Hedge Funds Push Republicans to Embrace Homosexual Rights

The modern “gay rights” movement was started by a member of the Communist Party by the name of Harry Hay. In 1998, he was invited to address the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force’s Creating Change Conference. And after his death on October 24, 2002, the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force and the Human Rights Campaign issued laudatory press releases about him. These are the so-called mainstream gay-rights organizations today. But Hay not only promoted homosexual rights, he actively campaigned for the "rights" of pedophiles. The Boston Phoenix noted that nowhere was this more evident than in Hay’s persistent support of the right of the North American Man-Boy Love Association, NAMBLA, to march in gay-pride parades. This organization maintains a website, and its home page features a tribute to Harry Hay. It also shows a photo of him at a NAMBLA event in 1994 and a transcript of his remarks.

Hay wasn’t a member of NAMBLA, but said that he wanted to "give honor to the men who were there" for him when he was between 9 and 14 years of age and had sexual experiences. He said they "reached out in love" and "gave me the opportunity to learn love and trust at a very early age." He went on to describe sexual experiences he had with men as a young boy. His wife had obtained a divorce, alleging extreme cruelty.

Today, leading Republicans are now pumping millions of dollars into the campaign to normalize homosexual activity, even “gay marriage.” These individuals include:

- **Paul E. Singer**, the founder and CEO of hedge fund Elliott Management Corporation and The Paul E. Singer Family Foundation
- **Peter Thiel**, Facebook's first institutional investor, is a homosexual activist who co-founded the PayPal company and has links to libertarian think tanks such as the Cato Institute.
- **Benjamin Ginsberg** served as national counsel to the Bush-Cheney and Mitt Romney presidential campaigns.
Peter Thiel runs Clarium Capital Management, a $2 billion hedge fund, while Paul E. Singer runs Elliott Management, a $17 billion hedge fund. Both are members of the powerful Managed Funds Association that also includes George Soros.

A tribute to Harry Hay on the website of NAMBLA

Their influence is demonstrated not only in direct funding for the homosexual movement but grants to conservative organizations which then shy away from the controversy. Conservative and libertarian groups funded by Singer include:

- The American Enterprise Institute
- Atlas Economic Research Organization
- The Claremont Institute
- The Manhattan Institute

Groups directly funded by Thiel include:

- The Hudson Institute
- The Ayn Rand Institute
- The Independent Institute
- The Acton Institute

Homosexual rights organizations supported by Thiel include:

- GOProud
- The American Foundation for Equal Rights

The GOProud Board of Directors includes:

- Christopher R. Barron
The Advisory Board of the American Foundation for Equal Rights includes Robert A.
Levy, chairman of the libertarian Cato Institute, and John Podesta, President and CEO
of the progressive Center for American Progress, as co-chairs. Other members were:

- Julian Bond
- Lt. Dan Choi
- Margaret Hoover
- Dolores Huerta
- Cleve Jones
- Stuart Milk
- David Mixner
- Hillary Rosen
- Judy Shepard

Senator John McCain’s 2008 presidential campaign manager, Steve Schmidt, endorsed
homosexual marriage in a speech before the Log Cabin Republicans.

All of this serves to validate the thesis of the controversial 2007 book, Not Holier Than
Thou, written by the late Alan Stang, making the case that homosexuals and their
sympathizers occupy important positions of power in the Republican Party. The book
includes a letter from former Massachusetts Governor Mitt Romney, the 2012 GOP
presidential candidate, promising a Log Cabin affiliate in the Bay State that he would
embrace the gay rights agenda, including gays in the military.

What many Republicans have decided to ignore is that America’s founders regarded
homosexuality as a crime against nature and it was prohibited in the states and the
military. This view was grounded in America’s Judeo-Christian legal traditions.

Robert Gagnon, associate professor of New Testament at the Pittsburgh Theological
Seminary and the author of The Bible and Homosexual Practice, is one of the leading
authorities on the issue. He says that Christianity has always taught that marriage
involves a man and a woman and that homosexuality is prohibited in the Bible because
it is unnatural and sinful.

The American Foundation for Equal Rights challenged California’s Proposition 8, a 2008
ban on gay marriage now being reviewed by the Supreme Court. Romney campaign
names on the brief for homosexual marriage included:
Beth Myers, Romney’s closest aide in the campaign; Ben Ginsberg, the campaign's lawyer; David Kochel, the campaign’s main strategist in Iowa (where Romney worked hard to win the support of Republicans for whom traditional marriage is a key issue); Katie Biber, the campaign’s general counsel; Lee Rudofsky, the deputy general counsel; and Alex Lundry, a top tech official in the campaign.


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**Support for Gay Marriage, By Partisan Identification**

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Here is the complete list of all 131 Republicans who signed on to the brief for homosexual marriage:

- Kenneth B. Mehlman, Chairman, Republican National Committee, 2005-2007
- Tim Adams, Undersecretary of the Treasury for International Affairs, 2005-2007
- Cliff S. Asness, Businessman, Philanthropist, and Author
- David D. Aufhauser, General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, 2001-2003
- Charles Bass, Member of Congress, 1995-2007 and 2011-2013
- John B. Bellinger III, Legal Adviser to the Department of State, 2005-2009
- Katie Biber, General Counsel, Romney for President, 2007-2008 and 2011-2012
- Mary Bono Mack, Member of Congress, 1998-2013
- William A. Burck, Deputy Staff Secretary, Special Counsel, and Deputy Counsel to the President, 2005-2009
- Alex Castellanos, Republican Media Advisor
- Paul Cellucci, Governor of Massachusetts, 1997-2001, and Ambassador to Canada, 2001-2005
- David C. Chavern, Business Association Executive
Thomas J. Christensen, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs, 2006-2008
Jim Cicconi, Assistant to the President and Deputy to the Chief of Staff, 1989-1990
Jeff Cook-McCormac, Senior Advisor, American Unity PAC
Julie Cram, Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of the White House Office of Public Liaison, 2007-2009
S.E. Cupp, Author and Political Commentator
Michele Davis, Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs and Director of Policy Planning, Department of the Treasury, 2006-2009
Tyler Deaton, Secretary, New Hampshire Young Republicans, 2011-Present
Alicia Davis Downs, Associate Political Director, White House, 2001-2003
Kenneth M. Duberstein, White House Chief of Staff and Assistant to the President, 1981-1984 and 1987-1989
Janet Duprey, New York State Assemblywoman, 2007-Present
Clint Eastwood, Producer, Director, Actor, and Mayor of Carmel, California, 1986-1988
Christian J. Edwards, Special Assistant to the President and Director of Press Advance, 2005-2007
Lew Eisenberg, Finance Chairman, Republican National Committee, 2002-2004
Mark J. Ellis, State Chairman, Maine Republican Party, 2005-2006 and 2007-2009
Elizabeth Noyer Feld, Public Affairs Specialist, White House Office of Management and Budget, 1984-1987
Charles Freeman, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for China Affairs, 2002-2005
David Frum, Author and Special Assistant to the President, 2001-2002
Reed Galen, Director of Scheduling and Advance, Bush-Cheney 2004, 2003-2004
Richard Galen, Communications Director, Speaker's Political Office, 1996-1997
Mark Gerson, Chairman, Gerson Lehrman Group and Author of The Neoconservative Vision: From the Cold War to the Culture Wars and In the Classroom: Dispatches from an Inner-City School that Works
Benjamin Ginsberg, National Counsel, Bush-Cheney 2000 and 2004
Josh Ginsberg, National Field Director, Romney for President, 2007-2008
Juleanna Glover, Press Secretary to the Vice President, 2001-2002
John Goodwin, Chief of Staff to Raul Labrador, Member of Congress, 2011-2013
Adrian Gray, Director of Strategy, Republican National Committee, 2005-2007
Mark Grisanti, New York State Senator, 2011-Present
• Patrick Guerriero, Mayor of Melrose, Massachusetts, and Member of Massachusetts House of Representatives, 1993-2001
• Carlos Gutierrez, Secretary of Commerce, 2005-2009
• Stephen Hadley, Assistant to the President and National Security Advisor, 2005-2009
• Richard L. Hanna, Member of Congress, 2011-Present
• Jill Hazelbaker, Communications Director, John McCain for President, 2007-2008
• Israel Hernandez, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for International Trade, 2005-2009
• Douglas Holtz-Eakin, Director, Congressional Budget Office, 2003-2005
• Margaret Hoover, Advisor to the Deputy Secretary of Homeland Security, 2005-2006
• Michael Huffington, Member of Congress, 1993-1995
• Jon Huntsman, Governor of Utah, 2005-2009, and Ambassador to China, 2009-2011
• David A. Javdan, General Counsel, U.S. Small Business Administration, 2002-2006
• Greg Jenkins, Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of Presidential Advance, 2003-2004
• Coddy Johnson, National Field Director, Bush-Cheney 2004, 2003-2004
• Gary Johnson, Governor of New Mexico, 1995-2003, and Libertarian Party Nominee for President, 2012
• Nancy L. Johnson, Member of Congress, 1983-2007
• Robert Kabel, Special Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs, 1982-1985
• Neel Kashkari, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, 2008-2009
• Theodore W. Kassinger, Deputy Secretary of Commerce, 2004-2005
• David Kochel, Senior Iowa Advisor, Mitt Romney for President, 2007-2008 and 2011-2012
• James Kolbe, Member of Congress, 1985-2007
• Cyrus Krohn, eCampaign Director, Republican National Committee, 2007-2009
• Jeffrey Kupfer, Chief of Staff and Acting Deputy Secretary, Department of Energy, 2006-2009
• Ed Kutler, Assistant to the Speaker of the House, 1995-1997
• Kathryn Lehman, Chief of Staff, House Republican Conference, 2003-2005
• Thomas A. Little, Vermont State Representative, 1992-2002 and Chairman of the Vermont House Judiciary Committee, 1999-2002
• Daniel S. Loeb, Businessman and Philanthropist
• Alex Lundry, Director of Data Science, Romney for President, 2012
• N. Greg Mankiw, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers, 2003-2005
• Catherine Martin, Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy Communications Director for Policy and Planning, 2005-2007
• Kevin Martin, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, 2005-2009
• David McCormick, Undersecretary of the Treasury for International Affairs, 2007-2009
• Mark McKinnon, Republican Media Advisor
• Aaron McLear, Press Secretary to Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger, 2007-2011
• Bruce P. Mehlman, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, 2001-2003
• Susan Molinari, Member of Congress, 1990-1997
• Michael E. Murphy, Republican Political Consultant
• Beth Myers, Romney for President Campaign Manager, 2007-2008 and Senior Advisor, 2011-2012
• Michael Napolitano, White House Office of Political Affairs, 2001-2003
• Ana Navarro, National Hispanic Co-Chair, John McCain for President, 2008
• Susan Neely, Special Assistant to the President, 2001-2002
• Noam Neusner, Special Assistant to the President for Economic Speechwriting, 2002-2005
• B.J. Nikkel, Colorado State Representative and Majority Whip, 2009-2012, and District Director for Marilyn Musgrave, Member of Congress, 2002-2006
• Meghan O’Sullivan, Deputy National Security Advisor for Iraq and Afghanistan, 2005-2007
• Richard Painter, Associate Counsel to the President, 2005-2007
• Ruth Ann Petroff, Wyoming State Representative, 2011-Present
• Nancy Pfotenhauer, Regulatory Advisor, Romney for President, 2008, and Economist, Presidential Transition Team, 1988
• Gregg Pitts, Director, White House Travel Office, 2006-2009
• J. Stanley Pottinger, Assistant U.S. Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, 1973-1977
• Michael Powell, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, 2001-2005
• Larry Pressler, U.S. Senator from South Dakota, 1979-1997, and Member of Congress, 1975-1979
• Deborah Pryce, Member of Congress, 1993-2009
• John Reagan, New Hampshire State Senator, 2012-Present
• Luis Reyes, Special Assistant to the President and Deputy Assistant to the President, 2006-2009
• Mark A. Robbins, General Counsel, U.S. Office of Personnel Management, 2001-2006
• Kelley Robertson, Chief of Staff, Republican National Committee, 2005-2007
• Brian Roehrkassee, Director of Public Affairs, Department of Justice, 2007-2009
• Ileana Ros-Lehtinen, Member of Congress, 1989-2009
Harvey S. Rosen, Chairman and Member, Council of Economic Advisers, 2003-2005
Lee Rudofsky, Deputy General Counsel, Romney for President, 2012
Patrick Ruffini, eCampaign Director, Republican National Committee, 2005-2007
Corry Schiermeyer, Director for Global Communications, National Security Council, 2005-2007
Steve Schmidt, Deputy Assistant to the President and Counselor to the Vice President, 2004-2006, and Senior Advisor, John McCain for President, 2008
Adam Schroadter, New Hampshire State Representative, 2010-Present
Christopher Shays, Member of Congress, 1987-2009
Faryar Shirzad, Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy National Security Advisor for International Economic Affairs, 2004-2006
Ken Spain, Communications Director, National Republican Congressional Committee, 2009-2010
Robert Steel, Undersecretary of the Treasury for Domestic Finance, 2006-2008
Nancy Stiles, New Hampshire State Senator, 2010-Present
David Stockman, Director, Office of Management and Budget, 1981-1985
Jane Swift, Governor of Massachusetts, 2001-2003
Michael E. Toner, Chairman and Commissioner, Federal Election Commission, 2002-2007
Frances Fragos Townsend, Homeland Security Advisor to the President, 2004-2008
John Ullyot, Communications Director, U.S. Senate Armed Services Committee, 2003-2007
Sally A. Vastola, Executive Director, National Republican Congressional Committee, 2003-2006
Jacob P. Wagner, Chairman, New Hampshire Federation of College Republicans, 2012-Present
Nicolle Wallace, Assistant to the President and White House Communications Director, 2005-2008
Christine Todd Whitman, Governor of New Jersey, 1994-2001, and Administrator of the EPA, 2001-2003
Meg Whitman, Republican Nominee for Governor of California, 2010
Robert Wickers, Republican Political Consultant
Dan Zwonitzer, Wyoming State Representative, 2005-present.
On March 19, 2013, the Cato Institute hosted a discussion, “The Growing Conservative Shift on Gay Issues,” with Jimmy LaSalvia, Executive Director, GOProud; Trevor Burrus, Research Fellow, Cato Institute; and Walter Olson, Senior Fellow, Cato Institute. It was moderated by Kelly Cobb, Senior Director of External Affairs, Cato Institute.

The Independent Gay Forum was begun by homosexuals who wanted influence in conservative and Republican party circles. One of the key figures in this group is Walter Olson, a senior fellow at the Cato Institute who previously worked at the Manhattan Institute. In 2012, he hosted an event on behalf of homosexual marriage and the host committee featured:

- Walter Olson and Steven Pippin
- David Boaz and Steve Miller
- David and Danielle Frum
- Jonathan Rauch and Michael Lai
- Andrew Sullivan and Aaron Tone
- Andrew Tobias
- Ted Frank
- Eli and Kari Lehrer
- Walter Slocombe
- David Lampo and Don Lawrence
- Tim Hulsey and Chris Smith
- Dave Myers
- Kelly Young and Bill Reinsmith
- Sally Satel
- Veronique de Rugy
- Andrew Hazlett and Geetanjali Chander
- John Corvino
- Jennifer Dossin and David Marshall
- Howard and Andrea Rich

Olson’s “husband,” Steve Pippin, was president of Out Publishing, Inc. A release said, “OUT was founded in 1992 as America's first general-interest gay and lesbian magazine…Out Publishing, Inc., also publishes HIV PLUS, a quarterly magazine devoted to HIV and AIDS research, prevention, and treatment.”

The pro-homosexual publication Buzz Feed reported that Howard Rich is “a deep-pocketed patron of libertarian causes and conservative politicians….” These include Americans for Limited Government. Rich serves on the board of the Cato Institute.

Andrew Sullivan has written a book titled The Conservative Soul: How We Lost It, How To Get It Back.
People can claim to be anything they want to be, but it defies reality to claim that Sullivan, an HIV-positive homosexual who embraces and celebrates the homosexual lifestyle, is a conservative. Sullivan is married to another man. He supported Democrat John Kerry for president in 2004.

A self-proclaimed Christian, he spends some of his book bashing Christian “fundamentalists” who want to protect the institution of marriage between a man and a woman. Once again, this is where Sullivan’s homosexuality consumes him.

The pro-homosexual Log Cabin Republicans is run by a board consisting of:

- Jerry Katlin, chairman
- Jamie Ensley
- Sarah Longwell
- Tommy Purdy
- Leonard Olds
- Peter Bertelsen
- Jennifer Breitinger
- Mitchell Cantor
- Daniel Enea
- Steve Gale
- John Herrick
- Bob Kabel
- David Lampo
- Joe Mendola
- Marc Morgan
- Kim Taylor
- Jo-Anne P. Sears
- Michael Sorrell
- Robert Traynham
- Tom Wahl
- Rich Weissman

Log Cabin Republicans announced that the following individuals were scheduled to speak at a 2010 dinner:

- Representative Judy Biggert (R-IL)
- Representative Anh “Joseph” Cao (R-LA)
- Representative Charles Djou (R-HI)
- Representative Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R-FL)
- Grover Norquist, President, Americans For Tax Reform
- Nick Herbert, Minister of State for Justice/Police (United Kingdom)
- Tucker Carlson, Publisher, Daily Caller, was scheduled to serve as the Master of Ceremonies.
Nick Herbert, a top member of the British Conservative Party, is an ominous indication of where else the GOP may be heading under the influence of the self-proclaimed “gay conservatives.” Herbert said in a speech at the libertarian Cato Institute earlier this year that “I’m especially honored to be sharing a platform with one of Britain’s most valuable exports, Andrew Sullivan.” The HIV-positive Sullivan, a speaker at the same event, calls himself a “gay conservative” but has married another man and was caught soliciting “bare-back” or dangerous, unprotected anal sex on the Internet.

Herbert said he looked forward to the day when “the Prime Minister of the UK or the President of the United States could just as easily be gay as black.”

Another list of Log Cabin Republican “allies in Congress” included:

- Senator Mark Kirk (R-IL)
- Congresswoman Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R-FL)
- Congressman Richard Hanna (R-NY)
- Senator Susan Collins (R-ME)


The homosexual magazine Out issued a “Power List,” a list of “the gay men and women whose power and prestige is instrumental in influencing the way Americans think about, and engage with, the world.” The list included Matt Drudge, Drudge Report Creator/Editor, and Shepard Smith, a Fox News anchor.

A former conservative who went through a political and sexual breakdown and transformation, David Brock became a liberal and homosexual activist and wrote the book, _Blinded by the Right_, about how he supposedly twisted the truth to benefit the conservative cause. He says he “dated” Matt Drudge:
In 2008, America’s Survival, Inc. had wanted to publicize information about Frank Marshall Davis, the Communist, and his associates, who included Barack Obama. Davis was a key member of a communist network in Hawaii that influenced Obama. One of our reports examined the communist network in Hawaii. The other report examined the communist and socialist network in Chicago. The lengthy reports are heavily documented, with exhibits from congressional hearings and testimony, and haven’t been challenged on factual grounds.

We had wanted to advertise our new reports on communism in Hawaii and Chicago on the Drudge Report. But our $5000.00 ad buy was rejected by Drudge himself.

One of Drudge’s apparent motives at the time was to curry favor with Obama so that he could receive “scoops” from the campaign. Drudge, who is sometimes described as liberal or “libertarian” on some issues, may have secretly favored Obama’s election.

Drudge’s rejection of the ads, on the grounds that they were “too controversial,” was laughable. He made his name and “reputation” on the basis of “controversial” scoops about Bill Clinton’s extramarital affairs.