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Hello friends and supporters:

Hello friends and supporters. It's Barry Neufeld here. I want to take a moment to update you on the challenges I've been facing over the past 8 years. It's been a long and difficult journey, but I've always stood firm in my commitment to protect children from confusion, sexualization, and irreversible harm.

Back in 2017, I publicly criticized gender ideology, stating that transitioning children was child abuse. As a publicly elected school trustee, this led to relentless attacks from the media, unions, and political leaders. They slandered me and called for my resignation. But I refused to back down. I believe then, as I do now, that educators should focus on academic excellence, not ideological indoctrination.



One of my most vocal opponents has been Karen Bondar, a high-profile biologist known for her provocative sexual content on the internet. She was elected as a school trustee in a by-election and later secured a teaching position in a neighboring School District. I've spoken out against her actions which I believe are unsuitable for someone influencing impressionable young children. My criticism of her led to a defamation lawsuit and despite my efforts to appeal, I lost the case. I was given a financial penalty of over \$53,000 which I simply cannot afford to pay. I live on a fixed income pension and have limited savings. I refuse to answer my door when strangers knock because I have had several death threats over the past 8 years. For over a year, Bondar's Lawyer had sent process servers to my home and even my church trying to serve me with a summons to no avail. It was a summons to appear before

the Court Registry and reveal my personal finances, income, debts and assets. So, she applied for permission to serve me by email. That was granted, but she had an email address that I never use, and I never received it, and so I didn't appear for the hearing. Then, Bondar's Lawyer applied to a judge to issue a warrant for me to spend time in Ford Mountain Correctional Center. Because I was convinced this was an unjust decision, I had managed to frustrate her for over a year, and Bondar's lawyer claimed she racked up a bill of \$8,703.75 trying to chase me down.

I was an officer of the Provincial Court of BC for about a quarter of a century. I am familiar with how Court works. People would often miss court dates, and so a warrant would be issued. If they continued to ignore the warrant, they might get arrested when they came to the attention of the Police over a minor issue, like a burnt out taillight. But usually, once they heard about the warrant, they would present

themselves at the courthouse: a new date would be set and they would be immediately released. I have never seen a warrant for nonappearance that specified the exact Correctional Center where the accused was to spend time. Judges do NOT have jurisdiction over this. It is up to Correctional authorities to choose the appropriate correctional facility. During my trial in the Bondar Defamation case, I repeatedly mentioned my experience in supervising and sentencing sex offenders and child molesters, and how I considered Bondar's behavior an example of the sexual grooming that child molesters use: blur boundaries, make everything legal, etc. It is my firm belief that Bondar and her lawyers urged the Judge to send me to Ford Mountain, because that is where sex offenders and mentally ill transvestites do their time, and they were hoping I would be beaten up or even killed by the inmates!



MY 2017 NISSAN ALTIMA IS HAULED AWAY.

I had a challenge when I learned about the warrant from my former lawyer. Firstly, I hoped that reporter Drea Humphrey from Rebel News would be there to record my arrest when I turned myself in. I was sure the publicity would begin to make people aware of the corruption of justice in our Court System. But Drea was busy in Edgewood, BC, documenting what was happening at the Ostrich Farm, so I had to wait. Secondly, I had a fender bender in August: a pickup truck backed into me and after three months, ICBC decided to write off my vehicle, and they hauled it away November 15.

On Monday, Nov 22, the Rights and Freedoms Fundraising Society arranged a fundraising event for all their projects: not only me, but Lynda Di Armani, who is suing the Chilliwack School Board for trying to silence her, Dr. Charles Hoffe, who has been fighting the College of Physicians and Surgeons for his opposition to COVID vaccinations, and Tammy Mitchell Mowat, who is being sued by Freida Whales, a drag queen employed by the Central Okanagan School District.

After a sumptuous potluck dinner, we were serenaded by Merv and Merla Watson, an elderly couple who I met over 55 years ago at Bernice Gerard's Fraserview Church where they popularized praise and worship songs in the Hebrew language. They spent most of their lives in Jerusalem, Israel, but they are now in their 80's. They had just moved into extended care. Merv is a bit befuddled, but he can still sing, rivalling Pavarotti, and



MERV & MERLA WATSON

Merla is still a virtuoso violinist. We were all uplifted by the program emceed by their daughter Elana Watson. Merla is an accomplished hymn writer and gospel song writer. They presented Merla's latest patriotic Anthem, "*British Columbia Rise!*"



<https://youtube.com/watch?v=mPi6Pd2ZOtc&feature=shared>

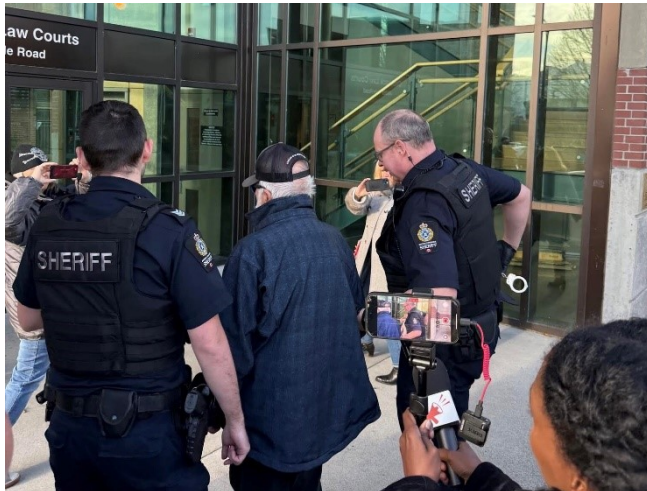
I wanted to make sure I had bought another vehicle before I turned myself in on the warrant. Normally, I would buy a car four years old and trade it in when it is 8 years old. However, a lawyer warned me that the Courts can seize even your personal vehicle to pay court damages. But a car worth \$5,000 or less is exempt. So, I needed to find dependable transportation for only \$5,000. With the help of my neighbor, I found a 2008 Subaru in mint condition, owned by an elderly couple who hardly ever drove it. I purchased it Saturday, Nov 26, 2025.



MY 2008 SUBARU FORESTER

Sunday, I went to church and prayed for protection. Monday morning, Nov 28, I drove to a trusted friend's home, and he drove me to court. By coincidence, he was a former Correctional Officer at Ford Mountain Correctional Centre!

When I arrived at the Courthouse at about 9:30 am, there was a large group of my supporters on the courthouse steps, including Drea Humphrey of Rebel News and reporters from the New Westminister Times. My old nemesis, former Chilliwack Progress reporter Paul Henderson was hiding inside the courthouse, looking out the window. There were cheers and expressions of support from my friends.



The sheriffs realized I was waiting outside, and they gathered behind the glass doors to the courthouse and began to approach me. Then my friends decided to surround me and pray over me! This was an unusual situation for the sheriffs, and they backed off. But several minutes later after the prayer, they came outside, and I submitted to them: they handcuffed me and took me down to the basement cells in the Courthouse.

Drea Humphrey recorded the drama here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dDb018tD2tA>

The New Westminister Times reported this:

<https://x.com/NewWestTimes/status/1993051605093224638>

Paul Henderson wrote this about me on his independent blog:

“Martyr status inevitable for former trustee Barry Neufeld arrested at Chilliwack courthouse Monday.”

<https://share.google/i2gbKDzRXECn3KWQT>

What an incompetent piece of journalism!

1. I am NOT afraid of homosexuals, and I have never made a homophobic statement.
2. I never went to Ford Mountain Correctional Centre. It is not a remand center. I sat in a courthouse holding cell for five hours until Bondar's lawyers showed up.

3. I wasn't bewildered when the sheriffs clamped their handcuffs on me. I knew exactly what I was doing. Henderson was hiding inside the courthouse on the stairwell, looking out the window. His red-haired dreadlocks must have fallen over his face, interfering with his vision!

Carin Bondar is all about "Sex Positive." Whether it is group sex, gay sex, pole dancing, golden showers, anal sex, or whatever...she thinks it is all just fine, and everything should be legalized! But she hypocritically stooped to male misogyny by claiming she was HURT when I referred to her (without mentioning her name) as a strip tease artist. So she thinks strip tease artists are repulsive and disgusting? I wonder what professional strip tease artists think about her being so "hurt?" She is SUCH a HYPOCRITE! And Judge Steven's decision to condemn me was SO UNJUST!

I was put in a bare cell with only a toilet and a bench at about 10 am. I had nothing to read. So I spent my time praying. What did I pray for? Primarily for the Salvation of Carin's soul. And enlightenment for her to understand the damage she is doing to vulnerable children. After a while, a guard placed a bag lunch through the cubbyhole in the door. I assumed it was noon. A bun with salami and cheese, a small cookie, and a small container of apple juice. The Sheriffs took away my belt and suspenders when they booked me into the courthouse cells, so I had to hold my pants up when I was brought up to the courtroom at 3 p.m. Only Carin and her lawyers were present with the judge and I. And Carin was sneering and grinning from ear to ear. What kind of twisted woman would get such pleasure in seeing an elderly 78 yr old man so humiliated?

Bondar's Lawyers tried to examine me about my finances, but I objected that I didn't have any financial statements with me and wasn't prepared. The judge said it should be done informally in front of a court registrar and she wanted to find a date in the future. But the two lawyers complained that it cost so much for them to come out from Vancouver for a hearing, and they were worried that Neufeld might not show up! They wanted the hearing to be in front of a judge, so a warrant would be issued if Neufeld didn't appear. The judge reluctantly agreed. They finally decided that it should be held in front of a Supreme Court judge on Dec. 1. (which happened to be my 78th birthday) But then the lawyers asked if they could appear by video, as it was so time consuming for them to come out from Vancouver. My estimate is that they billed Carin Bondar at least \$7,000 to show up and deal with my arrest in Chilliwack Nov 24: two lawyers for seven hours at the rate of \$500/hour each. The judge wanted to know how they would be able to examine Neufeld's documents if they weren't physically present. They said they would figure that out. The judge ordered my release, conditional upon my reappearing Dec. 1. I went back to cells for half an hour while the paperwork was drawn up. The sheriff called my friend from Ford Mountain Correctional Center and he picked me up at 4:30 pm and took me to his home for dinner.

I got this message later that evening from the president of the Rights and Freedoms Fundraising Society:

Christopher di Armani

Also, if tonight's donation totals are anything to go by, you need to get arrested more often.



I will see what I can do!

10:13 PM



Fourteen thousand dollars came in that day! Since then, enough money has been raised to completely pay off the legal fees for my BCHRT defense, and there is a few thousand left as a retainer for the Judicial review: my Appeal of the BCHRT decision. The Tribunal was supposed to publish their decision by Nov. 21 but have now delayed it to the end of January. This is nothing short of a DIVINE MIRACLE! It seems obvious that they have already decided that they will convict me of HATE SPEECH and attempt to fine

me three quarters of a million dollars. But my Lawyer James Kitchen thinks that they have made so many errors in law and procedure that he can overturn their decision by requesting a Judicial review in the Supreme Court of BC.

When I did appear Dec. 1, The female judge did not show up in her formal Supreme Court robes. Her first question was: *"Why am I hearing this? It is usually assigned to a court registrar."* (implying that this was not important enough for a Supreme Court judge) A different, younger lawyer representing Bondar -- probably an articling student--appeared on video. She was not very sharp or shrewd. She explained that they requested a judge, so they could apply for a warrant if Mr. Neufeld did not appear. The judge shrugged and sighed saying: *"Well, he is here now! So please go ahead."*

I answered many prodding questions about my finances, and I threw myself on the mercy of the court. Bondar's lawyer asked awkward questions about my assets: did I have foreign property, how much was my home worth, how much savings did I have, how much was my car worth. etc? I told her I owned no real estate, I live in an old trailer house on a rented pad and the bank would not lend money on that. My car was an old 2008 Subaru worth \$5,000, and I had sold my old 1982 Volkswagen Van for \$200. The only way I could pay off the judgement was with my grocery money and then go to the food bank. I handed my financial statements up to the judge. The Judge asked me if I could pay \$75.00 a month? I was going to offer \$50.00/month, but I decided not to push my luck. I am sure that Trustee Bondar was very disappointed with the result. Because at that rate, it will take me 59 years to pay off the \$53,723.75 penalty awarded to the vindictive Carin Bondar, who I understand is worth about 6 million dollars. I doubt if any trans or queer person will follow her example and spend about \$150,000 to challenge me with another defamation suit. Revenge can be expensive.

But I think the tide is turning and Carin Bondar will get her just deserts. I pray for the salvation of her soul, and I have anonymously sent her C. S. Lewis' book "Mere Christianity." If she has a genuine Ph.D. degree, it might impact her. But a loyal supporter of mine suggested that I check into the validity of her doctoral thesis on "the sexual behavior of forest bugs." It was presented to the UBC Forestry Faculty, of all places!

This is the result of years of lawfare aimed at silencing me and ruining me financially. But I'm not giving up. My only motivation has always been to protect children from harm and ensure their education is focused on academic learning, not harmful ideologies.

My concern over Professor Bondar's vulgar display had no connection to my criticism of gender ideology. But Bondar herself made the connection when she was quoted in the local newspaper saying:

"Mr. Neufeld created a controversy over a woman teaching science," Bondar said. *"This shows that if you use your platform to harass women, queer people, trans people, or anyone, you will be challenged."* -- Chilliwack Progress, December 3, 2025

I accept the **challenge**, and it is worth \$75.00 a month to call her out! Carin Bondar--who wants to legalize everything-- obviously approves of the pornographic and trashy books in school libraries, and I firmly believe she should not be influencing children. She has already gotten into trouble in School District 78 for publishing a vulgar video from her classroom in Hope Secondary.

<https://rumble.com/v6q6fe8-sd33-trustee-bondar-saluting-from-her-classroom.html>

The inept Chilliwack Board of Education recently elected Carin Bondar to represent the Chilliwack school district in the British Columbia Public School Employers Association who negotiates contracts with the BC Teachers Federation. She has no clue about conflict of interest, so she accepted this position ignoring the fact she is now a public-school teacher.

Will you join me in trying to make a brighter future for our children and grandchildren?

Sincerely,

Barry Neufeld



**PS: I just found out that the BC Human Rights Tribunal will not make a decision about my “hate speech” trial until the end of January 2026.
That is EIGHT years since the complaint was filed!**

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