

A Resolution to Change the U.S. Foreign Policy to Be More Diplomatic

- 1: WHEREAS, the current US policies of economic sanctions and
2: war are much too forceful and result in great harm on
3: foreign countries; and
4: WHEREAS, an internationally negative attitude toward the
5: U.S. would result in heightened chances of domestic attacks,
6: therefore decreasing national security; and
7: WHEREAS, a lack of national security causes chaos within a
8: country; and
9: WHEREAS, these methods have proven to be altogether
10: ineffective, both past and present; now, therefore, be it
11: RESOLVED, That the Student Congress here assembled works
12: toward decreasing the use of economic sanctions and
13: war; and, be it
14: FURTHER RESOLVED, That diplomacy is used more often
15: when dealing with foreign policy.

Respectfully submitted,

Half Hollow Hills High School East

A Bill to Strengthen U.S. Economic Self-Sufficiency

1: BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED

THAT:

2: SECTION 1. A 5% tariff will be added to all foreign goods

3: that can already be supplied as domestic goods.

4: SECTION 2. "Domestic goods" refers to goods produced within

5: the U.S., while "foreign goods" refers to goods produced

6: anywhere outside of the U.S. and its territories.

7: SECTION 3. This will be overseen and enforced by the U.S.

8: Department of Commerce.

9: SECTION 4. This bill will be implemented 2 months

10: after passage.

11: SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are

12: hereby null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Half Hollow Hills High School East

A Bill to Institute a National Flat Income Tax

- 1: Section 1: The new flat income tax rate will be 12%.
- 2: Section 2: The two lowest current tax brackets will begin to
- 3: pay this rate on taxes filed in April 2012.
- 4: Section 3: The next two lowest current tax brackets will
- 5: begin to pay this rate on taxes filed in April 2013.
- 6: Section 4: This pattern will continue until all tax brackets
- 7: are payin the new flat income tax rate.
- 8: Section 5: This bill shall go into effect upon passage.
- 9: Section 6: All laws in conflict with this legislation shall
- 10: hereby be declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Syosset High School

A Bill to Prohibit the use of all Cellular devices while driving.

- 1: Article I: Any use of a cellphone will be deemed illegal
- 2: while driving including texting, hands free devices, blue
- 3: tooth and speaker phones.
- 4: Article II: First time offenders will receive a \$250 fine.
- 5: Article III: Second time offenders will receive a \$500 fine
- 6: and have to attend a mandatory defensive driving course.
- 7: Article IV: Multiple, repeat offenders will receive a
- 8: \$1000 fine and possible suspension of their license.
- 9: Section 5: This bill will go into effect immediately after
- 10: passage.

Respectfully submitted,:

KMHS

A Bill Prohibiting the Selling & Purchasing of any Tobacco Product

1: Article I: Each state must pass legislation banning the sale
2: & purchase of any tobacco product & provide for a minimum of
3: certain required punishments for failing to comply with this
4: law.

5: Article II: The minimum punishment of illegally purchasing
6: tobacco products will be 3 years & a \$500 fine. It is
7: suggested that the state use harsher punishments for repeat
8: offenders.

9: Article III: The minimum punishment for any business caught
10: illegally selling tobacco products will be a fine of \$25,000

11: Article IV: The minimum punishment for a person caught selling
12: tobacco products will be a \$1000 fine & a year in jail.

13: Article V: Any state that does not pass a piece of
14: legislation meeting the minimum requirements will receive a
15: 25% cut in their highway funding.

16: Article VI: Upon passing this piece of legislation, each
17: state will receive \$3 million for enforcement & \$1 million
18: to run anti-tobacco campaigns within their state.

19: Article VII: This will be supported by the Bureau of Alcohol,
20: Tobacco & Firearms & will go into effect immediately.

Respectfully submitted,:

KMHS

Resolution to Increase U.S. Assistance to Haiti

- 1: Whereas Haiti has been the poorest nation in the Western
- 2: Hemisphere and one of the poorest of the world continually,
- 3: Whereas the U.S. generously gives \$1.5 billion in aid to
- 4: Egypt, \$1.5 billion in aid to Pakistan, and
- 5: \$2.76 billion in aid to Israel annually,
- 6: Whereas the U.S. has only spent \$379.7 million on its
- 7: relief efforts in Haiti,
- 8: Be it resolved that the U.S. raise its annual contribution
- 9: to the development of Haiti to at least \$2 billion per annum

Respectfully submitted,:

Cold Spring Harbor High School

Bill to Ban Federal Bailouts to Financial Institutions

1: BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED

THAT

2: Section 1: The federal government may not loan or grant

3: money collected from taxpayers to 4 any company in the

4: financial sector of the economy under any circumstances.

5: Section 2: The federal government may not buy stocks or

6: shares of a company in the 6 financial sector of the economy

7: using money collected from taxpayers under any circumstances

8: Section 3: The provisions of this bill shall take effect

9: immediately after its passage.

10: Section 4: All laws or portions of laws in conflict with

11: this bill shall be null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Roslyn High School

Sales Tax Bill

- 1: That all sales across the United States will be taxed at 8.3%
- 2: Money saved can and will not be taxed
- 3: People receiving an income under \$20,000 will be viewed as tax-exempt
- 4: This bill must reach the Senates floor (meaning either the House or Senate by 2013)
- 5: That this bill will be put into effect two years after its passing

Respectfully submitted,

Chaminade High School

A Bill to Forbid the Access of Student Information by Military Recruiters

1: Section 1. Recruiters for any branch of the U.S. armed forces may not access or use

2: the personal information of any student without explicit parental consent.

3: Section 2. Explicit parental consent means a form signed by both the student and the

4: parent/guardian, stating that military recruiters can access and use the

5: student's personal information.

6: Section 3. The Department of Education, supported by the local school boards across

7: the country, shall enforce this bill. All branches of the U.S. armed forces

8: shall comply with this bill.

9: A. Any school district found in violation of this bill shall be fined \$2000

10: per student on the first offense, and \$3500 per student for each

11: succeeding offense.

12: B. Any military recruiter found in violation of this bill shall be subject to

13: disciplinary action for each offense, and removed from his or her

14: position after the third violation.

15: C. Any revenue acquired through this bill is to be added to the Federal

16: Reserve.

17: Section 4. This bill is to be implemented immediately. Any previous information .

18: accessed must be destroyed within 30 days, and may not at all be used.

19: Section 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared

20: null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Chaminade High School