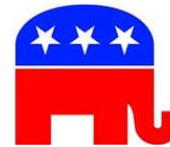


# Republicans of River City



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**LEW UHLER COMES TO REPUBLICANS OF RIVER CITY  
SOCIALIZE WITH YOUR FRIENDS IN NOVEMBER AT RIVER CITY  
November 20, 2007 in the Ose Room located at: Channel 6, KVIE  
2595 Capitol Oaks Drive  
Sacramento  
The social hour starts at 6:30 PM and the general meeting starts at 7:15 PM.**

## **COME TO RIVER CITY FOR THE SCOOP AND SKINNY ABOUT THE INITIATIVE THAT SELECTS PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS BY CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Are you wondering what all the gnashing of teeth by Democratic operatives is about? Are you wondering why the Sacramento Bee is editorializing against and urging a no vote on an initiative that has not yet qualified for the ballot?

If the answer to these questions (and many others) has crossed your mind in recent days, you must come to the November meeting at Republicans of River City. On the 20th, River City welcomes Lew Uhler, the founder and President of the National Tax Limitation Committee. We start at 6:30 pm. Cost \$5 at the door.

Lew will discuss and answer your questions about the initiative to select electors for president by the plurality vote in each congressional district.



Lew Uhler

Lew Uhler is founder and President of the National Tax Limitation Committee, one of the Nation's leading grass roots taxpayer lobbies.  
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## **GOOD NEWS FOR REPUBLICANS OF RIVER CITY**

For years, **Republicans of River City** had a Post Office box number that was hard to remember: PO Box 1635.

Now, we have a **new Post Office box number: 1776.**

**REPUBLICANS OF RIVER CITY  
P.O. Box 1776  
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Mr. Uhler will speak to us about Electoral College Reform. A California initiative has been prepared for the June 2008 ballot that would change the allocation of electoral votes in California from winner-take-all to one based on the vote in each congressional district.

Not since the Reagan era has California provided electoral votes to a Republican presidential candidate. That can change in 2008, but not without the help of those who abhor the thought of another Clinton presidency.

With offices in the Sacramento Area (Roseville) and Washington, DC, NTLC works with the White House, members of Congress, legislators in states across the Nation and grassroots organizations to limit state and federal spending through legal restrictions and constitutional change. Uhler has been at the forefront of the national movements for a Tax Limitation/Balanced Budget Amendment to the United States Constitution and for term limits.

In 1968, then-Governor Ronald Reagan selected Uhler to serve on the California Law Revision Commission. In 1970, Reagan designated Uhler as the Governor's State Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity. Subsequently, Uhler served in Reagan's cabinet as Assistant Secretary of the Health & Welfare Agency. In 1972, Governor Reagan asked Uhler to organize and serve as Chairman of the Governor's Tax Reduction Task Force. With the assistance of a nationwide panel of advisors (including Nobel Laureates Milton Friedman and James Buchanan), the task force developed California's landmark Revenue Control and Limitation Act, which became a model for tax-expenditure limitation measures in many states.

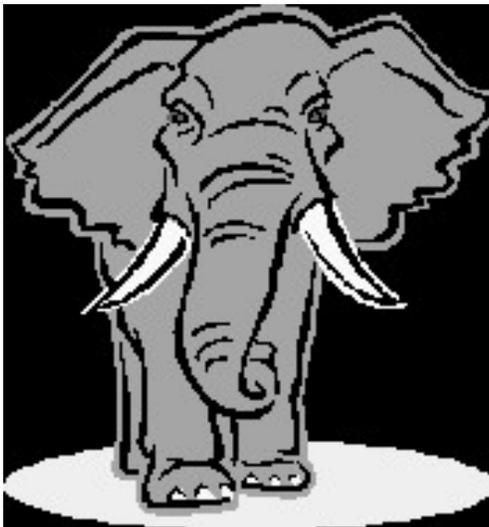
In 1990, Uhler was co-author of Proposition 130, California's pioneering state term limit initiative. Under Uhler's leadership, NTLC has forged coalitions, including "Americans for Responsible Privatization," the "Council for Retirement Security" and more recently the "Tax Cut Working Group" in Washington, which Uhler chairs with Jim Martin (60 Plus Association) and Dan Mitchell (Heritage Foundation). In 1996, Uhler participated in a symposium at the Vatican on "The Family and the Economy in the Future of Society" to explore private alternatives to welfare states worldwide.

Uhler has written numerous articles and

opinion pieces on taxes and spending. He is the author of the book, *Setting Limits: Constitutional Control of Government*, with foreword by Milton Friedman. Uhler speaks internationally on fiscal issues and has appeared on numerous national, regional and local television and radio programs and has been widely quoted in the print media.

Concurrently with his fiscal policy work, Uhler has been active in land development in northern California, as a general partner in a 200+ lot custom home subdivision and other residential and commercial properties, as well as a partner in a production home subdivision of over 400 homes.

Uhler is a native Californian, a graduate of Yale University and the Boalt Hall School of Law at the University of California at Berkeley. He is a member of the California Bar and serves as Counsel with the Newport Beach law firm of Davis, Punelli & Keathley. He and his wife, Cynthia, have four grown sons and reside in the Sacramento area.



### A GREAT IDEA

When you are making out your Christmas card list this year, please include a card for the following:

**Walter Reed Army Medical Center  
6900 Georgia Avenue, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20307-5001**

**Fleet and Family Support Center  
Bethesda Naval Hospital  
8901 Wisconsin Avenue  
Bethesda, MD 20889**



## HAVE A LAUGH: THE RUGGED MOUNTAINS OF ALASKA

The Pope took a couple of days off to visit the Rugged Mountains of Alaska for some sight seeing. He was cruising along a campground in the Pope Mobile when there was a frantic commotion just at the edge of the woods.

A helpless Democrat, wearing sandals, shorts, a "Save the Whales" hat, and a "To Hell with Bush" T-shirt, was screaming while struggling frantically and thrashing around trying to free himself from the grasp of a 10-foot grizzly.

As the Pope watched in horror, a group of Republican loggers came racing up. One quickly fired a 44 magnum into the bear's chest. The other two reached up and pulled the bleeding, semi conscious Democrat from the bear's grasp. Then using long clubs, the three loggers finished off the bear and two of them threw it onto the bed of their truck while the other tenderly placed the injured Democrat in the back seat.

As they prepared to leave, the Pope summoned them to come over. "I give you my blessing for your brave actions!" he told them. "I heard there was a bitter hatred between Republican loggers and Democratic Environmental activists but now I've seen with my own eyes that this is not true."

As the Pope drove off, one of the loggers asked his buddies "Who was that guy?" "It was the Pope," another replied. "He's in direct contact with Heaven and has access to all wisdom."

"Well," the logger said, "he may have access to all wisdom but he sure doesn't know anything about Grizzly bear hunting! By the way, is the bait holding up, or do we need to go back to Massachusetts and get another one?"

**RIVER CITY CHRISTMAS PARTY ANNOUNCEMENT**

This year, Republicans of River City elected to join with the Sacramento County Republican Central Committee for our annual Christmas Party. We hope all members of Republicans of River City can attend this event and celebrate with our friends and neighbors.

**The Sacramento County Republican Party**

Cordially Invites You To Join Us For Our  
Annual Holiday Party

Thursday, December 13, 2007  
6:00 p.m.: No Host Cocktails – 7:00 p.m.: Dinner

The Lions Gate at McClellan Park  
3410 Westover Street, McClellan, CA 95652

**Special Guest:**  
**Tom Del Beccaro**  
**Vice Chairman, California Republican Party**

And, we will collect toys for the “Toys for the Troops’ Kids” project.

\$50.00 per person/\$90.00 per couple RSVP By: December 7, 2007 to: (916) 925-1850\*

Complete and mail to: Sacramento County Republican Party, 1325 Howe Ave., #105, Sacramento, CA 95825

Please make \_\_\_\_\_ reservations for the Annual Holiday Party. Choice of:  
 Sirloin Steak Medallions with Blackberry Demi Glace  
 Napa Valley Chicken brushed with Orange, Lemon & Napa Wine with Capers

Enclosed is my check (or bill my credit card for)

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Name on Card (print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: Sacramento County Republican Party. State and Federal law requires the following information.

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\* After December 7, 2007, the charge is \$75.00 per person

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**A MESSAGE FROM THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION**

Congress made a solemn promise to America's seniors to supply more affordable medical care, but now they're limiting seniors' access to doctors, making it harder for them to get the care they need. Tell Congress to protect seniors' access to doctors.

With over 3.2 million baby boomers becoming eligible for Medicare in three short years, and a government-predicted shortage of 85,000 doctors by 2020, doctor payment cuts will create an access-to-care crisis for America's seniors.

If Congress doesn't act soon, Medicare doctor payment cuts will hurt America's patients. Doctors will be forced to defer the purchase of new medical equipment and information technology; seniors will have a harder time finding medical and surgical specialists and will have to travel greater distances to see a doctor; and more Medicare patients will be forced to go to expensive emergency rooms for routine care that could have been treated in a doctor's office.

It's time for Congress to start living up to its promises. Tell your Senators to make good on their promise to America's seniors.

Tell them to stop doctor payment cuts.



Arnold Schwarzenegger

**GOVERNOR SCHWARZENEGGER PROMOTES ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES AT THE ANNUAL L.A. AUTO SHOW**

Today at the annual L.A. Auto Show, Governor Schwarzenegger highlighted the important role the newest alternate fuel and hybrid vehicles play in reducing greenhouse gas emissions in California and throughout the world. The Governor also highlighted the need for more fuel alternatives and greater fuel efficiency to help drive down high gasoline prices.

"It is fantastic to see that the world's automakers are developing the technology to help us meet our goals in California. These cars come in every size and shape and they prove that we can give consumers the choices they want and still protect the environment," said Governor Schwarzenegger. "This is exactly the kind of innovation we need. Working together, we will ensure that California remains a leader in clean and alternative fuel vehicles and we will ensure a healthy and prosperous future for our nation.

"Imagine what we can accomplish if we improve efficiency and put more alternatives on the road, whether it is biofuels, electric cars, hydrogen or hybrids. This will also help our

families with fuel prices because it's all about supply and demand. By providing more alternatives, we can drive down oil prices from the \$100 a barrel everyone is expecting."

The L.A. Auto Show is an international auto show showcasing 1,000 of the newest vehicles from 47 of the world's automobile manufacturers. The L.A. Auto Show has become the main stage for unveiling alternative fuel vehicles as manufacturers look to California, which drives the market for hybrids and other fuel efficient vehicles, to establish trends for environmentally-friendly cars and trucks. This is the second year in a row the Governor **(Please go to Page 6, Column 1)**

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Carl Burton, President

**NEW CITIZENS CEREMONIES  
NOVEMBER 27, 2006**

Across the United States Republicans are reaching out to new citizens by trying to make memorable their becoming new citizens and aiding them in their transition to the American way of life.

As Republican volunteers, we are reminded of the sacred responsibilities and privileges we enjoy as Americans as we welcome each new citizen.

On November 27, we have the opportunity to once again gather in front of the Crest Theater at 1013 (on the K Street Mall) in downtown Sacramento and welcome new citizens to our American values of life, liberty and freedom and to encourage them to register to vote as Republicans.

Each year, Republicans helped welcome more than 450,000 immigrants as U.S. citizens during naturalization ceremonies across the country, according to government officials. Included in those numbers are more than 10,000 service members who have been naturalized through an expedited process since the beginning of the war on terrorism.

Thousands of immigrant troops have made extraordinary sacrifices for America, and there is no more fitting

way for a grateful nation to demonstrate its appreciation than making them citizens during the month of November (Veterans Day, Nov. 11).

**The Oath of Citizenship**

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I will bear arms on behalf of the United States when required by law; that I will perform noncombatant service in the Armed Forces of the United States when required by the law; that I will perform work of national importance under civilian direction when required by the law; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; so help me God. In acknowledgement whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature.

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On a personal note I have documents from one of my Great Grandfathers where he renounced his allegiance to the Emperor of Germany.

As a member of Republicans of River City I'm asking you if you will join with other Republicans from Sacramento and surrounding counties to help in registering New Citizens as Republicans, Even before 8:00 am when the doors open at the Crest there is a long line out in front of the theatre. We need at least five volunteers to assist at the swearing in. The ceremonies begin at 8:00 a.m. and will last until 4:00 p.m. Please sign up.

If you want to join me in welcoming our newest citizens on November 27, 2007, please call me at 916-485-5741 or email him at [carl@ccrgop.org](mailto:carl@ccrgop.org)

I know you enjoy the experience of welcome new citizens.

**Carl Burton, President  
Republicans of River City**

PS. The Sacramento Office of the Department of Immigration serves the following counties: Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, El Dorado, Glenn, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Shasta, Sierra, Sutter, Siskiyou, Solano, Tehama, Tuolumne, Yolo, and Yuba.



**ON THIS DAY IN NOVEMBER**

November 17, 2003 - Arnold Schwarzenegger is sworn is as Governor of California.

November 18, 1872 - Susan B. Anthony, arrested for voting, after boasting to Elizabeth Cady Stanton that she voted for "the Republican ticket, straight."

November 19, 1863 - President Lincoln delivers the Gettysburg Address.

November 22, 1865 - Republicans denounce Democratic legislature of Mississippi for enacting "black codes," which institutionalized racial discrimination.

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has appeared at the show to highlight such vehicles.

Governor Schwarzenegger has made it a priority to put California at the forefront of the booming clean tech industry and to develop a robust infrastructure to support the wide use of clean energy and hydrogen power in California.

In January, Governor Schwarzenegger announced the world's first Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS) for transportation fuels that requires fuel providers to reduce the carbon intensity of transportation fuels sold in California. This first-of-its kind standard firmly establishes sustainable demand for lower-carbon fuels but without favoring one fuel over another.

Allowing the market to do the work ensures the lowest cost and most consumer-friendly environment. Like AB 32, the LCFS will use market-based mechanisms that allow providers to choose how they reduce emissions while responding to consumer demand. For example, providers may purchase and blend more low-carbon ethanol into gasoline products, purchase credits from electric utilities supplying low-carbon electrons to electric passenger vehicles, diversify into low-carbon hydrogen and other to-be-developed strategies.

This year, Governor Schwarzenegger launched the effort that led to California filing a lawsuit against the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for failing to act on California's tailpipe emissions waiver request to regulate greenhouse gas emissions for cars and light trucks sold in the state. The Governor lobbied both President Bush and EPA Administrator

Stephen Johnson to approve the request so that California can implement the nation's cleanest standards for vehicle emissions.

In April 2004, the Governor signed an executive order creating a public and private partnership to build the Hydrogen Highway in California by 2010. The Governor opened California's first public hydrogen fueling station in October 2004,

located at Los Angeles International Airport. Currently, there are twenty-five hydrogen-fueling stations in the state. Eventually, a network of hydrogen-fueling stations will be opened throughout California making hydrogen fuel accessible to the increased number of vehicles in California.

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Your membership in Republicans of River City provides you a monthly newsletter, speakers, and an outstanding opportunity to meet your elected officials and California's finest political strategists. River City is also a great way to network and make new friends.

I am a registered Republican and would like to join Republicans of River City.

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\_\_\_\_\_ Regular Membership: enclosed is my check for \$25  
(Young Professionals 18-25 \$15 per person)

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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