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Subject Re: Election day is less than 5 weeks from today - are you ready?

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Thank you for viewing our Candidate Guide and thank you for reaching out. We use different sources to determine if a person's voting record is conservative, liberal, or moderate. If a person has voted with Republicans more than Democrats, then we consider their voting record conservative and vice versa for Democrats even if some of their higher profile votes are flip flopped.

We also checked another source to verify where Mr. Franklin stands with his voting record and it has him squarely amongst his Republican peers on his score card. See the link

here: https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/scott\_franklin/456807.

Since this is not an opinion based guide, we must ensure that if a candidates voting info is changed, that it is in fact changed because they vote more with the other party than the one we currently have listed. If you feel that is the case, please provide us with the necessary proof to show he has voted with Democrats more often than Republicans and the team will be able to move forward with a review of this change.

Than you so much for contributing to our guide to ensure we have the most up to date information!

### **Thanks**

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My apologies, but I overlooked the most important Liberal action by Scott Franklin and other lawmakers in both parties who oppose student loan bankruptcy restoration:

You see, without restoration of student loan bankruptcy, lenders (chiefly the US DEPT OF ED, using trillions of MY tax dollars!) will have NO incentive to tamp down irresponsibly lending.

Without this Conservative Free Market check on profligate spending, we WILL crash the dollar, as student debt, at about \$2 trillion, is almost ten (10%) percent of total US debt, and thus perhaps this makes S.2598, H.R.4907, and H.R.9110 the three most important bills enrolled at this moment. (Moreover, only WITH return of student loan bankruptcy self-defense will lobbyists back off sufficient to release their grip on the throats of weak-kneed RINOS to allow needed spending cuts; either a miracle or passing these bills would be enough to back off lobbyists sufficient here. I don't see a miracle coming, so you might consider supporting these bills. If you don't want to see a crash of the dollar.)

Mr. Franklin and most lawmakers are liberals who oppose restoration of bankruptcy and other standard consumer protections, a tried and true means that worked to prevent predatory lending in the past, back when the system worked. Most citizens (not lawmakers) of BOTH parties disagree with lawmakers, as my in depth polling data shows.

My apologies for overlooked this. I just got out of the emergency room for exceedingly excruciating headaches, and I'm not fully healed. But I wish to help BLEXIT heal and repair its damaged and flaw, even if well intentioned, voter guide, and I wish you the best as you investigation my claims.

G.W.///



On Thursday, October 6, 2022 at 02:54:28 AM EDT, Gordon Watts <gww1210@gmail.com> wrote:

### Dear BLEXIT and Elena:

Cc: Selected BLEXIT leaders and candidate(s( in question (I include MATT GATEZ as an example of a Conservative candidate, to compare/contrast with several polite BUT Liberal RINO republican)

I am in receipt of your email, below, with a voters guide, including an entry for my member of Congress, Hon. C. Scott Franklin (R-FL-15), who is also a candidate in the newly-creates FL-18 district.

You say below that, and I quote you:

"If you, or a candidate you represent, want to update information that you feel is inaccurate, please email <u>candidateguide@blexit.com</u> alongside proof of your requested change."

Your guide, here, is mostly, tho not totally, incorrect—not just with Scott, but also many other errors exist: Mr. Franklin, while a polite person who didn't "cut & run" from an unscheduled request to speak to press (myself), and while occasionally voting for Conservative social issues (mask mandates as City Commissioner, iirc, and later supporting unborn life in some legislation), is nonetheless VERY LIBERAL, and there are other similar errors regarding other candidates.

First, below are links (see attached screenshots in case links are bad, page down, etc.), of BLEXIT alleging Mr. Franklin's voting record is Conservative:

https://CandidateGuide.BlexitFoundation.org/candidates/scottfranklin

https://Archive.ph/bgUrc

https://Web.Archive.org/web/20221006043729/https://candidateguide.blexitfoundation.org/candidates/scottfranklin

https://Web.Archive.org/web/20221006043734/http://web.archive.org/screens.hot/https://candidateguide.blexitfoundation.org/candidates/scottfranklin

Next, I shall give documented proof that his voting record is Liberal in at least 2 or 3 areas

## COUNT 1

[[#1.]] First, here's an interview I conducted at a recent campaign event:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wld3SIWcGrg

https://Facebook.com/story.php?story\_fbid=1392670091230359&id=1380495131

https://www.Facebook.com/GordonWayneWatts/videos/1392670091230359/

MP4 file:

https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/FannyDeregulation/InterviewWithCongressman Sat-5-14-2022.mp4

Or:

https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220518183250/https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/FannyDeregulation/InterviewWithCongressman\_Sat-5-14-2022.mp4

I specifically ask Mr. Franklin why he has not obeyed the Republican Party's official platform concerning its prohibitions against MY federal tax dollars: On page 35 of the Republican Party Platform, we see the GOP clearly says: "The federal government should not be in the business of originating student loans." (1ST sentence of last paragraph, near bottom-right of page) [Editor's Note: This is page 42 of 66 of "PDF" page numbers, but the writer labels this as page "35," since the first 7 pages weren't given regular page numbers.] Source: "REPUBLICAN PLATFORM 2016," used under Fair Use for commentary, criticism, and research. Editor's Note: This author could not find a more current version, such as 2020 or more recent.

LINK: https://Prod-Cdn-Static.GOP.com/media/documents/DRAFT 12 FINAL%5B1%5D-ben 1468872234.pdf

Archive-1: https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220511165601/https://Prod-Cdn-Static.GOP.com/media/documents/DRAFT\_12\_FINAL[1]-ben\_1468872234.pdf

Archive-2: https://GordonWatts.com/DRAFT 12 FINAL[1]-ben 1468872234.pdf

Archive-3: https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/DRAFT 12 FINAL[1]-ben 1468872234.pdf

ANSWER: Mr. Franklin is polite and gives me an answer. Problem is it's the wrong answer: He makes excuses and says he doesn't sit on Education Committee, which is irrelevant, as he can still file a bill to lower or eliminate federal tax dollar use to originate student loans, as more

fully described in the PORK section of my work website:

- \* https://Contractwithamerica2.com/#pork
- \* https://Gordonwatts.com/n.index.html#pork
- \* https://GordonWAYNEwatts.com/n.index.html#pork
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#pork
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#pork

Worse yet, while he tells me that I have his commitment that he will look into this, nonetheless, his voting record is clear: He is swayed, it seems obvious, by powerful Liberal Higher Ed swamp lobbyists who seek to INCREASE student loan limits, since colleges need a "sugar daddy" cash cow -- Taxpayers. Make that "want," but don't need. In fact, Congress is still under investigation where we document that roughly NINETY-ONE (91%) PERCENT of all GOP lawmakers refuse to even \*attempt\* to obey this plank. (Rep. Gaetz, with his cosponsorship of H.R.899, which would eliminate the liberal Dept of Ed, is a rare exception: He is Conservative here and in most other areas.)

Mirror 1: https://GordonWatts.com/#OpenInvestigation

Mirror 2: https://GordonWayneWatts.com/#OpenInvestigation

Archive 1: https://Archive.ph/59KXI#OpenInvestigation

Archive 2: https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220816164717/https://www.gordonwatts.com/#OpenInvestigation

Viz: https://gordonwatts.com/HigherEd OpenInvestigation.html

Or: https://gordonWAYNEwatts.com/HigherEd OpenInvestigation.html

Or: https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220615004659/https://gordonwatts.com/HigherEd\_OpenInvestigation.html

## COUNT 2, multiple "sub" counts:

[[#2.]] Next, Mr. Franklin, stubbornly refuses to support Constitutional bankruptcy uniformity, in violation of not only the US CONSTITUTION'S UNIFORMITY CLAUSE, Art.I Sec.8 Cl.4, but a number of other Constitutional principles:

((A)) CONSERVATIVE MORAL STANDARDS: a "bankruptcy self-defense for ME but not for Thee" standard is a violation of the "Golden Rule" in THREE (3) major religions, and thus immoral to like 98.6% of ALL LIVING HUMANS:

- \*\* JUDAISM: Leviticus 19:18b, Leviticus 19:34, The Golden Rule, OLD TESTAMENT (PENTATEUCH)
- \*\* CHRISTIANITY: Matthew 22:39b, Mark 12:31b, Luke 6:31, Matthew 7:12, The Golden Rule, NEW TESTAMENT (HOLY BIBLE)
- \*\* ISLAM: Surah 24:22 An-Nur, The Light, on treatment; Surah 2:275 Al-Baqarah, The Cow, on prohibitions of usurious interest; See also: Surah 3:130, The Family of Imran; Surah 4:161, The Women; Surah 30:39 al-Rum aka The Romans (THE NOBLE QUR'AN)
- \*\* Even ATHEISTS and AGNOSTIC have a problem with hypocrites double standards where lawmakers want some perk for themselves: Mr. Franklin's insu business has available ban defense, as do credit cars users, Donald Trump's businesses, gamblers, and even colleges & universities which scam students and go out business, but not college students? #Immoral #DoubleStandard that violates Sovereign King Jesus'es #GoldenRule, and treads against God, himself. Not good!

((B)) CONSERVATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL STANDARDS: Bankruptcy Uniformity is NOT a Liberal free handout, but rather required by the US CONSTITUTION'S BANKRUPTCY UNIFORMITY clause, Art.I Sec.8 CI.4, ie eg a special case of Equal Protection:

- \* https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#bankruptcy
- \* https://GordonWatts.com/n.index.html#bankruptcy
- \* https://GordonWAYNEWatts.com/n.index.html#bankruptcy
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#bankruptcy
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#bankruptcy

((C)) REBELLIOUS REFUSAL TO JOIN CONSERVATIVE REPUBLICAN COLLEAGUES on S.2598, a moderate and not radical student list bankruptcy bill with more GOP sponsors than Democrat, our Conservative alternative to liberal free handouts:

https://www.Congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/2598/cosponsors

https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220607223656/https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/2598/cosponsors

((D)) REBELLIOUS REFUSAL TO represent VOTERS on student loan bankruptcy restoration and fiscally conservative spending restrictions is NOT Conservative:

QUOTE: "A recent study by The Harris Poll finds Americans overwhelmingly support multiple reforms for the student loan debt crisis...Frequently recommended solutions, such as forgiveness of a flat amount of student debt (64%) and forgiveness of all student loan debt (55%), are supported by more than half the country. Additionally, nearly two-thirds of Americans (63%) support forgiveness of all student loan debt for those working in certain industries like health care, science & technology, or public service. [] Moreover, Americans show very strong support for other potential solutions including lower interest rates on students that attend public universities (83%), automatic student loan forbearance if someone loses employment (72%), and updating bankruptcy laws to get rid of student debt (66%). [] Americans also supported changes to the cost of a university education. Such solutions included restrictions or price controls on the cost of a university education (78%), no tuition at public colleges or universities (59%), no tuition for undergraduate schooling (56%), and no tuition for any U.S. college or university (53%)." Editor's Note: Bold-faced red font added for clarity; not in

# original. Double brackets [] denote line-break.

Source:

- \* https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#polls
- \* https://GordonWatts.com/n.index.html#polls
- \* https://GordonWAYNEWatts.com/n.index.html#polls
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#polls
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#polls

((E)) Since Black Americans are disproportionately harmed by student debt, his refusal to offer any meaningful solutions (other than to silently think predatory lending victims must stop complaining about being victims) is NOT Conservative: QUOTE from the page, linked above, and with active links in this quote: "Four years after graduating college, black students owe nearly twice as much student debt as their white peers do and are three times more likely to default on those loans, according to a new paper by the Brookings Institution." SOURCE: "Black College Grads Have Twice as Much Student Debt as Whites," by Kerri Anne Renzulli, TIME, Oct 21, 2016: Archive Today cache; Wayback Machine archive; See also: SOURCE: "REPORT: Black-white disparity in student loan debt more than triples after graduation," by Judith Scott-Clayton and Jing Li, The Brookings Institution, Thursday, October 20, 2016: Archive Today cache; Wayback Machine archive

While Mr. Franklin is correct to assert that President Biden's cancellation Executive Order didn't offer any genuine long-term solutions, nonetheless, he's guilty of this as well.

((F)) Franklin opposes "Conservative Rule of Law" regarding price-gouging. Price-gouging is still illegal, and documented to be present in costs of college at alarming rates:

- \* https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#price
- \* https://GordonWatts.com/n.index.html#price
- \* https://GordonWAYNEWatts.com/n.index.html#price
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#price
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#price

Since students have MORE than fully repaid taxpayers and this even at illegally-inflated price-gouging levels, President Biden's action, while controversial, was legally justified:

- \* https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#PaidInFull
- \* https://GordonWatts.com/n.index.html#PaidInFull
- \* https://GordonWAYNEWatts.com/n.index.html#PaidInFull
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#PaidInFull
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#PaidInFull

While Pres Biden did justifiably free some debt slaves, he and Congressman Franklin joined hands in a bipartisan effort to refuse to abolish debt slavery, insofar as our grandparents had affordable college, but out grandchildren DON'T. THIS IS NOT CONSERVATIVE, insofar as it would make Abe Lincoln turn over in his grave, and should be abhorrent to BLEXIT, whose name is a portmanteau of the words BLACK EXIT, and would be expected to defend Black Americans who are crushed at disproportionately higher rates than average.

((G)) Franklin opposes "Conservative Rule of Law" regarding illegal changes to existing loan contracts made by various changes in Federal Law, which he is OK with. Changes to a contract without express consent of both parties is ILLEGAL, and thus a violation of Rule of Law = NOT CONSERVATIVE, and documented here:

- \* https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#contract
- \* https://GordonWatts.com/n.index.html#contract
- \* https://GordonWAYNEWatts.com/n.index.html#contract
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#contract
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#contract

((H)) Franklin opposes MOST, but not all, of my requests for "Conservative Personal Responsibility" regarding basic protection and hardening and security of our fragile power and telecommunications grid (911, GPS, satellites, power, internet, etc.) as documented as critically necessary to protect against Solar flares, EMP attacks, cyberattacks, Winter superstorms (Texas), wildfires (California), Hurricanes (Florida & Louisiana), etc.:

- \* https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#grid
- \* https://GordonWatts.com/n.index.html#grid
- \* https://GordonWAYNEWatts.com/n.index.html#grid
- \* https://Archive.ph/B9ot5#grid
- \* https://Web.Archive.org/web/20220801115505/https://contractwithamerica2.com/#grid

He sits on a cyberattacks subcommittee of some type and has attempted some measure of Conservative personal responsibility, but comparing his legislative record with that of my own research above, he is NOT Conservative, unless you're OK with lack of prep for yet another easily-preventable "grid down" scenario.

## **ADDITIONALLY:**

I've documented that about 91% of all GOP LAWMAKERS refuse to obey the Republican Party Platform for student loan originations prohibitions, meaning only about 9% of all gop lawmakers are fiscally conservative, and many of your profiles on gop lawmakers are generous-- and wrong! This would include \*MOST\* US SENATORS, with a possible exception to Sen Rick Scott who has introduced S.4772, a clawback measure for college slush funds, and the 3 sponsors of S.2598, namely Sens. Josh Hawley (R-MO), John Cornyn (R-TX), and Dick Durbin (D-IL), a similar bill that has both performed clawback (fiscal conservative measure) and Constitutional bankruptcy uniformity (also Conservative, unless the US CONSTITUTION is now deemed Liberal, and I didn't get the note).

Lastly, you're a little bit off on Rep. Val Demings, the Democrat running against sitting incumbent Sen. Marco Rubio: While she's been inconsistent on defunding the police, I don't buy all the allegations against her: SHE WAS a police officer, AND a chief. Lastly, while Rep. Deming hasn't cosponsored any bankruptcy uniformity legislation, nonetheless, she did vote in House Judiciary Committee for a student loan bankruptcy bill, and Gaetz has made numerous public statements in favour of student loan bankruptcy restoration. Ask him if you didn't get the note.

In conclusion, Scott Franklin is a polite gentleman and not all bad, but your "guide" on him (and many others for similar reasons) is way out of whack, and, in many cases, incorrect for the well-documented reasons above.

With kind regard, I am

Sincerely,

Gordon Wayne Watts in Plant City, Florida

Sent from my mobile Gmail app///

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On Wed, Oct 5, 2022, 4:33 PM The BLEXIT Foundation < info@blexitfoundation.org > wrote:



Dear Gordon,

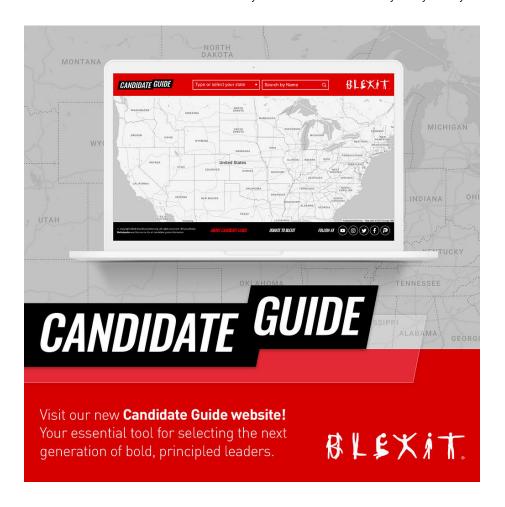
We apologize that we didn't send the standard weekly BLEXIT eNewsletter on Friday. We've been busy working to finalize a brand new educational resource created just for you!

It's called the <u>Candidate Guide</u>. BLEXIT created this interactive guide to help educate you on the upcoming national elections for the United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate.

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