

Due Diligence

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I was recently surprised to see *House Minority Leader* Kevin McCarthy receive the endorsements of both Donald Trump and the irrepressible Jim Jordan (R-OH-04) in his California 23rd District U.S. House Primary. I'm far less enthusiastic about McCarthy than the latter two, and hope that Jordan will challenge McCarthy for Speaker after the GOP takes back control of the House.

Before the *Republican* majority in the House considers electing Kevin McCarthy Speaker in 2023, he should be **MADE** to answer the following questions in writing. Any betrayal of his written promises should be grounds to introduce a ***Motion to Vacate the Speakership***, something that should have been done while Paul Ryan was Speaker. For example:

#1 Will you allow the House to **Impeach Joe Biden**, and not interfere with any investigation into his participation in the *Biden Family Organized Crime Syndicate* that sold Biden's influence all around the globe and then split the proceeds of those shakedowns with him?

#2 Will you permit the House -- without interference -- to **initiate Impeachment Proceedings** against Attorney General Merrick Garland, FBI Director Christopher Wray, Homeland Security Commissar Alejandro Mayorkas, Energy Secretary Jennifer Granholm, and Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg?

#3 Will you **grant subpoenas** to committee chairmen investigating the above office-holders, and not refuse them, as your mentor Paul Ryan did dozens of times?

#4 Will you prohibit the House from passing any further "**Omnibus Spending Bills**" during your tenure?

#5 Will you work to actually cut spending and enact a **Balanced-Budget Constitutional Amendment** to mandate a real and legitimate balanced budget every year without legerdemain?

#6 Will you support federal legislation requiring every state to adopt the following election reforms: Require a valid **photo ID** to vote; **Prohibit mass-mailing of ballots**; Prohibit election-day voter registration; And impose **criminal penalties** on election officials who fail to purge dead, illegal, fraudulent or defunct voters from their county voter rolls before an election?

#7 Will you vote to **unleash the oil, gas and coal industries** and return the U.S. to the status of being a "*net*" energy exporter as it was during the Trump Administration?

#8 Will you promise to return Trump's policy of "*Remain in Mexico*" and adequately fund the *Trump Wall* without interference or obstruction, no matter what your masters in the "*donor class*" demand?

#9 Will you reject both Adam Schiff and Eric Swalwell from serving on the *House Select Intelligence Committee*, and initiate proceedings to expel them from the House under **Article I, Section 5**?

#10 Will you promise to treat the "**Democrats**" as ruthlessly as they've treated every prominent Republican official for the last six years?