

## Exhibit List for Presentations in Opposition to an Article V Convention

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1. [HERE](#) is the proposed **Constitution for the Newstates of America**. Article XII, §1 thereof provides for ratification by *a referendum initiated by the President*. The States are dissolved and replaced by regional governments answerable to the new national government.<sup>1</sup> This Constitution sets up a totalitarian dictatorship. Pursuant to Article I, Part B, §8, *we are to be disarmed*.
2. The Chart which illustrates our Declaration of Independence, Constitution, & federal structure, and lists the enumerated powers is [HERE](#).
3. To see how six of Mark Levin's "liberty amendments" do the opposite of what he claims, go [HERE](#). [His other amendments are just as bad.]
4. The Nightmare Amendments from "Convention of States Project's" (COS) simulated convention are [HERE](#).
5. The Flyer which shows that our Framers said the purpose of *amendments* is to correct defects in the Constitution; and knew that the purpose of a *convention* is to get a new Constitution, is [HERE](#). **"COS" has been misrepresenting what the Delegates to the Convention said.**
6. [HERE](#) is the **April 11, 2014 Report of the Congressional Research Service** which shows that Congress recognizes that it has *exclusive authority* over "calling" - organizing - the convention provided for at Article V, US Constitution. A Summary is on page 4.
7. [States have no Power to Control Delegates to an Article V Convention](#) shows that those who promise that State Legislators will select and control the Delegates are making stuff up! Furthermore, Delegates have the self-evident Right "to alter or to abolish" the existing state & federal governments. Thus no one has power over Delegates.
8. [HERE](#) are the **Articles of Confederation**, our first Federal Constitution. **Article XIII required approval of amendments by the Continental Congress and by every State Legislature.**
9. [HERE](#) is the Resolution of the Continental Congress dated Feb. 21, 1787, to call a convention to be held at Philadelphia,  
  
**"...for the sole and express purpose of revising the Articles of Confederation..."**
10. [HERE](#) are the Credentials of the Delegates to the Federal Convention of 1787 and instructions from the States. The *operative words* of the instructions encompassed:
  - **"alterations to the Federal Constitution which, when agreed to by Congress and the several States, would become effective"**: Virginia, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Georgia, S. Carolina, Maryland, & New Hampshire.

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<sup>1</sup> US Supreme Court Chief Justice Warren Burger described this proposed Constitution in his letter of April 8, 1986 to Phyllis Schlafly [LINK](#). Note that in his last paragraph, Justice Burger refers to the professors who "would like to abolish the states, and reorganize the federal structure along the lines of the division of circuits for the Federal Judicial system, or even on a more rigid regional basis."

- “for the purpose of revising the Federal Constitution”: Virginia, Pennsylvania, North Carolina, Delaware, and Georgia.
- “for the sole and express purpose of revising the Articles of Confederation”: New York, Massachusetts, and Connecticut.
- “provisions to make the Constitution of the federal Government adequate”: New Jersey.

[Rhode Island did not send Delegates to the convention.]

11. In Federalist Paper No. 40, James Madison, Father of our Constitution, invoked that “transcendent and precious right” set forth in our Declaration of Independence of a People to throw off one government and set up a new one, as justification for ignoring their instructions and writing a new Constitution. [HERE](#) is the Flyer.

12. **Here are additional Constitutions which can be imposed at a Convention called by Congress pursuant to Article V, US Constitution:**

- Read [HERE](#) about the proposed **Constitution for the New Socialist Republic in North America**. It was prepared by **the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA**. [HERE](#) is the text of their Constitution.
- Read [HERE](#) of The Constitution 2020 movement funded by George Soros & supported by Marxist law professors, Cass Sunstein, Eric Holder, etc. See also [THIS](#) article. They want a Marxist Constitution.
- **Read [HERE](#) the globalist Council on Foreign Relations’ Task Force Report on the North American Union (NAU)**. Under this scheme, Canada, the US, and Mexico are to be integrated politically and *a Parliament & a militarized and unified police force* are to be set up over the three countries. [This is the “New World Order” which the Bush family & others have been planning. Heidi Cruz was on the Task Force which wrote the Report.]
- The **National Constitution Center’s Constitution Drafting Project** has released three proposed new Constitutions to replace our existing Constitution. You can read the proposed new Constitutions [HERE](#). These proposed Constitutions would transfer massive new powers to a new federal gov’t, and (among other horrors) would legalize the unconstitutional acts which have been going on for 100 years. *The National Constitution Center is a quasi-official branch of the federal gov’t – its website address is <https://www.usa.gov/federal-agencies/national-constitution-center>*

**One of these Constitutions, the so-called “Conservative” Constitution, was co-authored by Robert P. George, who is a member of Mark Meckler’s COS Legal Advisory Board. This proposed Constitution imposes gun control & red flag confiscations (among other horrors):** See [THIS](#) & [THIS](#).

13. **Warnings of Brilliant Men (Madison, Hamilton, 4 US Supreme Court Justices, and other jurists and legal scholars) against an Article V convention** are [HERE](#).

14. [HERE](#) is the Pew Report: Click on your State to find out what percentage of your *State government’s* revenue was from federal funds. And that’s a pittance compared to the additional federal funds poured into your State to local gov’ts, NGOs, research grants, price supports, welfare programs, social security, Medicare, etc., etc., etc. And all that spending is unconstitutional as outside the scope of the enumerated powers.

15. [HERE](#) is the archived edition of an unofficial source which listed applications for an Article V convention already submitted to Congress by the various State legislatures.

16. [HERE](#) is where James Madison said our Constitution depends on the people having the “virtue and intelligence to select men of virtue and wisdom” to office [scroll down to text at 223].

17. Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, and Alexander Hamilton always said that because the States *created* the federal government [when they ratified the Constitution], the States are the final authority on whether their “creature” has violated the constitutional compact the States made with each other; and that when the fed gov’t usurps powers not delegated, each State has *the natural right* to nullify *of their own authority* all such acts of the fed gov’t. **The refusal to go along with unconstitutional acts is the remedy our Framers advised when the fed gov’t violates the Constitution.**

This is not a mere “constitutional right” created by our Constitution of 1787 – this is the GOD-GIVEN NATURAL RIGHT OF SELF-DEFENSE which pre-dates and pre-exists the Constitution! See [THIS](#) Flyer.

18. **Who is behind the push for an Article V convention? It is the globalists, primarily the Koch Foundations and George Soros, who are funding the push for an Article V convention.** See, e.g.,

- [Kochs Bankroll Move to Rewrite the Constitution](#)
- [George Soros assault on U.S. Constitution](#)
- [Soros in Vermont: Leftist billionaire behind state’s call to keep money out of politics](#)
- [Citizens for Self-Governance](#) This goes into detail about the funding and expenditures for one of Mark Meckler’s organizations, “Citizens for Self-Governance”
- [Koch brothers from Conservapedia](#)

19. Mark Meckler tells State Legislators that his organizations are funded by grandmas sending him \$5.00 checks out of their paltry monthly incomes. But this paper, [Dark Money—Not the Grassroots—Is Behind the Convention of States Organizations \(COS\)](#), proves that almost 2/3 of the money driving Meckler’s effort to get State Legislatures to apply to Congress for a convention under Article V of the US Constitution is coming from major donors *annually* giving Meckler’s organizations \$5,000 to \$2,000,000 *each* over the latest 3 years of reporting available. **Why are multi-billionaires trying to get their hands on our Constitution?**

20. [HERE](#) is a Chart from *letusvoteforbba.org* where, by aggregating applications from 1789, 1861 to avert the Civil War, and 1901 for popular election of US Senators *with* later applications for a balanced budget amendment, they claim to have 33 States with active Applications for an Article V convention.

21. [Con-Con legislation filed in Congress is a wake-up call to convention supporters](#) explains & links to [H.C.R. 101](#) and [H.R. 8419](#) (filed July 19, 2022) re calling an Art. V Convention & how the States’ applications will be counted. *It’s not what the convention pushers have been telling State Legislators.*

22. States better rescind ASAP their existing applications. See: [Bluffing their way to an Article V Convention; Part 1: Validation schemes](#) and [Part 2: The best PR money can buy.](#)