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SAVING FREE SPEECH

Could we really see the end of the so-called fake news business, which has maintained a stranglehold on what Americans read in newspapers and see on their televisions for decades? It could come to that as more and more Americans grow tired of the lies reported by the corporate-controlled media and seek out alternative news sources like AMERICAN FREE PRESS.

A recent survey of average Americans points to this.

On July 12, polling firm Morning Consult released the findings of a poll of 2,000 Americans, who were asked if they thought the big media was credible. Not surprisingly, a majority of Americans responded that they found the big media to be somewhere between somewhat credible and not credible at all. Only about 20% of Americans found the big media to be totally credible. This included CNN, *The New York Times*, NBC News, ABC, CBS, *The Wall Street Journal*, and Fox News to name but a few of the many outlets cited in the poll.

Why is this not surprising to us?

Since the November election, the big newspapers and cable news networks have been hammering President Donald Trump for the way he is running the country, particularly when it



comes to his calls to put America first.

But while this may sit well with liberal Democrats in major cities like New York and Los Angeles, the majority of Americans between the coasts is growing increasingly tired of the phony stories peddled by the pompous presstitutes, such as the constant fixation on Trump associates colluding with Russia.

Every day a new breathless report comes out claiming to be the smoking gun that proves Russia helped get Trump elected, but the stories always

seem to fizzle out when put under the microscope.

Instead, Americans want Republicans and Democrats to work with the president to fix the economy, reform immigration, bring jobs back to the United States, rebuild infrastructure, and handle the healthcare crisis.

And what does this mean for the alternative press?

Despite concerted efforts at the highest levels to silence alternative media outlets, Americans' interest in real news has never been higher.

AMERICAN FREE PRESS is a prime example of this. Wells Fargo, one of the largest banks in the world with a net worth of \$2 trillion, tried to force this little newspaper out of business by abruptly terminating its credit-card processing, which ac-

counted for about 30% of the company's total business—all because it didn't like a few books AFP sold. So what did people do? They ordered even more politically incorrect books and videos from us through the mail by sending in checks, cash, and money orders. So far, we are winning.

While the powers-that-be want more censorship on the Internet and in commercial markets, Americans, in an effort to save free speech and thought in this country, are pushing back, demanding even more access to information no matter who may be offended by it.

And this is something the military-industrial-pharmaceutical-political-lobbying complex still doesn't realize. While they try to lie their way to even more outlandish profits for themselves and their boards of directors, the average American disdains such crass goals. Rest assured, you are not alone in revering truth over personal profit.

Thanks for sticking with us. ★

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