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Inside Track

IRS: Special Agents Must Be Prepared to Use “Deadly Force”

The Internal Revenue Service is boosting its corps of special agents, and one requirement for the job is this: The agents must be ready to shoot to kill.

The latest from the Biden administration is in a job ad the tax bureau posted online. After disappearing briefly, apparently because it caused an uproar, the IRS boldly republished it.

Trouble for the agency began when Ford Fischer posted the two key details of the ad on Twitter August 10: “50 hours per week, which may include irregular hours, and be on-call 24/7, including holidays and weekends,” and “Carry a firearm and be willing to use deadly force, if necessary.”

Fischer helpfully added that the agency purchased \$696,000 in ammunition between March and June of this year.

The ad warns that agents must also “be willing and able to participate in arrests, execution of search warrants, and other dangerous assignments” when investigating such enemies of the public weal as Tucker Carlson and the Trump family.

The agency apparently pulled the ad, but then reposted it after Fox Business asked about it August 10.

The “deadly force” ad surfaced as the agency is about to get an \$80 billion budget boost and 87,000 new employees, whom Biden and his gang claim will not audit anyone earning under \$400,000 — or so Treasury Secretary Janet Yellen told the IRS in a letter obtained by CNN August 10.

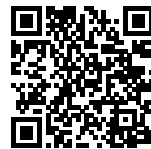


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“Specifically, I direct that any additional resources — including any new personnel or auditors that are hired — shall not be used to increase the share of small business or households below the \$400,000 threshold that are audited relative to historical levels,” Yellen wrote.

Whether the new enforcement agents, or the new special investigators, will audit and be prepared to use deadly force against House Speaker Nancy Pelosi and her husband, drunk driver Paul Pelosi, or any other Democrat bazillionaire, we are not given to know.

Tax cheat Hunter Biden probably needn’t worry about an audit, either.



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Poll: 59 Percent of Americans Worried About Biden's Mental Health

A majority of Americans are seeing that President Joe Biden is not all there mentally, and it concerns them.

According to an Issues & Insights/TIPP poll released August 8, 59 percent of Americans were "concerned" about the president's mental health. Of them, 36 percent of respondents said they were "very concerned," and 23 percent were "somewhat concerned."

The poll opens by stating that Americans started suspecting that Biden's mental health was far from excellent some time ago: "Even before he became president, the now-79-year-old Joe Biden faced serious and persistent questions about his mental health. Among average Americans, those questions have become a major issue."

Indeed, Biden's condition was obvious to many Americans when he ran for president in 2020. Back in June of 2020, nearly 40 percent of voters thought then-presumptive Democratic nominee Biden had dementia, including 30 percent of Independents likely to vote. One in five Democrats believed it as well, according to a Rasmussen poll.

Subsequent polls confirmed that a hefty percentage of people were at least skeptical of Biden's mental acuity and ability to execute the duties of the office.

Terry Jones, editor of Issues & Insights, commented on the poll results, "The fact is, based on these polling data, there is genuine concern among virtually all groups over Biden's cognitive health. It has taken on political urgency with the looming 2022 midterm elections, which, if Republicans prevail, could well turn Biden into a lame duck."

Jones further noted that even the ever-supportive mainstream media has changed its tune in covering the president's capacities.

Reportedly, Biden is considering running for a second term in 2024. He already set the record for being the oldest elected president, taking office in 2021 at the age of 78. Should he win in 2024 and be sworn in again in January 2025, he would be 82. If he serves his full second term, he will be 86 when he leaves office.

By Veronika Kyrylenko

FBI Outlines "Symbols," Rhetoric of "Militia Violent Extremists"

If you fly the Gadsden flag, you might be a "Militia Violent Extremist." If you fly the Betsy Ross flag or use "Revolutionary War imagery," you might be an MVE. And if you talk about the Second Amendment a lot, and worry about government raids that send American citizens to the boneyard, you just might be an MVE.

Those ideas are found in the FBI's unclassified but exclusively internal "Domestic Terrorism Symbols Guide."



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The leaked document shows just how far the agency is pushing the falsehood that American patriots, whom they call “white supremacists,” “domestic violent extremists,” and now “militia violent extremists (MVEs)” are the main threat facing the country.



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Leaked to Project Veritas on August 2, the internal FBI document explains that the symbols, imagery, and language of MVEs involve several common themes “found on propaganda, online platforms, memes, merchandise, group logos, flags, tattoos, uniforms, etc.”

Despite a disclaimer that not everyone who flies a Betsy Ross flag is an MVE, the message is clear: Traditional patriotic and other symbols, particularly those that call to mind the War for Independence, could mean trouble.

Among the modern symbols so-called MVEs use are those of the Boogaloo movement, anarcho-capitalism, the Punisher skull, and the Second Amendment.

According to the FBI, “MVEs justify their existence with the Second Amendment, due to the mention of a ‘well regulated Militia,’ as well as the right to bear arms.”

After symbols, the document says, agents should watch out for famous historical quotes such as “When tyranny becomes law, rebellion becomes duty,” and “The tree of liberty must be refreshed from time to time with the blood of patriots and tyrants.”

Whether the FBI has published similar internal guidance on Antifa and Black Lives Matter, both of which rampaged through American cities after the overdose death of George Floyd, a martyr for anti-white leftists, we are not given to know.

By Cort Kirkwood

CBS Poll: Republicans Will Take House in November, 230-205

The GOP is poised to take over the U.S. House of Representatives in November’s midterm election, a new poll finds.

The latest CBS Tracking survey, released July 31, predicts a 15-seat loss for the Democrats from their 220-strong majority today. The GOP, the poll says, will gain 19 seats (including four currently vacant seats) for a 230-seat takeover.



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The poll, which gave the GOP a two-point margin, 45 percent to 43, is consistent with the RealClearPolitics average of generic congressional races, which has the GOP ahead by about a point.



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The GOP surge is likely because Democratic voters might not vote, CBS reported in its analysis, and the midterm voter is likely to be older and more conservative. “Like typical midterm electorates, this one is shaping up to be older and more conservative than the country as a whole,” CBS reported.

Also dooming the Democrats is inflation, as 54 percent of Republicans are worried about inflation and gas prices, while just 35 percent of Democrats are.

And, of course, Joe Biden is one reason the numbers look bad for the party of abortion and transgenderism.

Forty-seven percent of voters say how they feel about President Biden is driving a lot of their midterm calculus. “The Biden effect looks net-negative: those weighing him ‘a lot’ in their midterm vote are breaking Republican by two to one — maybe not a surprise given his low approval ratings,” the network reported.

But the House loss could be much worse than 15 seats, Breitbart reported August 1: “Analysts from the University of Virginia Center for Politics, who predict the probable outcomes of House races, recently wrote that the House GOP would gain seats ‘somewhere in the 20s.’... In addition, analysts from the Cook Political Report, who also predict the probable outcome of House races, shifted their outlook on the midterm elections, noting that the net Republican gains could be between 20 and 35 seats.”

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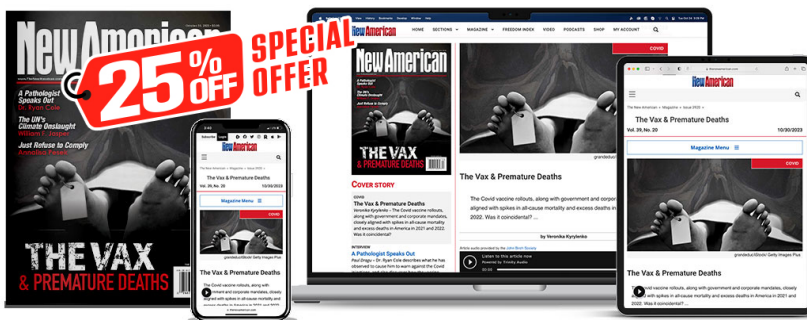


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