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Dan Slaby · 17 hours ago 🔗

"Although conservatives portray government as incompetent, public sector programs have actually amassed an admirable record of success in a wide variety of policy areas."

<http://www.governmentisgood.com/index.php>

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Anonymous · 14 hours ago 🔗

Tell that to Native Americans. Or the Japanese Americans locked up in WW2. And Martin Luther King did not march because government treated blacks well.

Or the current EPA experiment controversy-

These experiments exposed people, including those with asthma and heart problems, to dangerously high levels of toxic pollutants, including diesel fumes, reads a EPA inspector general report obtained by The Daily Caller News Foundation. The EPA also exposed people with health issues to levels of pollutants up to 50 times greater than the agency says is safe for humans.

Read more: <http://dailycaller.com/2014/04/02/report-epa-tested-deadly-pollutants-on-humans-to-push-obama-admins...>

Or the 6 billion dollars the US State Department can't find.

<http://www.cnbc.com/id/101556214>

The State Department has no idea what happened to \$6 billion used to pay its contractors.

Or the IRS targeting scandal

February 6, 2014: Catherine Engelbrecht testifies before the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee that after she filed two applications for her non-profit Tea Party group, True the Vote, her family, her private company and her nonprofit organizations experienced 15 separate audits or inquiries by federal agencies, including the IRS, FBI, OSHA, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (even though her company does not sell alcohol, tobacco nor firearms), and one member of Congress.

<http://www.christianpost.com/news/a-timeline-of-the-irs-targeting-of-conservative-evangelical-and-pr...>

Or why the "most transparent administration" became anything but transparent

http://www.slate.com/articles/news_and_politics/politics/2013/03

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Or Rand Paul getting conservative and liberal groups fired up over government overreach concerns
Paul said Feinstein's allegations had shaken Washington. "I look into the eyes of senators and I think I see real fear," he said. "I think I perceive fear of an intelligence community drunk with power, unrepentant and uninclined to relinquish power."

<http://www.sfgate.com/politics/article/Republican-Rand-Paul-fires-up-a-Berkeley-crowd-5332740.php>

I am a conservative. I love my country. But like the Founders, I have a healthy skepticism of government regardless of which party is in control. That does not make me anti government.

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