

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37

Whereas, the state of Missouri values its sovereignty and independence; and

Whereas, the citizens of Missouri are increasingly alarmed by the influence of international organizations like the World Health Organization, the United Nations and the World Economic Forum in this state; and

Whereas, a number of recent proposals supported by the United Nations and the World Economic Forum are deeply concerning, including but not limited to:

(1) The promotion of insect-based foods as a replacement for traditional meat products, limiting food choice and infringing on personal dietary preferences and traditions;

(2) The imposition of ESG, or environmental, social, and corporate governance, requirements on businesses that increase regulations, raise costs, and reduce economic freedom for entrepreneurs and businesses;

(3) The concept of social credit, akin to a credit score for social behaviors, that gives the government undue control over individuals' daily lives, punishing those who dissent or hold differing views;

(4) Advocacy for censorship, including government preapproval of information shared online, on social media, and on television that threatens the fundamental principles of free speech and stifles open discourse;

(5) Support for global medical mandates, such as lockdowns, travel bans, business closures, and medical passports, that infringe on individual liberties and personal autonomy;

(6) The endorsement of digital identification that records and tracks individuals' activities, raising concerns about mass surveillance and the erosion of personal privacy;

(7) The potential implementation of mass surveillance technologies, including facial recognition cameras and biometric implants, that pose significant threats to personal privacy and civil liberties;

(8) Placing onerous burdens, costs, and regulations on farmers in the name of sustainability goals that jeopardize agricultural practices and the livelihoods of farmers;

(9) The advocacy for the elimination of private property rights, which undermines the principles of individual ownership and personal freedom; and

(10) The introduction of central bank digital currencies (CBDCs), programmable currency controlled by central banks, that grant the government instant visibility and control over citizens' finances, infringing on financial privacy and personal autonomy:

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the members of the Missouri Senate, One Hundred and Second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the General Assembly firmly reasserts its unwavering dedication to the principles of sovereignty and self-determination, declaring unequivocally that any encroachments on the freedom of its residents must be immediately stopped; and

Be It Further Resolved that the General Assembly openly voices its concerns regarding all attempts made by international organizations, including but not limited to the United Nations, the World Economic Forum, and the World Health Organization, to advocate for policies and

initiatives that could undermine the core values and interests of Missouri's residents; and

Be It Further Resolved that the General Assembly strongly encourages a comprehensive review of all agreements or partnerships involving international organizations to guarantee their alignment with the fundamental principles of individual freedom, privacy, autonomy, and the right to private property, which are cherished by the people of Missouri; and

Be It Further Resolved that the General Assembly remains resolute in its commitment to engaging in international cooperation as long as such endeavors respect the autonomy and sovereignty of our great state; and

Be It Further Resolved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the Governor and Missouri's Congressional delegation.