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There are still some self-proclaimed rulers of the republican party trying to block Trump’s nomination.

Can you believe the news since the last primaries on Tuesday? There are still a few republican elitists saying that they still need to figure a way to stop Trump’s nomination. Can you believe this? They are citing two main reasons. First, they don’t like his sometimes rough language and comments. Second, they don’t see him as a true conservative.

Let’s take those issues. His sometimes rough and blustery language--much of it now focusing on last week’s criticism of a judge ruling on his civil case. Please note this is a civil case, not criminal. Criminal, like Clinton is possibly going to be charged with. Anyway, Trump is mad at the judge for not dismissing the case, and feels that there must be some other reason that legal he wouldn’t drop the case.

The reason for Trump’s displeasure is this. In case you haven’t heard this in the largely liberal-leaning media, the plaintiffs started the case against in the name of a certain plaintiff, which is required by law. It was recently discovered that this initial plaintiff, who started the case, was found on video and in writing complimenting Trump University. The attorneys decided that she was probably not a good plaintiff for the case. They asked for a hearing to drop her from the case. The judge approved dropping her from the case. Usually, when a court drops the initial main plaintiff from a civil suit, the whole case gets dropped, which is what Trump’s attorneys argued for. They were denied. The attorneys for the case are huge supporters and donators to the Clinton campaigns and have been for years. In Trump’s total confusion as to why the judge wouldn’t drop the case, he surmised it must be for some other personal reasons (possibly because he is running against Clinton, or because he plans on building a wall to stop illegal immigrants from coming into the U.S. illegally. I don’t think he should have said it the way he did, that the judge ruled that way because his parents were Mexicans. I won’t make an excuse for that; however, he should have phrased it in the proper context. Now we have republican elitists still banging on Trump for it.

The second reason they state to fight Trump is they feel Trump is not a true conservative. Who do they think they are? Trump is conservative over many of the things that really matter, such as the 2nd amendment is an individual right, repealing Obama care, getting control over illegal immigration, rebuilding the military, reducing the deficit, taking care of our veterans, and stopping the influx of refugees until we have a system to screen them to stop terrorists from sneaking into the country. He also wants to cancel the Iran deal. What’s their beef? It has to do with trade agreements Trump wants to renegotiate. He believes they are unfair to American workers. The elitists believe the open trade agreements are good for the country and business. Now understand this, of all the people running, which candidate would have the most knowledge as to how well the trade agreements are working for business and our workers? I’d have to say Trump would have the best insight to this issue. He has not said all the agreements have to go away and the country move to isolationism, like they charge. He is saying every agreement needs to be reviewed. He has said if the agreement is found to be good for the U.S., then it stays in place. If not good for the U.S., then renegotiate. What’s wrong with that?

Then there is the final reason to stop him, and it has nothing to do with conservatism, only politics. The entrenched power players of the party believe Trump is racist, a bigot, and not a favorite of women. They believe he can’t win with that rhetoric. This is mainly driven to heated fever by the liberal media. Here’s a guy that we, the people, have voted for with millions of votes over any other republican in history, including Romney in the last election. Here we have a loser, like Romney, saying Trump will lose the election. Romney is an expert on losing, for sure. Trump comes along and does things differently, and he wins the nomination with more voters than ever. These elitists think they know better how to win the election. They still don’t get how mad Trump’s supporters are. We are mad at the establishment.

Finally, remember, this election is about the Supreme Court. The next president already will appoint one new justice. Do we want the appointment to be a judge that interprets the constitution as our forefathers wrote it? Or do we want a judge appointed who believes the constitution is just a living document that needs to change in accordance with the whims of the current times, without the process required to change the constitution? If these elitists don’t get behind Trump, they are handing the Supreme Court to Clinton to appoint liberal activist judges for generations to come.

In conclusion, they need to get over it. Their power play is about to be crushed by we, the people. Who do they think they are to ignore the will of the people? If these people say they are the true conservatives, why would they do anything to hand the Supreme Court to Clinton?

I’m Tom Wiknich, and that’s what I think. I’d like to know what you think. If you have any comments about this editorial, or would like to discuss or recommend a topic, I’d like to hear from you. Please email them to info@kzgn.net.