

# The Center

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### Obama-Lame Duckling

With the loss of the super majority in the senate, President Obama is now a lame duck president—worse, a lame duckling, the fastest decline of a president in modern times. Pundits like to say “he’s popular, but his policies aren’t.” That’s bafflegab! He and the Democrats in the Senate and House have shown their true colors and been rejected by the American People. Does anyone really “like” a corrupt and inept President? If so, it must be his round ball game – or his big smile – or something not having to do with leadership and capability.

“Lame duckery” is the inability to lead people—because they have ceased to listen. Let’s take inventory of American’s response to President Obama;

- On current health bill in the Senate – NO. A joke.
- On current health bill in the House – NO. A bigger joke by a wildly out of touch joke mistress.
- On big government – NO. The People are intelligent – don’t tread on them with government.
- On big deficit spending – NO. President Obama has added over a trillion dollars to our national debt.
- On “earmarks” and “buying votes” – NO. “Just politics” is not an excuse. Never was. The People will no longer tolerate it!
- On big taxes – NO. Big taxes depress business and destroy jobs.
- On appointing capable people to government posts – NO. For the most part, he has appointed ideologues; people who haven’t paid taxes and others whose credentials are suspect. There are exceptions to this, thankfully.
- On giving terrorists constitutional rights – NO.
- On putting up with illegal immigrants – NO. A “nation of laws” daily breaks its own laws regarding immigrants.
- On “political correctness” – NO. Enough is enough. PC causes us to lie to ourselves and miss the obvious—sometimes to the point of endangering ourselves and others. Isn’t “polite and courteous” enough?
- On weak, apologetic approach to foreign policy – NO. Strength and reason are needed in continuing world leadership and security at home.
- On “world community” – NO. The People choose “sovereignty and individualism.”
- On strong homeland defense – NOT ENOUGH. Protecting citizens is the first duty of government – UNDER Obama the terrorist attacks are increasing.
- On honor and honesty in government –NO, meaning the Obama administration has been blatantly and arrogantly corrupt and deceptive.
- On the economy – NO. The economy still falters. Unemployment is over 10% and rising.

- On taxes – NO. Obama lied about no more tax on people who make under \$250,000. He continues to seek ways to tax the People more to pay for his socialist leaning programs. Our industrial base and jobs are being driven to other nations because of our taxes (potentially dangerous to our national security).
- On Union Power – NO. Unions can exist to balance the management-labor equation, but should not wield the kind excessive power that destroys corporations and jobs.
- On being accountable – NO. He hasn't been accountable. Obama continues, one year later, to blame President Bush for all his woes—so much so that it is embarrassing and openly humorous.
- On his oath of “defending and protecting the Constitution” – NO. He has tried to cause programs that violate the Constitution to become law – to “CHANGE AMERICA”. The People like America the way the Constitution describes it!

President Obama has become a *“lame duckling”*. People laugh at him. Those that mistakenly voted for him are in withdrawal. There are solutions to our problems; there are YES's.

Will President Obama decide to govern intelligently—or continue to be the socialist ideologue? He still has time to restore his influence. Will he govern from the center (and realize the People are center-right in their politics and will not tolerate leftist politics?) For a clue, in the State of the Union address, listen closely; will he consider lowering taxes significantly to stimulate small business and jobs? Or, will he cling to the defunct idea that big Government spending creates jobs?

Democrats have shown us their true agenda. They have not given it up. They will now hide it until they have the opportunity to trundle it forth again—or promote it in ways obscured to the People. Lesson learned: Never...NEVER vote for a Democrat, no matter what they say (it will change later) – no matter how good he/she sounds or looks. Personally, they may be good people—it's the programs of the Party that drives them astray. The problem with Democrats is that they listen to people who believe democracy means “people can vote to have the government GIVE them money.”

That's why the U.S.A is not a pure democracy – not intended to be – it is a representative republic that embraces justice for all under the law. That representation of the voice of the People has once again (in the Massachusetts special election) brought the nation back to seeking its historic principles. It works! The 2010 Congressional elections must throw out the big government guys and provide a new program for a prosperous, strong and safe America! Votes work! Be there!

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