An Outline for a Changing America: 2029 and Beyond

Project 2029 and Beyond

- Healthcare
  - A basic level of medical, dental, vision, and mental health care
  - Higher levels of healthcare readily available
  - Fund innovations in healthcare
- Education
  - Baseline education for all at the high school level
  - Advanced education readily available
  - Fund K-14 education
- Science and Technology
  - Restore funding to science and technology projects
  - Restore medical research funding to 2020 levels
- Economy
  - Federal minimum wage varies as inflation
  - Universal baseline established
  - Progressive taxation for individuals
  - No private prisons
- Physical Environment
  - Accelerate transition to renewables
  - Close all coal plants
  - Double the size of the National Park system
- Geography
  - DC becomes a state
  - Puerto Rico becomes a state
  - Cities share power with states
- Government
  - Repeal Citizens United
  - Distribute most federal government functions
    - Federal
    - State
    - City
    - County
  - Amendments
    - Codify Equal Rights
    - Codify Reproductive Rights
    - Clear and hard separation of church and state
    - Tax churches as nonprofits
    - Clearly define what "arms" are in the 2A
  - Elections
    - One person, one vote
    - Abolish political gerrymandering
    - Abolish electoral college
- SCOTUS
  - Age range: 40-70 (retire)
  - Bi-lingual
  - Confirmed by the House
  - No stock trading
  - Code of ethics in place
- House of Representatives
  - Representative Requirements
    - At least a bachelor's degree
    - Age range: 32-70 (retire)
    - Bi-lingual
    - Be able to pass a high school civics test
    - At least 10 years of work or military experience
    - Maximum of 5 4-year terms
  - Institutional Requirements
    - No stock trading
    - A code of ethics in place
- Senate
  - Abolish the Senate
- Presidency
  - Limit powers
    - Code of ethics is in place
    - No unitary President
    - No stock trading
    - No profiting from presidency
  - Bi-lingual
  - Age range: 35-70 (retire)
  - Education: At least a bachelor's degree
  - Cabinet
    - Code of ethics in place
    - No stock trading
    - No profiting from cabinet position
    - Age range: 32-70(retire)
    - Bi-lingual