



An error-ridden blog doesn't shoot straight on prevailing wage

Daily Kos.com, 8/26/2011

With Cantor's Playbook In Hand, VA Op-Ed Says Suspend the Prevailing Wage During Disaster Relief

The op-ed, written by a senior research associate at the National Institute for Labor Relations, attacks the prevailing wage as an antiquated policy forced on the country by unions who (it's difficult to quote such filth) "promoted white supremacy as well as union monopoly."

Mitt Romney and Newt Gingrich Agree: It's Okay for the Feds to Force Workers to Pay Tribute to Union Bosses

Biggovernment Online, 8/26/2011

Attention Mr. Romney and Mr. Gingrich: Right To Work is not a states' rights issue, it is a freedom issue. The Federal government should not mandate compulsory unionism.

Why the Labor Movement Moved Left

Wall Street Journal Online, 8/26/2011

"The California Teachers Association does not poll its members on how it spends its political money," Larry Sand, a union critic and 28-year veteran of the state's school system, observes. Instead, union leaders vigorously oppose efforts to allow their members more control over how their dues are spent.

Support Workers, Not Pushy Unions, This Labor Day: Amity Shlaes

bloomberg.com,8/29/2011

That's the Labor Day message Americans have received for three-quarters of a century from both organized labor and the National Labor Relations Board. These days the pushiness is still evident.

Chairman Liebman Departs NLRB As Third Term Ends; Member Pearce Designated New Chairman

nrlrb.gov, 8/27/2011

"I am honored to be given this awesome responsibility which was performed with grace and distinction by Wilma Liebman," Member Pearce said. "I will be eternally grateful for

her steadfast leadership, scholarship and exemplary service to this agency and the labor-management community. I wish her the best.”

National Labor Relations Board oversteps role with new rule

Las Vegas Review Journal Online, 8/29/2011

The National Labor Relations Board has approved a new rule requiring private employers to display posters telling workers about their right to form a union, as well as their right to distribute union literature and engage in other union activities without reprisal.

An open letter to GOP NLRB member Brian Hayes: Please resign immediately

Redstate.com, 8/29/2011

Unfortunately, the Obama NLRB has become nothing more than a tool for union bosses whose agenda is to unionize employers at the expense of both jobs and employee freedom. Only you, at this moment in time, have the ability to stop this. Hopefully, your resignation will help incapacitate the NLRB until after the 2012 elections, when the American people will have the ability to democratically decide the role our government should be playing in propping up labor union bosses.

Judge nixes county's pro-union giveaways

Las Vegas Journal-Review, 8/27/2011

This month, District Judge Jerry Wiese called the county on its union pandering. In a case brought by the Nevada Business Coalition and the state chapter of the Association of Builders and Contractors against the county, Judge Wiese said the proposed project labor agreement for the jail does not comply with state bidding statutes because it does not promote competition and fairness and instead promotes favoritism toward unions.

Small business group backs Ohio's new union law

Houston Chronicle Online, 8/22/2011

The National Federation of Independent Business in Ohio said Monday its membership overwhelmingly supports upholding the law. The association's executive director says the measure gives government officials the needed flexibility to control their costs.

Will the Democrats Trump Trumka

8/28/2011

Things rarely turn out the way I would have imagined them to, and President Obama and the Democrats might soon find that to be true of AFL-CIO head Richard Trumka. I sure did.

Big Labor Targets the Carolinas

lincolntribune.com, 8/28/2011

However, using what leverage they have in the federal government and Democratic Party, the unions are now trying to make the Right to Work Carolinas pay.

Twelve of the construction and building trades unions in the AFL-CIO have announced that they will boycott the 2012 Democratic National Convention in Charlotte due to North Carolina's labor laws. The unions represent 2.5 million workers.