

FAVORABLE Testimony - HS 0001 – Articles of Impeachment of Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.

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I agree that Hogan should be impeached. He violated his oath of office when he took control using the color of law supposedly established in the Maryland Emergency Management Plan. Even though that plan gave broad powers, he did not have to use them. And in doing so he violated so many other constitutional articles and statutes. He had his opportunity to shine and instead he chose to rule like an emperor!

We the People created the government. The purpose of government is to protect the rights of the people, not to limit the rights. And there are no exceptions to this protection. Never in the Constitution of the United States or the Maryland Constitution does it ever suggest that our protections are guaranteed except in an emergency, or except when “anything”. **There are no exceptions.** Hogan proved he is not capable of holding to his oath and does not understand the Constitution, which is the contract he agreed to when he entered into office.

We hired Hogan, as Governor to protect our rights. He broke that contract when he took the state of emergency well beyond the 14 days he originally suggested. And he stood in the way of our representatives from answering our cries by ending the session in 2020 early so that he could take control over We The People. I know that during 2020 I tried desperately to contact my representatives. I even sent emails to the whole general assembly. The only answers I got from all those attempts is out of office. And I know hundreds of others who did the same. So all during 2020 and the majority of 2021 We the People did not have any representation while Hogan the Emperor raped We the People. Taxation without representation because of his incompetence. That doesn't feel like America. That doesn't feel like the free state as Maryland is nicknamed to be. That feels like communism.

And according to the ESSER documents which is only one example of many of the federal funds that rolled in as a result of his cooperation to the new world order narrative, he sold out We The People! I lost my job and my career of over 40 years due to his lack of ability to govern and manage the situation in a way that honored the constitution and protected the rights of the people. I can't find another job since Hogan used his agencies to create fear in all the businesses. So now to get a new job I have to comply with the tyranny. I will not. For God's sake, I will not comply because all these mandates and the executive orders are not giving We The People our God given right of choice.

This is the exact example that our Constitution was created to protect. Hogan did not do one thing to protect our rights. And no, there is no right to safety of the many at the sacrifice of the few. It doesn't work that way. He failed and clearly he failed. Time and again he failed each and every time he extended the state of emergency. Each time he did that was yet another instance that he broke his oath of office. He was hired to protect OUR RIGHTS!! Not trample all over them.

Because of his incompetence and unwillingness to uphold his oath of office, I am completely in FAVOR of this impeachment bill!

I am 100 % in favor of HS0001! Please vote in Favor of HS001!

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