



and Means first began their investigations, Republicans have received tens of thousands of pages of private bank records, Department of Treasury, the National Archives, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and Internal Revenue Service (IRS) documents, and dozens of hours of witness testimony, including Special Counsel Weiss and other high-ranking officials at the FBI, IRS, and the Department of Justice attorney assigned to Hunter Biden's case;

Whereas, despite the avalanche of information House Republicans received from the Biden administration, banks, and Hunter Biden's business associates, none of the three Republican-led House Committees pursuing a Biden impeachment has found any evidence of wrongdoing by the President, let alone an impeachable offense;

Whereas Senate Republicans who conducted their own investigation in 2020 of Joe Biden's conduct as Vice President also did not find any evidence of wrongdoing;

Whereas the evidence, including bank records and repeated statements from witnesses, gathered during the current investigation has shown that President Biden fought corruption, was not involved in his family members' business dealings, and respected the independence of the Department of Justice;

Whereas the Burisma conspiracy theory has long been debunked, and in fact the investigation has confirmed that as Vice President, Joe Biden successfully led a bipartisan and international coalition urging the Ukrainian Government to address corruption;

Whereas President Joe Biden chose to retain David Weiss, a United States Attorney appointed by Donald Trump, as

the Special Counsel leading the Hunter Biden investigation, and it is clear Mr. Weiss has the full authority to investigate and prosecute Hunter Biden;

Whereas, while the last Trump impeachment proceedings held public hearings, House Republicans have conducted nearly all of their investigation into President Joe Biden behind closed doors, have refused to publicly release all but two interview transcripts, and have repeatedly misrepresented the evidence, including witnesses' statements, to falsely accuse the President of wrongdoing;

Whereas, as a loving father and a brother, Joe Biden has helped members of his family in their times of need;

Whereas 46,300,000 Americans aged 12 or older, or 16.5 percent of the United States population, had a substance use disorder in the past year and two-thirds of Americans reported they or a family member struggle with addiction;

Whereas addiction significantly impacts families whose loved ones suffer from substance abuse; and

Whereas loving a son who has struggled with addiction and other problems is not evidence of high crimes and misdemeanors worthy of a solemn impeachment inquiry:  
Now, therefore, be it

