

# The Patriots' Truth

## Flint Hills TEA Party News

See us at McALISTER'S DELI, EVERY WED after 5:30pm, come whenever ---- Come join the Working Group. Monthly meetings are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month. We try to keep it productive, interesting & informative!! **Next meeting: Sept. 14 – 9:30AM, Manhattan City Library Auditorium.** In the interest of placing our focus on the pressing issues of the day this meeting will be open discussion on such issues – come prepared to introduce your concerns schools/city/county/state/country. Come listen & express your concerns & views, **help US help each other.** We **MUST** continue to support our Schools & Communities!! Regardless of what happens in DC we **MUST** keep God in our Schools/Communities & most of all in our Hearts!! Much is still to be accomplished in D.C. and at the State Capital and local levels -- may God guide them all.

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According to a piece in the McClatchy Newsletter we may see legislation in the House as early as next week to limit the scope of spying by the NSA on the communications records of millions of Americans. [i]

According to the article Rep. Justin Amash (R-Mich.) will try to attach such a restrictive amendment to the National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for fiscal year 2014 which will come up in the House next week. In addition, Amash and thirty two (32) other House members are trying to limit the provision of the PATRIOT Act which ostensibly authorizes such data collection by the government. [ii] Others are trying to rein in the spying such as Rep. Rick Larsen (D-Wash.) who is pushing a measure that would require the companies providing information to the NSA to disclose the "type and volume of data" they are providing to the NSA; Reps. Adam Schiff (D-Calif.) and "Judge" Ted Poe (R-TX.) are trying to change the way the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court (FISC) [iii] judges are appointed while Sen. Jeff Merkley (D-Ore.) is pushing to have the FISC's opinions made public. [iv] [v]

I caution people to be wary of such citizen protect legislation based on our experience with the actions of the House and Senate to "protect" the citizens from the unconstitutional citizens detention provision of the 2012 NDAA. You will recall there were numerous "protective" or "remedial" amendments offered to the NDAA but only one corrected the problem and that was H.R. 3785, introduced by Rep. Ron Paul. In the next year several more were offered but only Representatives Adam Smith's (D-Wash.) and Justin Amash's amendment did anything meaningful. Even those offered or supported by Rand Paul (R-KY) were basically worthless shams meant to garner citizens' goodwill but do nothing substantive.

How do you think the Kansas delegation will stand on this issue? Recall that our very own Senators Roberts and Moran and Representatives Pompeo (an attorney), Yoder (an attorney) and Jenkins supported and continue to support the unconstitutional citizen detention provisions. Jenkins even voted for such after first acknowledging in a joint letter with Rep. Amash that such were unconstitutional.

I was told that Pompeo had advised some of the Kansas legislators in the session before last that NDAA was OK. He not only committed treason to the Constitution but encouraged others to do so.

Our own Secretary of State, Kris Kobach, supports the NDAA and helped kill an anti-NDAA resolution at the National GOP convention in Tampa, Florida referencing the Patriot Act and the need for "flexibility" to deal with terrorists. This might help explain why anti-NDAA resolutions have gone no place in the Kansas Legislature the last two sessions.

The NDAA and the government's spying on "We the People" including through the NSA are not unrelated. They are in fact complimentary programs.

It is clear we cannot expect those in public office to do the right thing. Recall the Director of National Intelligence, James Clapper, himself told a bare faced lie to Congress twice in one hearing last March when he denied the NSA was gathering records on millions of Americans. First he said unqualifiedly that it was not happening and

then he said it could only happen "unwittingly". [vi]

As Rand Paul said of the incident " *The director of national intelligence, in March, did directly lie to Congress, which is against the law...*" [vii] Rep. Amash has encouraged Clapper to resign but in reality nothing will come of such criminal conduct.

Today (7/19) Chris Inglis, the NSA's deputy director, told the House Judiciary Committee that the NSA was looking at "two or three hops" of data. [viii] Before today the belief was the NSA was only making two hops. Since each "hop" raises the number of persons reviewed exponentially this is a tremendous expansion of the number of persons having their data invaded. [ix] A 2011 study indicated that on average everyone on the Internet was 4.7 steps away from anyone else. [x]

I suspect that at least some of these legislators will take the politicians course and having found themselves in the kitty box with an exposed mess will try to cover it back up rather than take the statesman's approach and remove the mess.

For the sake of Liberty,

Richard D. Fry

General Counsel

Patriots Coalition

[i] David Lightman, Kate Irby and Ben Kamisar,

, McClatchy

Newsletter (07/19/2013)

[ii] David Lightman, Kate Irby and Ben Kamisar, Mood shifting, Congress may move to limit NSA spying, McClatchy

(07/19/2013)

[iii] This court was created in 1978 under the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act (92 Stat. 1783)

[iv] Mood shifting, Congress may move to limit NSA spying

[v] Although the FISC is suppose to provide oversight for the Executive branch's domestic spying activities some feel it has become more of a rubber stamp than a watchdog. Rep. Spencer Bachus (R-Ala.) made reference to the infamous English Star Chamber which was abolished in 1641 because it had been corrupted from a protector of the people to a tool of abuse and oppression by the King. [v] (Things have changed little in over three hundred years.)

[vi] Jason Howerton,

, The Blaze (07/02/2013) <http://www.theblaze.com/stories/2013/07/02/james-clapper-apologizes-for-lying-to-congress-about-nsa-surveillance-clearly-erroneous/>

[vii] Spencer Ackerman,

Guardian (06/18/2013)

<http://www.guardian.co.uk/world/2013/jun/18/rand-paul-clapper-lying-nsa-surveillance>

[viii] diggerdan , The NSA Admits It Analyzes More People's Data Than Previously Revealed, From the Trenches

(07/19/2013) <http://www.fromthetrenchesworldreport.com/the-nsa-admits-it-analyzes-more-peoples-data-than-previously-revealed/51119>;

[ix] This means that persons communicating to or from a targeted person will have everyone in their contact lists data reviewed (one hop) and persons communicating to or from any of these persons (hop two) will have persons in their contact lists reviewed (hop three).

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Trenches (07/19/2013) <http://www.fromthetrenchesworldreport.com/the-nsa-admits-it-analyzes-more-peoples-data-than-previously-revealed/51119>

, RT (07/18/2013)

<http://rt.com/usa/nsa-inglis-three-hops-272/>

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**There's an old sea story about a ship's Captain who inspected his sailors, and afterward told the first mate that his men smelled bad..... The Captain suggested perhaps it "Might Help if the sailors would change underwear occasionally." The first mate responded, "Aye, aye sir, I'll see to it immediately!" The first mate went straight to the sailors berth deck and announced, "The Captain thinks you guys smell bad and wants you to change your underwear." He continued, "Pittman, you change with Jones, MacCarthy, you change with Witkowski, and Brown, you change with Schultz."**

**The moral of the story: Someone may come along and promise "Change", but don't count on things smelling any better.**

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## ObamaCare - How to avoid the taxes/penalties - PART 11

By: David J Powell, CLU, ChFC, CFP, RHU

Candidate for Kansas Insurance Commissioner 2014

### WARNING!! WARNING!!

#### Here is another alert!

**Even though the PPACA Employer Mandate has been delayed until January 1, 2015, the rest of PPACA is still in effect!**

For example, many employers, particularly in the construction and service industries, large and small, have had lengthy a waiting period before newly hired employees could get on their group health insurance plan. That has changed!!

Full time employees (30+ hours/week) must now be offered groups health insurance with no more than a 90 day waiting period. Specifically, they must come onto the health insurance at not later than the 91<sup>st</sup> day. Because insurance companies add them on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month following the waiting period most insurance companies are changing the rules about when an employee is added.

Insurance companies are lowering the maximum waiting period to be the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month following 60 days of full time employment. That way all employees will be on the plan within the 90 day requirement.

The new PPACA Excise taxes also kick in. This is a daily excise tax of \$100 per day per affected individual in one instance and a percentage of revenue or the price of a service in the case of other excise taxes.

What are these Excise taxes?

1. The first one to kick in was the 10% Excise tax on Indoor Tanning Services. That is now in effect.
2. The annual fee on Medical Device Manufacturers and Importers as a percent of sales to generate \$2 Billion per year. In effect.
3. The annual fee on Brand name Prescriptions to generate \$2.3 Billion per year. Now you know why your prescriptions cost more.
4. The annual fee Insurance Companies must now pay as a percentage of the premium they received during any year. Now you know why your cost of health insurance went up. This excise tax increases each year so your premiums will increase.
5. The excise tax for having a health plan that is too good! Because the cost is going up due to the items 1 – 4 it may prove impossible to stay below the limit set in the law, everyone may soon learn that they are paying an excise tax because they have a plan that is too good!! What's affordable about that??

ALL of these taxes are now in effect to pay for ObamaCare.

One final note is that the Employer Mandate Delay may hurt more than it helps. Here is some food for thought.

**If you are an “Applicable Large Employer” or you are not sure if you are, when the Delay happened, YOU LOST ALL YOUR “SPECIAL TRANSITION RULES!”**

2014 was supposed to be the year these transition rules were used. You could count employees differently and had special measuring periods to arrive at your employee count. GONE!

So you better be ready to go in 2015. You don't get any “give me's.”

Email me your questions to me at: [papadjp@aol.com](mailto:papadjp@aol.com)

The following is the reply I received from David when I sent him the Newsletters with his articles and the booklet I put together for the Riley County 4-H Fair. I had told him I had some editorials explaining Beverly Gossage, his opponent for the State Insurance Commissioner', this is his response.

Thank you. You are doing a great job of informing your readers. As far as the election, I believe this is about YOU, not me or any other candidate. For far too long, those running for this office have not considered the consumers and business owners of Kansas, the people.

My campaign focus is on you! What are your concerns and needs. Insurance is the 1st or 2nd largest item in your budget, when you consider the Auto, Home, Commercial, Health, life, etc. It is important to you and important to me to see that the commissioner looks for ways to improve your coverage while keeping rates affordable. In some areas of the state, just having coverage available is a challenge.

I am not only aware of the problems, more importantly I **have** solutions that can help **you** meet the challenges you face. Others say they do, but where are they. I am speaking about my solutions. I am doing something about getting my solutions to the consumers and business owners of Kansas.

When the "Mandate Lite" law was signed this year, it completed my 5 year effort to find ways to bring lower health insurance rates to Kansas. I am now working to get the uninsured motorists off the roads. I am also working to reduce Auto and Homeowners premiums.

Anyone else doing this? **Absolutely NOT – David's opponent is thinking only of herself & her future appointments. She has been smoozing everyone in an office with influence from KS Legislators to Officials in D.C. David is thinking of US, EACH OF US, Beverly Gossage is thinking of HER CAREER!! NOT OF KANSAS AND KANSAS CITIZENS!!**

ObamaCare is a thorn in all our sides. I have been fighting it since we knew it was a possibility. But it is not the only thing the Insurance Commissioner will need to deal with. Having sat across the kitchen table or across the desk from a business owner working to help them with their Auto, Home and commercial insurance concerns will help me help YOU in these areas.

Can any other candidate say they have this experience? NO.

Who would most people want to have in this position to help them?

I am focused on you. I am focused on Kansas.

Thank you for all you do.

Your Friend,

David J Powell CLU, ChFC, CFP, RHU  
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**KANSANS FOR LIFE** — Posted on the KFL Blog

**Gosnell, Kansas clinic inspection & Carhart abortion death**  
2013 by Kathy Ostrowski

May 14,

A Philadelphia jury has found abortionist Kermit Gosnell guilty of **first degree murder for severing the spinal cords of 3 babies born alive** during illegal, late-term abortions—a practice believed to have occurred hundreds of times, according to a Feb. 7, 2011 grand jury report. The 261-page report dubbed Gosnell's abortion business a "House of Horrors" due to its gross filth, pest-infestation and the storage of fetal remains, scattered throughout in cabinets and freezers.

Eight other former staffers of Gosnell have pleaded guilty to a variety of charges and await sentencing. Gosnell was also convicted of hundreds of charges ranging from infanticide to running a corrupt organization, including: manslaughter for the drug-overdose death of a 6-months-pregnant woman; 21 felony counts of illegal abortions beyond the 24 week limit; 211 misdemeanor counts of

violating the 24-hour informed consent law.

**Gosnell's premises had not been inspected for 17 years**, beginning under the pro-abortion administration of Gov. Tom Ridge, motivated by a desire not to be "putting a barrier up to women" seeking abortions. Notably, the grand jury report revealed that complaints about infection, injuries and illegalities at the Gosnell clinic to state authorities were not pursued—including this incident:

Almost a decade ago, a former employee of Gosnell presented the Board of Medicine with a complaint that laid out the whole scope of his operation: the unclean, unsterile conditions; the unlicensed workers; the unsupervised sedation; the underage abortion patients; even the over-prescribing of pain pills with high resale value on the street. The department assigned an investigator, whose investigation consisted primarily of an offsite interview with Gosnell. **The investigator never inspected the facility**, questioned other employees, or reviewed any records. Department attorneys chose to accept this incomplete investigation, and dismissed the complaint as unconfirmed.

**One significant result of the Gosnell trial is that Congress has sent a formal inquiry to all 50 state health departments concerning abortion clinic regulation and enforcement. KFL executive director, Mary Kay Culp, commented on this development:** *"When Kansas responds, they will have to answer that we indeed have an abortion clinic licensing law passed in 2011, but that because of a lawsuit by the abortion industry, that law remains enjoined and at the mercy of Kansas courts, despite it having been designed to be fully constitutional. Our hope is that one result of the Gosnell verdict would be to help lift the unfair injunction on the Kansas abortion clinic licensing law."*

Kansas had long attempted to pass an abortion clinic licensing law, particularly when several Kansas abortionists had accrued scores of malpractice filings that were settled without media attention—but then-Gov. **Kathleen Sebelius' vetoed abortion clinic licensure laws in 2003 and 2005**. Notably during this time period, Kansas City, Kansas abortionist, Krishna Rajanna, echoed Gosnell's business model: a filthy, blood-stained, trash-filled clinic using underage and non-trained employees and storing fetal remains in the staff freezer.

The Kansas Board of Healing Arts allowed Rajanna to stay open, even with evidence of improper drug protocols and substandard conditions. The Board did eventually take Rajanna's license in 2005, as Sebelius geared up for re-election. This **ostensibly gave Sebelius** some veneer of "clinic safety accountability," **despite** her vetoing of clinic bills and her involvement in covering up a 2005 late-term abortion death in Wichita.

The Board, **now under new leadership**, is no longer a pawn of the abortion industry. They have revoked the Kansas license of abortionist Kris Neuhaus for failing to meet the standard of care in evaluating abortion-seeking teens. The Board is taking seriously a [Kansans for Life complaint filed against Kansas-licensee, LeRoy Carhart](#), for the Feb. 7 death of Jennifer Morbelli, a late-term abortion client in his Maryland office.

Although the Maryland county police closed their investigation **Monday** without filing criminal charges, the Chief Medical Examiner has declined to release the final autopsy results and no results of an inquiry have been released by the Maryland Mental Hygiene's Office of Health Care Quality. The Kansas Healing Arts Board can conduct its own investigation into the Morbelli death, and now has **stronger legal grounds** to pursue disciplinary action—even if Carhart cancels his Kansas license—**because the death occurred while Carhart was licensed in Kansas**.

Despite limited media coverage of the Gosnell case, the nation may be awakening, not only to the full horrors of killing the innocent, but the corruption of medicine and lack of human decency inside abortion clinics. **It is a situation that Kansans have been trying mightily to battle for decades**, and are now seeing some improvement.

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Don't forget to attend the Town Hall Meetings Congressman Tim Huelskamp is holding across Kansas Congressional District 1 throughout the rest of August.



## **WE THE PEOPLE OF THE THREE RIVERS TEA PARTY**

**INVITE YOU TO JOIN US FOR A BAR-B-QUE AND SILENT AUCTION**

**WHEN:** September 14, 2013 **WHERE:** HERITAGE PARK **FROM:** 11am UNTIL 2pm

**WE WILL HAVE LOTS OF HAMBURGERS, HOT DOGS, CHIPS AND DRINKS. THIS IS A CHANCE FOR YOU, TO MEET AND GET TO KNOW WHAT THE TEA PARTY IS ALL ABOUT. JOIN US TO FIND OUT HOW TO MAKE A DIFERENCE.**

**FEATURED AT AUCTION WILL BE AN AR-15 WITH 30 ROUND CLIP. THIS ITEM WILL HAVE A MINIMUM STARTING BID OF \$800.00. YOU MUST BE AT LEAST 18 TO PARTICIPATE IN THE AUCTION FOR THE AR-15.**

**SO COME AND JOIN US FOR THE FUN AND GET TO KNOW US!!!**



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# **GRATITUDE** **NOTICE**

**for Standing Strong in the face of Misguided**  
**Opposition**

**We The People**

**hereby serve notice that your services and your**  
**alligance to your oath are truly appreciated**

**YOU WILL BE**  
**SUPPORTED!!!**

**FINAL NOTICE SHALL BE RECORDED ON ELECTION DAY, NOVEMBER 2014**  
**AT WHICH TIME IF YOU CHOOSE TO CONTINUE TO SERVE YOU WILL BE**  
**OVERWHELMINGLY VOTED TO REMAIN IN OFFICE.** This gold slip brought to you  
by the Prairie Fire Coalition and Constituents of Kansas

**A project to end allegiance to lobbyists and special interests**

The following is a letter from **Representative Tim Huelskamp**.

August 15, 2013

Dear Friend,

**Last week Barack Obama misled us again.**

With pressure building from the American people opposing the NSA's unconstitutional seizure of our private phone records, President Obama seemed to give in. He said he would take steps to "assure privacy rights" for all Americans. "We have to strike the right balance between protecting our security and preserving our freedoms," he said.

So what's his plan? Set up a panel of insiders to "investigate" what's happening and assure the rest of us that our rights will be preserved.

Guess who's going to lead this panel: Director of National Intelligence James Clapper. You might remember Mr. Clapper. He's the guy who lied to a Senate Committee about the NSA program.

That's right. The man who misled a committee of Congress under oath about this program is going to review it and assure us our rights aren't being violated.

As they say, "**the fox is guarding the hen house.**"

This is truly outrageous. But it's exactly the way Barack Obama operates. He acts in the background pushing a policy he wants (often without the approval of Congress), keeps it hidden for as long as possible, ignores or misrepresents the issue when opposition comes, and then brings a false solution to the problem he created.

Barack Obama's administration is a disaster. But it's a planned disaster. He really does want to remake America--just like he said when he first was elected in 2008.

He clearly means to continue this unconstitutional program. **But I'll keep working to defund this massive, government power grab**. Our liberty is at stake. And it's going to take all our efforts to secure it.

In July, I and some of my fellow colleagues were able to force House leadership to allow a vote to defund the NSA program. The amendment failed by a very close vote. But it sent shockwaves through Washington. And it allowed us to force those who support this program to hear your voices in the matter.

As Benjamin Franklin said, "They who can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety, deserve neither liberty nor safety." We are at risk of losing our "essential liberty" as these programs continue. And it is our duty to stand for our God-given rights.

Thank you for standing with me in this effort to oppose this violation of our Fourth Amendment right, the unreasonable search and seizure of our personal records. Your support and prayers are necessary at this time while we continue to stop this abuse in Washington.

Yours in Liberty,

Tim Huelskamp

Member of Congress

P.S. We need to keep up the pressure. And we must not give up even when there is so much more to do to win this battle.

Thank you for all your help.

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**Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. -**

**-Ronald Reagan**

**The Gipper was wrong. Today It is merely one VOTE away!**

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## **Huelskamp Announces 13 Town Hall Meetings in August!!**

Dodge City, KS – Congressman Tim Huelskamp announced today that he will be hosting 13 town hall meetings across the state in the upcoming weeks. He has already hosted 41 town halls just this year and is well on his way to his annual goal of a town hall in each of the 63 counties in the "Big First." During his two and half years in Congress, Huelskamp has already hosted 180 town hall, dozens of telephone town halls, and visited dozens of businesses and groups.

Huelskamp released the following statement regarding the town hall schedule:

**"visiting with you at town halls is one of the highlights of my job as Congressman. Since taking office, I have hosted 180 town halls all across Kanss. And August will be no different . If you are in the area, we would love to see you there."**



Below is the schedule for the August Town Halls. For more information please [Click Here](#)

**Monday August 19, 2013**

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. - Reno County Town Hall

**Wednesday August 21, 2013**

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. - Smith County Town Hall

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - Jewell County Town Hall

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. - Republic County Town Hall

**Friday August 23, 2013**

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. - Riley County Town Hall

**Tuesday August 27, 2013**

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. - Finney County Town Hall

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. - Kearny County Town Hall

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. - Wichita County Town Hall

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. - Scott County Town Hall

**Wednesday August 28, 2013**

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. - Seward County Town Hall

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - Meade County Town Hall

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. - Clark County Town Hall

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. - Ford County Town Hall

*Congressman Tim Huelskamp represents the First District of Kansas in the U.S. House of Representatives. In addition to his membership on the Veterans' Affairs Committee, Rep. Huelskamp serves on the Small Business Committee, the Subcommittee on Agriculture, Energy & Trade, the Subcommittee on Health & Technology, and the Subcommittee on Contracting & Workforce.*

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<http://huelskamp.house.gov>

Representative Huelskamp has a huge District to cover. Be sure you meet with him, so you can let him know of your concerns. Rep. Huelskamp is standing up for YOU and YOU and YOU as no other Kansas Representative is. Let him know of your appreciation as well as your concerns.

**BE THERE TO MEET WITH HIM AS HE MAKES THE EFFORT TO MEET WITH YOU!!**

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CAIRO (AP) - Egyptian authorities are considering disbanding the Muslim Brotherhood group, a government spokesman said Saturday, once again outlawing a group that held the pinnacle of government power just more than a month earlier.

The announcement comes after security forces broke up two sit-in protests this week by those calling for the reinstatement of President Mohammed Morsi, a Brotherhood leader deposed in a July 3 coup. The clashes killed more than 600 people that day and sparked protests and violence that killed 173 people Friday alone.

Cabinet spokesman Sherif Shawki said that Prime Minister Hazem el-Beblawi, who leads the military-backed government, assigned the Ministry of Social Solidarity to study the legal possibilities of dissolving the group. He didn't elaborate.

The Muslim Brotherhood group, founded in 1928, came to power a year ago when its Morsi was elected in the country's first free presidential elections. The election came after the overthrow of autocrat Hosni Mubarak in a popular uprising in 2011.

The fundamentalist group has been banned for most of its 80-year history and repeatedly subjected to crackdowns under Mubarak's rule. While sometimes tolerated and its leaders part of the political process, members regularly faced long bouts of imprisonment and arbitrary detentions.

Since Morsi was deposed in the popularly backed military coup, the Brotherhood stepped up its confrontation with the new leadership, holding sit-ins in two encampments for weeks, rallying thousands and vowing not to leave until Morsi is reinstated.

On Wednesday, security authorities swept through the two protest camps, leaving hundreds killed and thousands others injured. The violent crackdown sparked days of street violence across the country where Islamist supporters stormed and torched churches and police stations.

In the most recent standoff, Egyptian security forces exchanged heavy gunfire Saturday with armed men at top of a minaret of a Cairo mosque. The security forces fired tear gas, stormed the mosque and rounded up hundreds of Islamists supporters of Morsi who had been barricaded inside overnight.

The confrontations Friday - around a Brotherhood call for a "Day of Rage" - killed at least 173 people, said Shawki, the Cabinet spokesman. He said 1,330 people were wounded in the protests.

Egypt's Interior Ministry said in a statement that a total of 1,004 Brotherhood members were detained in raids across the country and that weapons, bombs and ammunition were confiscated with the detainees.

Among the dead Friday was Ammar Badie, a son of Brotherhood spiritual leader Mohammed Badie, the group's political arm said in a statement.

Also Saturday, authorities arrested the brother of al-Qaida chief Ayman al-Zawahri, a security official said Saturday. Mohammed al-Zawahri, leader of the ultraconservative Jihadi Salafist group, was detained at a checkpoint in Giza, the city across the Nile from Cairo, the official said.

The official spoke on condition of anonymity as he wasn't authorized to brief journalists about the arrest.

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### What's the REAL problem with America today?

Conservatives blame the Leftist media for America's ills. Liberals blame the greedy Right.

The 99% blames the 1%. The 1% says, "don't look at us," Congress makes the rules. Arizonans blame Mexicans. Christians blame Muslims... and gays.

But that's all just smoke and mirrors...

No one has the guts to talk about America's REAL true problem. Think about it: EXACTLY WHAT IS THE REAL PROBLEM OF THE USA? Tell me what it is in YOUR opinion. THE OPINION OF THE PEOPLE SHOULD COUNT!!! Get active in what's happening in the USA and be make your opinion count.

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**If you would like to forward this Newsletter as is on to others – be my guest.  
If you would like to send comments (just a sentence or two) to the editor – be my guest.  
If you have an editorial to submit – be my guest.**

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