

Resolution of Condemnation - U.S. Senator Thom Tillis

Whereas, in April 2017, during a live television interview with Tucker Carlson on the Fox News Channel, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis expressed public disagreement with President Trump about the need for a border wall on the U.S. Southern Border, in opposition to North Carolina Republican Party Platform Article X (Federal Policy), Item #6 (National Security); and

Whereas, in July 2017, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis placed a politically motivated “hold” on President Trump’s appointment of Lee Francis Cissna as Director of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services when the border crisis necessitated prompt action for his appointment, in opposition to North Carolina Republican Party Platform Article X (Federal Policy), Item #1 (Constitution and Separation of Powers) and Item #6 (National Security); and

Whereas, in April 2018 and again in January 2019, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis sponsored and sought passage of S. 2644 (Special Counsel Independence and Integrity Act), which would have usurped authority from the DOJ and serve as a threat to the executive authority of President Trump, in opposition to Article X (Federal Policy), Item #1 (Constitution and Separation of Powers); and

Whereas, in October 2018, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis officially celebrated the 24th anniversary of the Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR), labeled a terrorist organization by the United Arab Emirates and an advocate of the dissolution of Israel, in opposition to the North Carolina Republican Party Platform Article X (Federal Policy), Item #8 (Israeli Sovereignty); and

Whereas, in December 2021, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis voted with the left-leaning opposition party on H.R. 3684 (Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act), which inappropriately subsidized the electric car industry and substantially increased the nation’s debt, in opposition to the North Carolina Republican Party Platform Article II (The Economy), Item #7 (Energy and Subsidies); and

Whereas, in November 2022, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis collaborated with the left to pass H.R. 8404 (Respect for Marriage Act), which federally redefined marriage, threatened religious freedom, and nationalized policies that subvert Judeo-Christian values, in opposition to the North Carolina Republican Party Platform Article I (Family), Item #2 (Traditional Marriage); and

Whereas, in December 2022, U.S. Senator Thom Tillis very publicly colluded with the left to enact a comprehensive immigration reform act bypassing the newly elected House leadership in the lame duck session of Congress, in opposition to North Carolina Republican Party Platform Article X (Federal Policy), Item #7 (Immigration and Amnesty); and

Whereas, during President Trump’s cabinet selection and vetting process in early 2025, Senator Tillis did willfully seek to undermine the candidacy of President Trump’s nominee for Secretary of Defense, Pete Hegseth, by colluding with unreliable third parties to provide claims of abusive private behavior by Mr. Hegseth, which proved to be completely unsubstantiated; and

Whereas, the Union County Republican Party is committed to upholding our state and federal Republican Party Platforms and seeks to hold elected Republican officials accountable to those conservative ideals, enforcing discipline among our elected officials to preserve the party’s image, reputation, and respect.

Therefore, be it resolved, the Union County Republican Party finds the sustained pattern of behavior by U.S. Senator Thom Tillis is in direct violation of the national, state, and local Republican party platforms, making him unworthy to hold office as a U.S. Senator from North Carolina.

Be it further resolved, in accordance with the provisions of the Union County Plan of Organization, dated 15 March 2025, the Union County Republican Party adopts this Resolution of Condemnation, and will withhold all support for U.S. Senator Thom Tillis as a candidate for public office representing the Republican Party throughout the 2026 federal election cycle; including, but not limited to access to county party resources and gatherings.

Adopted: 15 March 2025

Allison Powers
Chairman

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Secretary