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To: Our thousands of supporters throughout the state (cc'd to the media, house & senate members, and Governor, and other candidates for office)

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RE: I will not call Jay Inslee a lying whore

In February 2013, I took a lot of heat for sending out an email update where I wrote this: *"Candidate Inslee repeatedly promised to veto any tax increase. He said no way to higher transportation taxes in 2013. Inslee said he'd grow jobs to generate more tax revenue. What a lying whore he turned out to be."*

Here's a story about it: *Media Outraged as Lying Dem Governor dubbed a "Lying Whore"* -- <https://tinyurl.com/ybng7hj2>

I will not call Jay Inslee a lying whore because of what he did on Friday (<https://tinyurl.com/ycewprf2>). I won't do it.

He did, however, show him himself to be truth-challenged when he violated the negotiated-in-good-faith tax package between the R's and D's. No matter how duplicitous he was, no matter how mendacious, no matter how two-faced, I simply refuse to crawl into the gutter and call him a lying whore again. I'm just not gonna do it.

Jay Inslee consistently and relentlessly opposed a property tax levy swap when he ran against Rob McKenna in 2012, calling it a "scam" and a "shell game." Last week, he signed it into law and embraced it, bragging that, thanks to him, the state is now fully funding education. I will not call him a lying whore for doing so -- I just won't do it.

Jay Inslee proposed 10% higher college tuition and opposed the Republicans' plan to reduce college tuition. After the GOP forced him to accept lower tuition as part of the final budget deal, Inslee turned around and claimed ownership for reducing college tuition while running for reelection. I will not call Jay Inslee a lying whore for doing so. It's just not gonna happen.

This year, Jay Inslee desperately desired a new carbon tax. He didn't get it. He really wanted a new capital gains income tax. He didn't get it. The embarrassment and humiliation for those failures gnawed at him, grated on him. He hated looking weak, hated looking small, hated being Captain Dunsel (<http://tinyurl.com/y95v95fl>). What really shattered his pride and sent him over the edge was Danny Westneat's column in the Seattle Times: *"Blue state? Seattle gets rolled in Olympia tax deal"* -- <http://tinyurl.com/y9wquap>. That was just too much for him.

So 2 days later, to prove his manhood & virility and to show the Republicans and the world that he's the alpha in Olympia, he purposely violated a negotiated agreement between the R's and D's on taxes. I won't call him a

lying whore for doing it. That'd be too easy. Instead, I will simply say that his actions clearly show a very insecure, petty little man who can only feel good about himself by cheating others.

To convince Inslee to keep his word, Republicans are clear: *"There will 100% NOT be a capital budget unless House overrides veto. Deal is a deal."*

Inslee's rhetorical response? *"It is morally repugnant to hold children hostage."* Ahh, a lecture on morality from Jay Inslee -- isn't that rich?

Lying whore? Not gonna do it.

Back in 2013, I refused to apologize (*"Tim Eyman won't apologize for calling Governor Inslee a 'lying whore'" -- <http://kiroradio.com/listen/9952681>*). Webster's dictionary defines "whore" as anyone who is *"considered as having compromised principles for personal gain."* Hard to argue with that. Nonetheless, calling our governor a lying whore is pretty crude. So I'm not going to do it again. No matter how much Jay Inslee stains his office with his duplicity and double-crossing behavior like he did on Friday, I won't call him a lying whore. I just won't.

Thank you for helping us fight back against Inslee and the Democrats' tax-hiking obsession. While they were pushing for tax increases, we've been pushing for tax relief, fighting fire with fire. The Property Tax Fairness Initiative is a bold, exciting proposal that helps everyone. It cuts property taxes 25% for everyone, caps property tax increases, and eliminates the personal property tax. It's all about making property taxes fairer. Help us make it a reality.



If you support the Property Tax Fairness Initiative and appreciate our efforts on behalf of taxpayers, please send us a donation for \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$250, \$500, \$1000, \$2500, \$5000 or more (there are no limits on how much can be given). You can go to our website right now - www.VotersWantMoreChoices.com and make a secure on-line contribution by PayPal or VISA or M/C. OR, you can print this form, fill it out, and return it with a check or credit card information.

We've done so many amazing things over the past 18 years, but that's only been possible thanks to successful benefactors like you. We ask you to please help us help taxpayers.

Please donate TODAY.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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P.S. There are thousands of politicians, bureaucrats, lobbyists, and special interest groups working each and every day to raise your taxes. Shouldn't there be at least one person, one team, one organization that fights to lower your taxes? Please help us so we can continue our successful efforts on behalf of taxpayers.

"Nothing ventured, nothing gained." Benjamin Franklin