

DECEMBER 6, 1994

TO: SENATOR DOLE
FROM: DAN STANLEY
SUBJECT: CALL FROM PAT ROBERTS

Roberts talked to Gingrich about Brownback going on Ways & Means. Gingrich seems amenable, but told Pat that he wanted to talk to you. There will be one freshman on the committee and it is down to 3 candidates, one in a marginal district, one who says he is leaving in 3 terms, and Brownback.

Roberts asks that you weigh in for Brownback. He thinks it will give Gingrich cover if he can say you leaned on him to pick Brownback.

Roberts wanted you to know that Les Rosen died Saturday night. Wife Bernice at (301) 648-3810.

Ed Madigan has advanced cancer. May not make it through the night.

TO: Senator Dole
FR: Kerry

*All systems go for your appearance tomorrow at 9:00 a.m

*The conference is not open to the press, but there is likely to be some who will get you coming and going from the caucus room. Congressman Boehner, as new Conference Chair, will preside.

*Draft remarks are attached...some good new material.

ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR ORGANIZATIONAL CONFERENCE**Wednesday, December 7, 1994****9:00 a.m., Cannon House Office Building****(Cannon Caucus Room)**

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1. Election of holdover Members of Committee on House Administration.
2. Election of Committee Chairmen.
3. Discussion of Republican House Rules package for opening day of the 104th Congress.
4. Such other business as may be properly brought before the Conference.
5. Adjournment.

<Lunch will be provided>

SENATOR BOB DOLE REPUBLICAN HOUSE CAUCUS

**WHEN THE BRITISH TROOPS
SURRENDERED TO GEORGE
WASHINGTON AT YORKTOWN TO
END THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR,
THE BRITISH BAND PLAYED A TUNE
ENTITLED "THE WORLD TURNED
UPSIDE DOWN." AND STROM
THURMOND, WHO WAS AT THAT
CEREMONY, SAYS IT WAS A VERY
NICE TUNE.**

**AND I CAN'T HELP BUT THINK
THAT SONG ALSO DESCRIBES
WHAT HAPPENED ACROSS
AMERICA ON NOVEMBER 8, AND
WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING ON
CAPITOL HILL EVER SINCE. ONLY
THIS TIME, WE ARE CELEBRATING
THE BEGINNING--AND NOT THE END--
-OF A REVOLUTION.**

**THE MOTTO THAT UNITED
AMERICANS TWO CENTURIES AGO**

**WAS "TAXATION WITHOUT
REPRESENTATION IS TYRANNY."**

**AND THIS NOVEMBER, AMERICANS
DECIDED THAT TAXATION WITH
DEMOCRAT REPRESENTATION
WASN'T MUCH BETTER.**

**THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE
WHO CAN TAKE CREDIT FOR
HELPING TO BRING ABOUT THE
REPUBLICAN REVOLUTION OF 1994.
BUT NOT VERY MANY DESERVE**

**MORE CREDIT THAN NEWT
GINGRICH.**

**I'VE SEEN MANY HISTORIC
THINGS DURING MY YEARS HERE IN
WASHINGTON. THE COLLAPSE OF
COMMUNISM IN EASTERN EUROPE.
THE TEARING DOWN OF THE BERLIN
WALL. ISRAEL'S LEADERS SITTING
DOWN WITH YASSAR ARAFAT. BUT
I HAVE TO TELL YOU THAT I HAD
JUST ABOUT GIVEN UP HOPE OF**

**EVER SEEING REPUBLICANS
CONTROL THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES.**

**BUT BECAUSE OF NEWT'S
LEADERSHIP...BECAUSE OF BILL
PAXON AND THE NRCC...BECAUSE
OF THE CONTRACT WITH
AMERICA...BECAUSE OF
OUTSTANDING REPUBLICAN
CANDIDATES ACROSS THE NATION,**

**WE HAVE TURNED THE WORLD
UPSIDE DOWN, AND WE HAVE
TURNED A NEW PAGE IN THE
HISTORY OF THIS CHAMBER AND IN
THE HISTORY OF OUR COUNTRY.**

**I ALSO WANT TO MENTION THAT
WE'VE TURNED A NEW PAGE IN
KANSAS HISTORY, AS WELL. WITH
THE ADDITION OF SAM
BROWNBACK, AND GIANT-KILLER
TODD TIAHRT, FOR THE FIRST TIME**

**IN A LONG TIME, KANSAS HAS A
NON-PARTISAN HOUSE AND SENATE
DELEGATION--ALL REPUBLICANS.**

**I READ SOME OF NEWT'S
ACCEPTANCE SPEECH ON MONDAY.
AND I NOTICED THAT HE SAID THAT
THE LAST TWO ELECTIONS WHERE
REPUBLICANS GAINED CONTROL OF
THE HOUSE UNDER JOE MARTIN--IN
1946 AND 1952--THEY LOST**

CONTROL IN THE FOLLOWING ELECTION.

**WELL, NEWT, I JUST ONE TO
TELL YOU THAT I SERVED WITH JOE
MARTIN. JOE MARTIN WAS A
FRIEND OF MINE. AND NEWT,
YOU'RE NO JOE MARTIN.**

**I TRAVELLED TO 47 STATES IN
THIS CAMPAIGN CYCLE--MISSING
ONLY HAWAII, ALASKA, (DON
YOUNG DIDN'T NEED MY HELP),**

**AND FOR SOME REASON,
ARKANSAS. AND WHEREVER I
WENT, I TOLD THE AMERICAN
PEOPLE THAT AFTER 40 YEARS OF
DEMOCRAT CONTROL, THEY
SHOULD GIVE REPUBLICANS A
CHANCE. AND IF THEY DIDN'T LIKE
WHAT WE DID, THEN THEY COULD
THROW US OUT FOR ANOTHER 40
YEARS.**

**THE WAY TO PREVENT THAT
FROM HAPPENING IS TO REMEMBER
THE WORDS OF ADVICE THAT
MARGARET THATCHER GAVE TO
PRESIDENT BUSH IN THE FIRST
DAYS OF THE GULF WAR.**

**"REMEMBER GEORGE," SHE SAID,
"THIS IS NOT THE TIME TO GO
WOBBLY."**

**WHILE I DON'T EXPECT THAT
WE'LL MARCH IN LOCKSTEP ON**

**EVERY ISSUE AND EVERY VOTE, I
AM CONFIDENT THAT WE ALL
UNDERSTAND THAT A DEMANDING
AMERICAN PUBLIC WILL BE
WATCHING US VERY CLOSELY.
AND IF THEY BELIEVE THAT WE'RE
NOT FULFILLING OUR PROMISES...IF
THEY CONCLUDE THAT THERE
REALLY IS NO DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN A REPUBLICAN CONGRESS
AND A DEMOCRAT CONGRESS,**

**THEN THIS GATHERING WILL BE A
LOT SMALLER IN TWO YEARS.**

**BUT I AM CERTAIN THAT IS NOT
GOING TO HAPPEN. BECAUSE IF I
HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH IT...IF
NEWT HAS ANYTHING TO DO WITH
IT...IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO DO
WITH IT...I KNOW WE WON'T GO
WOBBLY.**

**IN FACT, FROM THE FIRST DAY
TO THE 100TH DAY TO THE LAST**

**DAY OF THE 104TH CONGRESS, I
THINK WE ARE GOING TO SEE
GREAT COOPERATION BETWEEN
THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE,
BECAUSE WE SHARE THE SAME
GOALS--LESS GOVERNMENT, LESS
SPENDING, FEWER TAXES, AND
MORE FREEDOM AND OPPORTUNITY
FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.**

**IN THE LAST FEW WEEKS, I
THINK THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE**

**SEEN THAT WE ARE BACKING UP
OUR RHETORIC WITH ACTION. AND
I WANT TO CONGRATULATE DAVE
DRIER, JIM NUSSLE, JENNIFER
DUNN, AND ALL THOSE INVOLVED
IN THE PROCESS OF SHRINKING THE
HOUSE BUREAUCRACY. THAT'S A
BIT TOUGHER TO DO IN THE
SENATE, BUT WE'VE MADE IT VERY
CLEAR THAT IN THE FIRST DAYS WE
WILL ALSO REDUCE THE NUMBER**

**OF SENATE EMPLOYEES, AND WE
WILL JOIN YOU IN MAKING SURE
THAT CONGRESS LIVES UNDER THE
SAME LAWS WE IMPOSE ON
EVERYONE ELSE.**

**WE DO HAVE DIFFERENT RULES,
AND WE DO OPERATE AT
DIFFERENT SPEEDS. SOMETIMES
THE SENATE MAY GO SLOW ON
LEGISLATION YOU PASS RAPIDLY.
AND SOMETIMES YOU MAY GO**

**SLOW ON LEGISLATION WE PASS
RAPIDLY. BUT AS NEWT HAS SAID,
THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH
GOING SLOW, AS LONG AS WE
"GO," AND AS LONG AS WE'RE
MOVING FORWARD.**

**IN CLOSING, I WANT TO SHARE
WITH YOU A STORY TOLD ABOUT
THE NIGHT IN 1945, WHEN
GENERAL DWIGHT EISENHOWER
WAS WALKING ALONG THE RHINE,**

**THINKING OF THE CROSSING IN
WHICH HE WOULD LEAD THE
ALLIED ARMIES.**

**ON HIS WALK, HE MET A
SOLDIER, AND ASKED HIM WHY HE
WASN'T SLEEPING. THE YOUNG
G.I., WHO DIDN'T RECOGNIZE
EISENHOWER IN THE DARK, SAID, "I
GUESS I'M JUST A LITTLE
NERVOUS."**

"SO AM I," SAID EISENHOWER.

**"LET'S WALK TOGETHER, AND
PERHAPS WE'LL DRAW STRENGTH
FROM ONE ANOTHER."**

**I THINK ALL OF US ARE A BIT
AWED ABOUT THE RESPONSIBILITY
THAT AWAITS US IN JANUARY.
BUT I KNOW THAT BY WORKING
TOGETHER ON THE BUDGET, ON
CRIME, ON WELFARE REFORM, AND
ON EVERY OTHER ISSUE, WE WILL**

**DRAW STRENGTH FROM THE
AMERICAN PEOPLE, AND WE WILL
ENSURE THAT AMERICA'S BEST
DAYS ARE YET TO COME.
THANK YOU.**