

1969

American Party

Objectives and Principles

The **OBJECTIVES** were unanimously approved at the meeting of the National Central Committee of the national **AMERICAN PARTY** in session in Indianapolis, Indiana on Saturday, October 4, 1969.

The **PRINCIPLES** had been unanimously approved at a meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio in May (1969) and were amended and unanimously re-approved as amended at the Indianapolis meeting in October.

The Objectives of the American Party

PREAMBLE: We stand up for America as did our patriot forefathers by adhering to the principles of government which made this country great. The same truths held "self-evident" by our founding fathers guide the destiny of the **AMERICAN PARTY**. We, too, believe that our Creator endowed us with certain unalienable rights.

As a political party we are primarily concerned with the proper relationship of government and the people. We recognize the United States constitution as the most nearly perfect statement of this relationship ever written. Within our Constitution the most basic and cherished rights of all Americans are protected in a manner intended to endure forever. The **AMERICAN PARTY** is dedicated to the perpetuation of these God-given and Constitutionally guaranteed rights.

Our Constitutional fathers, aware of the tyranny and despotism which would inevitably result from an omnipotent central government, carefully limited the role of the Federal Government. Amendment X of our Original Bill of Rights states, "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people"

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