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To: [All Republican Senators & Representatives]

Subject: Invite -Tuesday Sept. 20th Article V COS (HR 109) Briefing / Q&A

Good afternoon,

Article V. Convention. As you may know, the Article V convention issue is very heated among Republicans.

While I currently support Convention of States **HR 109 (S152)** Pennsylvania's application for Congress to call a convention under Article V which the "Convention of States" (COS) organization is promoting, I find it worrisome for us to be at each other's throats over such a serious issue.

Therefore, I think it's crucial we hear from the expert opposition directly and understand why those who oppose an Article V convention warn against it so strongly.

Accordingly, I want to make you aware of several back-to-back sessions with Joanna Martin, JD this coming Tuesday, Sept. 20th. Joanna is a retired litigation attorney, a constitutional scholar, and expert on the Article V Convention issue. She's been a national speaker and writer on this topic for the past decade and writes under the pen name Publius Huldah. Ms. Martin is opposed to an Article V Convention, and I'm looking forward to finding out why.

Most of us have heard extensively from the proponents through Mark Meckler, President of "Convention of States," and their lobbyist, former US Senator Rick Santorum.

Several conservative citizens groups are adamantly opposed to an Article V Convention, including the largest gun group in Pennsylvania. Republican Legislators on both sides of the issue appear to agree on most issues of significance except an Article V convention.

I know I certainly want to learn as much as possible before making a final decision on such an important issue. I hope you can make time to meet with Joanna and bring your questions on Tuesday Sept. 20th:

- Who: Joanna Martin, JD
- What: The conservative opposition to an Article V convention (15 - 20 minutes; then Q&A)
- Where: The Ryan office Library
- When: Tuesday Sept. 20th @ 10:00 am, 11:00 am, or Noon
- Invited: All Republican Representatives & Senators
- Note: Please RSVP to charlfinger@pahousegop.com if you'll be eating (and which session), so we can plan food accordingly.

In Liberty,

Rep. Mike Jones

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