



**Melissa Hortman**, the MN House Democratic leader, was the only member of her party to vote in favor of repealing taxpayer-funded healthcare coverage for adult undocumented immigrants as part of the state’s budget bill in June 2025. The vote, which passed 68-65, drew significant backlash, and Hortman was emotionally distressed afterwards. Days after the vote, Hortman and her husband were fatally shot at their home by Vance Luther Boelter who later attacked Democratic state senator John Hoffman and his wife, leaving them gravely injured. Law enforcement described the incident as an act of political violence, and a potential “hit list” was found in Boelter’s vehicle, though his exact motive remains under investigation.

*How about just plain nuts? There’s a lot of that going on around MN.*

*On a lighter note:* President Donald Trump is barring five “agents of the global censorship-industrial complex” from entering the United States. “Their conduct may have been legal, and even socially acceptable, in the countries where they operate, but censorship is unwelcome in our nation.” Former EU Commissioner Thierry Breton and Imran Ahmed, the chief executive of the Centre for Countering Digital Hate, are subject to deportation.

## The Frank Report



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*All the news I see fit to print.*

***Freedom of the press belongs to those who own one.***

There are 193 recognized countries in the world. 177 of them receive money from the US taxpayer. That’s 91.7% of the world with their hand out primarily through NGO’s funded by our government.

An NGO is a non-government organization that has received taxpayer money for its operation. The combined assets of these NGO’s exceed \$14 TRILLION. How they have hoarded this much money...most of it from USAID...has finally been addressed by the Trump administration.

Secretary of State Marco Rubio made it very clear that the days of NGOs, an integral part of the ‘Foreign Aid Industrial Complex’, sending aid often in direct opposition to America’s priorities, are over. *“Every public servant has an obligation to American citizens to ensure any programs they fund advance our nation’s interests”.*

During the Trump Administration’s thorough review of thousands of programs, and over \$715 billion in inflation-adjusted spending over the decades, it became apparent the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) fell well below this standard.”

As of December 21, 2025, USAID is no longer operating in its traditional capacity. The agency's foreign aid operations officially ceased as of July 1, 2025, with U.S. foreign assistance being transferred to the U.S. State Department. While USAID legally still exists as a de jure agency—since it can only be formally dissolved by an act of Congress—its functions have been largely dismantled.

*Meanwhile:* every government agency is using less than half of its office space, with the State Department using 49% of its office space, which was the highest total. The USPS has no reliable data on how it uses its buildings, no comprehensive strategy to reduce waste, and no recorded space assessments for over 21,500 of its 34,000 buildings. Only six out of 24 agencies had building utilization rates below the Transportation Department’s 14%, with the Social Security Administration having the lowest utilization rate at 7%. Selling and cancelling rent on buildings will generate \$400 million in immediate revenue, but also save \$2.9 billion in annual maintenance costs and streamline the process to sell the other buildings.

*The Trump admin is making sure this is happening.*



## Did you know this?

Biden won Georgia by 11,779 votes. Now, over five years later, they admit 315,000 votes in Georgia were actually counted illegally...and Rudy Giuliani was charged with 13 felonies, found liable for \$148M in damages, and disbarred in DC and NY for disputing Georgia's election returns.

AND

Eric Swalwell is running for CA Governor but doesn’t live in CA. You have to live there for five years to be eligible. Same with Schiff who is illegally in office as is Swalwell. Must be OK because they are Democrats?

AND

Ihlan Omar is in the middle of the \$9 billion MN fraud but no one has asked her how she is now worth \$30 million on a \$174k salary? Lottery ticket?

AND

State officials in Democrat Gov. Tim Walz’s MN continue to send millions in funding to a Somali charity after the group’s chairman has been charged in a \$9 million fraud case.

AND

Kamalpreet Singh, the ILLEGAL truck driver who caused a deadly crash in WA, has been RELEASED from prison after paying a \$100,000 bond. The money was then RETURNED to him after prosecutors failed to follow up on the case. *Did they find out he’s a registered Democrat?*

**curmudgeon  
quotes**



***Gambling is a disease where you can win a bunch of money.***

***If alcoholism is a disease, it might be the best one.***

***“Don’t forget to wear a warm coat this winter so the person next to you won’t freeze to death”. (Tip from Dr. Fauci)***

***Why didn’t Democrats call for gun bans after President Trump was shot?***

***Nothing gets a mass shooter off the news faster than finding out he’s a Democrat.***

***The primary cause of islamophobia is the behavior of muslims.***

***After destroying medical care with Obamacare, Democrats are mad at Republicans for not fixing it.***

***Democrats threatened us with fines if we didn’t buy Obamacare and then gave it to illegals free.***

***People do terrible things for money like getting up early and going to work..***

***97% of climate scientists agree that they don’t want to be defunded.***

***Don’t let your personality become a diagnosis.***

***Biden allegedly got 81 million votes but he can’t get any contributions for his library? They spent all their money on the votes?***

***If a tree falls and there is nobody around to hear it it DOES make a sound: MEOW!***

***Note to free speech “advocates”: it includes the ability to talk back to you without being called racist.***

**Dan Bongino: co-Deputy Director of the FBI, is resigning to return to private life. Why?**



Dan is a former Secret Service agent assigned to Presidential Protection and has over 16 years of law enforcement experience. He received a Department of Justice award for his work on financial fraud investigations. He has post graduate degrees in psychology and business admin. His podcast was not only popular, it was a substantial source of his \$150 million net worth that includes a minority stake in Rumble, a direct competitor to YouTube. Rumble has become a favorite platform and outlet for many conservative figures including President Trump. Dan’s tenure at the FBI, while brief, was substantial. Why he’s leaving maybe revealed by Trump:

*“Dan did a great job.  
I think he wants to go back to his show.”*

FBI Director Kash Patel had this to say: *“Dan is the best partner I could’ve asked for in helping restore this FBI. He brought critical reforms to make the organization more efficient, led the successful Summer Heat op, served as the people’s voice for transparency, and delivered major breakthroughs in long unsolved cases like the pipe bomb investigation. And that’s only a small part of the work he went about every single day delivering for America. He not only completed his mission - he far exceeded it. We will miss him but I’m thankful he accepted the call to serve. Our country is better and safer for it”.*

The **Summer Heat operation** resulted in 8,629 arrests, over 6,500 of which were linked to the FBI’s Violent Crime and Gang program. A total of 2,281 firearms, 44,569 kilograms of cocaine, and 421 kilograms of fentanyl—enough to kill 50 million Americans—were seized during the operation. A key focus of Operation Summer Heat was the identification and rescue of child victims. Agents located or identified 1,053 children, victims of trafficking, abduction, or abuse.

*I’m guessing Dan had something to do with this given his background on fraud investigations and previous service in the Secret Service:*

The FBI said they can neither confirm nor deny that they are investigating a Secret Service agent in a major tax fraud case -- in which the allegations involve the agent claiming to help domestic violence victims and inner-city youth but failing to provide those services while collecting more than \$2 million in donations. There are more than two dozen Secret Service agents who used this agent’s tax services and could be involved in fraud.

**Tidbits**

*(a small and particularly interesting item of gossip or information)*

San Diego school district teaches young kids 28 sexual orientations, 9 gender identities. *Maybe it’s the new math?*

Federal government employment is down by 271,000 and a net jobs gain of 64,000 while native-born Americans employed is up more than 2,600,000 over the past twelve months. The number of foreign-born workers employed has fallen by 21,000.

Minnesota Keith Ellison announced a settlement with car makers Kia and Hyundai on Wednesday, somehow making it a public safety issue that Kia and Hyundai vehicles were too easy to steal. So, now people who have had their cars stolen will receive millions in restitution.

Inflation Slowed to 2.7 Percent in November—Much Lower Than Expected

FBI Raids Somali-Owned ‘Health Services’ Business in MN as Fraud Exceeds \$9 Billion

Soros DA (who will surely be sued) Ignores ICE Detainer, Releases El Salvadorian Illegal Who Commits Murder the Very Next Day.

D.O.G.E. has finished its clean-up of Social Security and have remove a total of 12.3 MILLION fraud from Social Security.

Ex-FDA commissioners against higher vaccine standards got \$6 million from COVID vax makers.

***Until next week...***

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