Balance the Budget Now! Fundraising Auction

Balance the Budget Now!, a fiscally conservative PAC is holding an auction to raise funds and awareness in DX-4 for the GOP Assembly List. Nick Kirkman is the presiding auctioneer.

Welcome ladies and gentleman to our bi-annual auction to ensure fiscal restraint in the upcoming legislative assembly session. We have some unique items to auction off tonight from each of the candidates that embody the values our organization seeks to establish in the Dixie Assembly. We really would like to balance the state budget, which was sadly vetoed by our Governor. If you would like to learn about volunteer opportunities we have available, there are plenty as the election season is hot right now. Please check in with Jerry in the back to get involved in our ground operations.

The first item of the night is from newer candidate /u/skinnyjosh. He has donated a pair of Beats headphones that he wore when he was flying into the Texas to start his campaign. These headphones have fantastic craftsmanship and noise-cancelling ability. /u/skinnyjosh says he missed out on hearing any of his campaign manager's advice for his latest campaign stop while he was wearing them. We'll start the bidding at \$100.

After dozens of rounds, the headphones are sold for \$275

The second item up for auction is /u/Tajec's signed copy of Rothbard's *America's Great Depression*. /u/Tajec received this book as a young man in high school, so it's a tad worn. It contains excellent information regarding the Federal Reserve and the dangers of Keynesian economic theory. The assemblyman has treasured this piece of literature throughout the years and he has signed it specifically for this auction. We'll start the bidding at \$75.

After numerous rounds, the book sells for \$180

The next item we have today is from candidate /u/FlanderDragoon. We have from him this evening, his 1996 Toyota Corolla. This vehicle has over two hundred thousand miles on it and is still in good road condition. The timing belt and rotors were recently replaced so it will run smoothly. It's a front wheel drive automatic with power windows and doors. The candidate used to drive this car to college and back and there have been a handful of romantic moments inside. We'll start the bidding at \$2000.

After a few rounds, the car sells for \$2500

Our final item of the evening is from /u/Swagmir_Putin. We're auctioning off a pair of his iconic aviator sunglasses. The assemblyman has made several notable appearances wearing these shades and it's become part of his political persona. They deflect UV light and the lenses darken as the intensity increases. We will start the bidding at \$40.

The bidding goes on for several minutes as donors try to claim the iconic shades. They eventually sell for \$750

Thank you all for attending! We will be using all of the proceeds to support each of these candidates in their campaigns for State Assembly. Again, if you wish to help us with outreach or campaigning Jerry will kindly sign you up in the back. Drive safely, especially to the gentleman who bought the Toyota!