

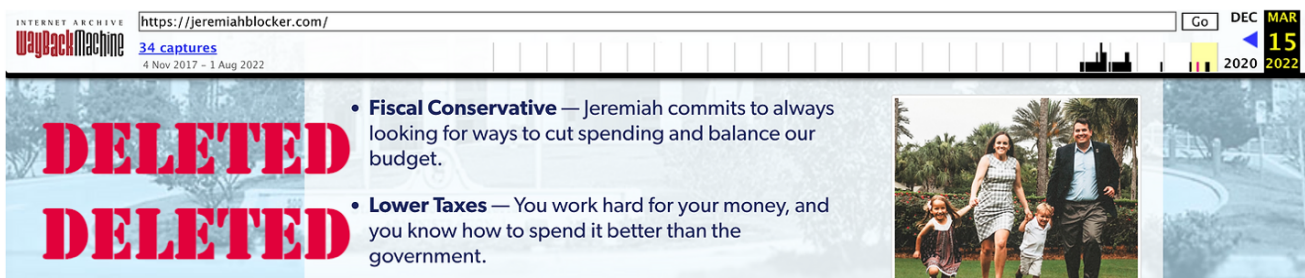
My response to Commissioner Blocker's blatant lies about me.

LIE #1: BLOCKER SAYS I'M NOT FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE.

TRUTH: My house is paid off. I have no credit card debt. Blocker has enormous debt. Apparently, he can't make ends meet without getting himself exempted from paying his own property taxes which he did this year. He's also the principal officer in a nonprofit and he's failing to file the required IRS returns. The organization began paying him from untraceable sources soon after he became commissioner (currently \$110,000/yr.)

LIE #2: BLOCKER SAYS I'M NOT A FISCAL CONSERVATIVE.

TRUTH: Blocker deleted the words "Fiscal Conservative" from his campaign website in June. He also deleted "Lower taxes." Here's a screensave of his website in March of this year:



Blocker is pushing a 15% sales tax increase to fund infrastructure for his developer donors. I oppose such a tax. Who's the fiscal conservative?

LIES #3 & 4: BLOCKER SAYS I AM "PERSONALLY FUNDING DEMOCRATS" AND "DEMOCRATS ARE PULLING THE STRINGS"

TRUTH: Forty years ago, at age 22, I donated to astronaut John Glenn and one other Democrat. I have only voted (and donated) Republican ever since. It's 100% lie to say I don't support Republicans. My many Republican campaign donations are all on record.

LIES #5 & 6: "TWO SEPARATE FORECLOSURES" AND "OWING TAXES"

TRUTH: Here are the details of our past chapter 11 reorganization:

My husband had a life-threatening injury that left him disabled and unable to perform surgery for 3 years. Our insurance company delayed paying our disability claim for five years, and without my husband's income, we went through savings and were forced into a Chapter 11 reorganization. It was a terrible year. I was diagnosed with thyroid cancer and my son lost his life in a fire with ISIS. I'm fully recovered, and we've been solvent since my husband's rehabilitation, having paid every one of our debts including paying off our home. There was *one* foreclosure, not two, which resulted in a profit after fully repaying the bank. No back taxes are owed. I'm financially independent and beholden to no one.

I've risen above adversity time and again, and I have the strength and resolve to take St. Johns County back from the stranglehold of developer-driven government.