**Dejean for Congress Campaign Report**

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Joel Dejean, the LaRouche Independent campaigning for Congress in the newly structured Texas 38th Congressional District, brought a combination of insights and solutions with the courage to act in real time to a number of venues in the course of visits in the District May 12.

Beginning with a luncheon meeting with a new campaign supporter, candidate Dejean grounded the Malthusian anti-science commitments in outlook and the geopolitical operations underlying the orchestration of war by the British Empire / Wall Street faction—policies fully supported by Dejean’s Republican opponent, Wesley Hunt. Joel’s depth of scientific knowledge and his passionate commitment to the education of youth to a shared mission orientation and future had individuals at neighboring tables actively evesdropping.

Later in the day, Joel addressed for 3 minutes the City Council of Hedwig Village (pop. 2,800), including the mayor, 6 council members and an audience of 35-40. As an Independent candidate for Congress, Joel developed the role and responsibility of Congress and the citizens in any decision to take the nation in war; and the failure of both parties for far too long to affect real scientific and economic change, as detailed by economist Lyndon LaRouche, who for decades had forecast the present series of integrated conjunctural crises. Joel emphasized in the conclusion of his remarks the need for a new productive commitment and structure to deliver a controlled thermonuclear fusion platform for the economy—nuclear power, not the insanity of an uncontrolled nuclear war.

All attendees had received the Dejean “push card” prior to his brief remarks. The response was attentive throughout and was followed by a very serious “thank you” from the Mayor and one or two on the Council. The video will be posted on Joel’s website.

The day ended with Joel, attending a meeting of True Texas [https://truetexasproject.com/about/] at the local VFW hall in Cyprus. True Texas bills itself as state-wide organization which “exists to educate and motivate citizen engagement in all levels of government.” The featured speaker, Steve Stockman, a former, two-term, conservative Texas Republican Congressman, who was convicted on “corruption” charges, spoke on “The Weaponization of the DOJ.” We arrived too late to hear Stockman’s full presentation, but Joel’s comment in the Q & A period regarding the DOJ role in the case of Lyndon LaRouche, and the failure to address these real political dynamics, have brought us to the present situation. While stating his Independent candidacy, Joel got favorable “shout outs” from 3 sections of the 50-person audience. Absent (as usual for any political events) was Wesley Hunt and any support for him. Rather, vocal opposition and dislike was universally expressed.

One of the five contacts made, said as she approached Joel: “When you said Lyndon LaRouche, I knew exactly what you were talking about!”