen costs go up by more than 20 percent.

Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce (WMC) conducted the survey over the last three weeks of January on a variety of topics. On Tuesday, WMC released data focused specifically on inflation and the supply chain. It followed data last week that showed business confidence is waning in the face of a persistent workforce shortage, supply chain challenges, and historic inflation.

"Inflation is taking a toll on Wisconsin businesses and ultimately consumers," said WMC president & CEO Kurt R. Bauer. "When companies are facing 10, 20 and 30 percent cost increases, it means consumers will be next in line for double-digit hikes. Unfortunately, we see no signs of inflation easing in the coming months."

Information from the Wisconsin Employer Survey matches what is happening nationally. The producer price index — which measures the final cost of goods and services paid by employers — was up 9.7 percent over the last year, which is nearing a record high.

"While hardworking Wisconsinites are facing higher prices on everyday items, lawmakers in Washington are just making the problem worse," Bauer said. "The federal government has flooded the economy with trillions of dollars we don't have, and President Biden is just accelerating inflation with policies that make it more expensive to fill up our cars and heat our homes."

Other data from the Wisconsin Employer Survey shows supply chain challenges have yet to ease. Ninety-one percent of businesses have experienced delays or other challenges associated with their supply chain in the last year.

Of those companies, 93 percent saw costs go up, nearly half had to turn down orders because of supply chain issues and some had to cancel product lines indefinitely.

The Wisconsin Employer Survey is conducted twice a year by WMC. The assessment provides a snapshot of where Wisconsin's employers stand on a number of important issues and outlines their economic outlook for both Wisconsin and the United States.

Bills to improve family law system head to Evers's desk

The Wisconsin Assembly unanimously concurred on two 2021 Senate bills authored by Rep. Jessie Rodriguez (R-Oak Creek) and Sen. Joan Ballweg (R-Markesan) that seek to improve the family law system and its impact on Wisconsin families.

Under current law, a circuit court commissioner may preside at and grant a fully stipulated (i.e. agreed upon) divorce, just as a circuit court judge can. However, current law does not allow court commissioners to preside at and grant a fully stipulated legal separation. Instead, only a judge can finalize legal separations.

That requires an additional court proceeding, even in the case of legal separations that have been fully agreed upon by both parties, the lawmakers say. Their bill would extend the authority of a court commissioner to preside over a final hearing in an action for legal separation if both parties to the action state that the marital relationship is broken and that the parties have resolved all material issues.

"Extending the ability to preside over legal separations to court commissioners will result in more timely resolutions of legal separations, provide circuit courts with more time to concentrate on contested matters, and result in fewer hearings and lower costs to litigants," Rodriguez said.

After a divorce is final, current law requires the parties to exchange financial information on an annual basis where there is either a child support or family support order in

effect. However, there is no language in statute that specifies what specific financial information is to be exchanged.

The other bill would clarify which financial documents are to be exchanged and require that the documents be exchanged by May 1 of each calendar year. Additionally, the bill outlines information that may be redacted, either for privacy or safety reasons.

Lastly, the bill would extend the requirement that the exchange of financial information take place to those paying or receiving maintenance (formerly known as alimony), which is not currently required.

"These changes to current law will have a positive impact on the family court system," Rodriguez said. "Clarifying what financial information needs to be exchanged and when the documentation is due will reduce litigation, provide parity among parties, and help determine accurate amounts for child support, family support, or maintenance."

Both bills passed in the Senate unanimously in January, so with this week's action by the Assembly the bills now head to Gov. Tony Evers's desk.

Legislators introduce bipartisan bill to combat drugged driving

A bipartisan group of legislators put forward a bill this week aimed at curbing the rise of drugged driving in the state.

Sens. Van Wanggaard (R-Racine) and Melissa Agard (D-Madison) joined Rep. Tip McGuire (D-Kenosha) and John Spiros (R-Marshfield) in introducing legislation that would invest in Wisconsin's Drug Recognition Expert (DRE) training.

"I am proud to join my fellow legislators in introducing legislation to make our roads safer," said Wanggaard, chairman of the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety. "Drugged driving is on the rise, and it is critical that we address this dangerous trend head-on."

The bill would commit funding to the Drug Enforcement Expert program in order to train more officers to properly identify drivers who are



under the influence of drugs.

"Unlike drunk driving, when a driver is under the influence of drugs behind the wheel, there is not an equivalent test to a breathalyzer to test their impairment," McGuire said. "One of the best tools that law enforcement has in identifying and stopping this dangerous behavior is Drug Recognition Expert (DRE) training, which uses 110 points of data to fully assess drugged driving."

Spiros, the chairman of the Assembly Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety, said Wisconsin has a successful but underfunded DRE training program: "With the proper investment, we can give our law enforcement officers the tools they need to get drugged drivers off the road."

Agard said increasing training and using standardized procedures for identifying drug-impaired drivers can not only make roads safer, but potentially reduce disparities in the criminal justice system.

"I am proud to join this bipartisan effort to combat drugged driving," she said.

The bill is supported by the Wisconsin Professional Police Association, the Wisconsin Chiefs of Police, and the Badger State Sheriffs.

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would have to show she had lost income or opportunities. But she sued for defamation per se, a finding that what the Times said about her was so over-the-top that she deserves punitive damages without having to prove actual damages.

There are other indications that the judge harbored animus against Palin. "She is, of course, unvaccinated," Rakoff remarked on Jan. 24 after she tested positive for COVID-19. Of course, vaccinated people get the virus, too. I did.

Then there was the judge's unusual decision to

dismiss her case while the jury was deliberating. Under anti-SLAPP, she will be ordered to pay the Times' attorneys' fees. Palin didn't get justice but rather a brutalist simulacrum of due process. She was teased with the possibility of victory, both sides' attorneys' fees mounting at her expense, only to have it snatched away at the whim of one man rather than the judgement of 12 peers. And we were deprived of a clear jury verdict on a matter of public importance.

Experts believed Palin's right-wing politics might hurt her with her jury in New York, one of the most liberal cities in the country. "In this case, you have a very prominent plaintiff

who is suing in a city that I would say would not be her favorite place to be judged," First Amendment attorney Floyd Abrams, who sides with the Times, told Politico.

It didn't help her with the judge. And it's disgusting. Whatever Palin has done to the body politic or to wolves in Alaska, she is the victim here. No one, including the Times, disputes that the newspaper unfairly characterized her as being partly responsible for a fatal mass shooting when there was no evidence that that was true.

Palin's personality and politics are irrelevant. The question here was not whether or not you like Sarah Palin. It was whether James Bennet engaged in "reckless disregard for the

truth," part of the standard of "actual malice" under Sullivan that Palin's attorneys need to clear, or the paper got to walk away without paying her — indeed, she has to pay them — because it issued a correction after it discovered it was wrong.

It still is.

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good way to position themselves as the good guys, without addressing their own role in creating these problems."

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tion for the person wearing the mask is a respirator," Brosseau said. "And that is the thing that healthcare workers should be wearing. Particularly if we're worried about the small aerosols,

small particles that people will generate when they're infectious."

Brosseau went on to say about the beginning of the pandemic in Asia: "It was clear that even surgical masks weren't working in healthcare settings or controlling Covid-19."

Now the hystericals have

acknowledged that cloth masks are indeed useless, and the CDC, which has been loathe to update its formal mask guidance, has begrudgingly allowed that "a respirator may be considered in certain situations and by certain people when greater protection is needed or desired."

"The science" will undoubtedly change many more times between now and election day. Perhaps by then the whole pandemic might be polished right down to the actual truth.

But we won't hold our breath. The lies by the government and the medical establishment have piled up

like garbage in a landfill. The mask farce is only the elites' latest demonstration of the political agenda behind this pandemic, becoming ever more clear by the day as they fear it will end and they will lose their newfound powers.

We must stay vigilant, and vote.