

AMERICAN STEWARDS

of Liberty

January 30, 2018

Dear Member,

Thank you for supporting American Stewards of Liberty in 2017. Your financial assistance is a blessing for which we are very grateful. Enclosed is a record of your giving for 2017.

This past year, we successfully adjudicated our coordination strategy in state district court that was then upheld by the appellate court. This was a major milestone and tremendous victory!

A county utilizing coordination in Texas to fight the High-Speed Rail sued the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) for refusing to coordinate. As the “co-lead” agency planning the high-speed train, the Federal Rail Authority ordered TXDOT not to coordinate with the county.

The decision ordered by the District Court stated: “...the Texas Department of Transportation has a duty to coordinate planning, to the greatest extent feasible, with the Waller County sub-regional Planning Commission with respect to the implementation of the high-speed railway...between Dallas and Houston...”

This was a victory not only for our organization confirming the validity of coordination, but for you and all the local entities fighting for our future.

This year brings the hope that our president will sign the Executive Order we helped bring to the White House, requiring federal agencies to coordinate their land use plans, policies and programs with State and local government to the greatest extent possible. Your support for this effort could prove to be the defining moment that changes the way federal government treats landowners and local government entities.

It is our belief we finally have an administration that understands local control and the importance of private property. Mandating federal agencies to coordinate from the top down will change the way they do business and will benefit every landowner and every citizen.

Thank you for your support and it is our sincere hope that you and your family have a blessed and successful new year. May God bless you and your family!

With great appreciation,



Dan Byfield
CEO

No other strategy or action is capable of having the results we have with coordination. It's that powerful. Being able to bring federal agencies and their staff to the local government's table is impressive and is essential to our success of protecting the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of a local community. We have learned how to publicly defend and protect the rights of citizens and the local entities that represent them.

Please help us continue these fights. Your gift of \$50.00 or more will allow us to continue our work at beating back these onerous rules that use deceptive, manipulative and false claims to obtain a political objective of control over private property.

Today it's the Lesser Prairie chicken. Tomorrow, it could be one of thousands of species the government and their environmental partners use to bring federal land use control to every non-public piece of private property in America. Stand with us and help us fight back these endangered listings. Man was given dominion over species and we need to defend that position.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dan Byfield', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dan Byfield
CEO

P.S. We need your contributions to fight these listings. We also stand ready to help you if you are facing a similar situation. Please don't hesitate to call and find out what can be done.