

A Resolution

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To censure 2012 Republican Presidential nominee and current Utah US Senator Willard Mitt Romney for his continuous personal attacks against President Donald J. Trump and his unrelenting efforts to undermine his administration and campaign for re-election.

- WHEREAS, In August 2012 former Massachusetts governor Mitt Romney received the privilege and honor of being nominated to represent the Republican Party as our candidate for President of the United States of America, and;
- WHEREAS, Less than four years after Romney was nominated for president, he engaged in a high profile personal attack against the 2016 presumptive Republican presidential nominee Donald J. Trump, and;
- WHEREAS, Throughout the general election period after Trump was nominated, Romney worked to sabotage the 2016 Republican Trump-Pence ticket by using his status as a former party nominee to declare his refusal to support the Republican ticket, publicly entertain voting for the Libertarian Party ticket, and allowing conservative spoiler candidate Evan McMullin to lease his 2012 campaign e-mail list, and;
- WHEREAS, The 2012 Republican nominee for president stated that he did not vote for the 2016 Republican nominee for president, and;
- WHEREAS, After the former Massachusetts governor won a seat in the US Senate from the state of Utah, then-Senator-elect Romney wrote an op-ed piece for the Washington Post accusing President Trump of having “not risen to the mantle of the office,” and;
- WHEREAS, As US Senator, Romney has continued to deliver belligerent statements and comments about President Trump while largely ignoring far more egregious conduct and obnoxious rhetoric by Democratic members of Congress and presidential aspirants, and;
- WHEREAS, Senator Romney has publicly stated he would not support President Trump’s re-election in 2020, and;
- WHEREAS, Senator Romney’s belligerent actions have provided political cover for a Democratic Party that is essentially seeking to overturn the results of the 2016 Presidential election through endless legal harassment of President Trump via frivolous investigations predicated upon questionable evidence that has been conducted by partisan bureaucrats and advanced by a hostile and partisan establishment media, and;
- WHEREAS, The overwhelming majority of Republicans support President Trump and his tireless efforts to protect our country, resolutely defend our national interests, preserve our national sovereignty, support the Constitution, celebrate our national heritage and Founding Fathers and great women and men in all aspects of society who made our country great, and expand economic opportunities for all Americans.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Republican State Central Committee hereby adopts this resolution censuring the 2012 Republican nominee for President and current Utah US Senator Willard Mitt Romney for his continuous personal attacks against President Donald J. Trump and his unrelenting efforts to undermine his administration and campaign for re-election.