

# The Freedom Caravan

## A PEACEFUL JOURNEY TO RESTORE THE SPIRIT OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY

### What is the Freedom Caravan?

The Freedom Caravan is a nonpartisan, cross-country movement of peaceful, concerned Americans committed to restoring democratic values, truth in governance, and the rightful meaning of the American flag.

Our goal is simple but profound: to *reclaim the flag from extremism* and remind the nation that **patriotism belongs to everyone**—not just the loudest voices. We believe the flag should once again stand for liberty, justice, and unity—not fear, division, or authoritarian control.

### Why Now?

We are in a crisis moment.

When disinformation, voter suppression, and political violence threaten the core of our democracy, silence is not neutrality—it's surrender. The Freedom Caravan invites everyday citizens, from all walks of life, to stand up for truth and freedom *before it's too late*.

This movement is not about left or right. It's about **the rule of law, peaceful protest, and civil courage**.

### What Will We Do?

This is not just a march. It's a **rolling protest**—a literal caravan of Americans traveling from cities and towns across the country to Washington D.C., with:

- Stops in major cities for peaceful gatherings, music, storytelling, and voter education
- Community outreach in underrepresented areas along the way
- A culminating gathering in D.C. to deliver a public call to action from *the people* themselves—not politicians or pundits

Participants may join for one mile, one city, or the full route. Others may support virtually by spreading the message, sharing resources, or organizing in their own communities.

### How Could It Work?

This proposal outlines one possible approach to organizing a nationwide march—a framework meant to inspire others with the capacity, connections, and organizing experience to build something real. If the idea resonates, I hope this vision helps others bring it to life.

Key ideas in this proposed framework include:

- Gathering a list of interested participants and volunteers
- Engaging with civic groups, veterans, artists, educators, and organizers
- Mapping a preliminary route focused on accessibility, visibility, and momentum
- **Considering a strategy for nonviolent security**—one that protects peaceful marchers from extremist threats and ensures that vulnerable communities (especially immigrants or people of color) are not put at risk by opportunistic interference from groups like ICE

Above all, any such effort would require a deep commitment to safety, legality, and nonviolence. This proposal is not a blueprint, but a starting point—one version of what a Freedom Caravan *could be*.

### What Can You Do Right Now?

- Read the plan.
- Improve the plan.
- Share the plan.
- Roll with the plan.

Whether you're ready to march or not, your voice matters. Let's reclaim the flag. Let's tell a better story. Let's begin with a click.