

# 182.2%

"DEDICATED TO PUTTING AMERICA LAST"

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*The Resolute Desk was a gift from England's Queen Victoria to then-President Rutherford B. Hayes in November 1880 ([public domain](#))*

(Mar. 9, 2022) — By the time you read this, the post's title will be outdated: the number will be higher.

The average price of gasoline on Jan. 6, 2021 was [\\$2.25/gal.](#) In the 14 months that [Brand](#)..., oops..., sorry..., the Goofball has occupied the Oval Office, the price has skyrocketed to a nationwide average of [\\$4.10/gal.](#), and in some places in the People's Republic of California, far higher.

Yes, Virginia, that is an increase of over 182% *in just 14 months*. And it shows every sign of going higher... *much* higher.

While the invasion of Ukraine by Russia and the threat of a cutoff of Russian-sourced oil are responsible for part of the increase, a significant portion of the explosion is directly traceable to the Goofball's lunatic "go green" cancellation of the Keystone XL Pipeline and termination of oil and gas leasing permits on federal lands.

Moreover, the Goof's failure to correctly and sanely anticipate the spike – assuring everyone that economic "sanctions" on Russia *other* than those impacting its oil and gas revenues would prevent him from invading Ukraine – has now exponentially worsened the situation.

Memo #1 to the Goof: Putin ain't [Corn Pop](#).

Whether or not one agrees with the decision to now bar importation of Russian-sourced oil into the United States, his entirely incompetent "day-late-and-a-dollar-short" decision

to further “sanction” Putin gives new meaning to the term “clueless.” This, of course, while furtively begging Venezuela and Iran to pump more oil for U.S. consumption.

While crippling the nation’s oil and gas independence – which existed under President Trump – in order to meet the demands of The Squad and radical environmentalists, the Goofball now seeks oil from terrorist regimes which shout “Death to America” in the streets. What, pray tell, is wrong with that picture?

And the “Marie Antoinette” solution belched up by leftists to simply go out and buy an [electric car](#) merely underscores how out of touch – and irredeemably stupid – the Left has become. And by “the Left,” your humble servant includes virtually every Democrat in Congress.

The “perfect storm” of the Goof’s underlying innate incompetence, coupled with his cancellation of Keystone XL upon taking office and exacerbated by the completely avoidable invasion of Ukraine by Russia now threatens Americans – as well as a bunch of illegal aliens... c’mon, man, how unfair is *that*...? – with gasoline prices that could break the nation’s economic back. But as far as research can determine, there is no truth to the rumor that the Border Patrol will be provided with \$2,000 gasoline debit cards to be handed out as illegal aliens are released into the country’s interior.

When the Second Usurper in Chief (“SUC”) admonished us to never underestimate the Goof’s “ability to [#@&% things up](#)...,” the only adverb he should have added at the end of the warning was: “royally.”

If you thought that \$6.00-per-gallon gasoline and a 15% annual inflation rate was bad, what would you think of \$10.00-per-gallon gas and a 20% inflation rate? Again, gasoline has skyrocketed by over 180% in just 14 months. Make no mistake, under the rules of engagement being followed by the Goof, the nation is on a trajectory to meet or even exceed those numbers.

For a *long* time, your humble servant has been advocating an “out-of-the-box” solution to the metastasizing malignancy of the Goofball in the Oval Office. It is *way* past time to revisit consideration of that option. Each day that the Goofball remains in office presents a more ominous “clear and present danger” to the survival of the Republic. Stated otherwise, the Goof needs to go. Now. And since he lacks the cognitive ability to comprehend that necessity by voluntarily resigning, other means must be deployed.

As initially discussed [here](#), if but a few of the 31 House Democrats who have already announced their [retirement](#) would *today* change their party affiliation to GOP, setting the stage for replacing the current mendacious excuse for a House Speaker with a Republican equipped with a titanium backbone – please, no RINO’s need apply – impeachment proceedings could begin immediately. No time to waste.

Yes, it would still take a two-thirds vote in the Senate to convict and remove the Goof. But with all of the chaos and catastrophes he has *thus far* visited on the nation in only 14

months – and self-inflicted energy price wounds continuing to hemorrhage – there just might be a chance that the “world’s greatest deliberative body” (*sic*) could “do the right thing,” Kamala Harris’s likely constitutional ineligibility notwithstanding.

But continuing down a path with an incompetent charlatan who is surrounded by enablers and apparatchiks dedicated to the goal of putting “America last” is not an option. To all who voted for this clown: [Are you happy now?](#)

Memo #2 to the Goof: Put the ice cream cone down, interlace your fingers behind your head and back away from the Resolute Desk.