



Made in America Panel Predicts Fuel Prices Could Hit Five Dollars a Gallon if Biden Executes his Energy Program

Neal's company: The Legacy Companies, was honored by EX-IM as the Exporter of the Year for Florida; The U.S. has recovered 50% of the jobs lost when the pandemic hit; there are still too many workers who are not returning to their previous jobs; manufacturing is still lagging behind in rehiring workers; innovation has actually contributed to the rise in unemployment; Joe Biden's evasion of laying out his energy plan should raise concerns; California has mismanaged its forestation program and the result is frequent wildfires and draught; the Green New Deal would raise gasoline prices, eliminate gasoline powered cars, and even raise the cost of airline flights, were among the topics discussed by Neal Asbury and Dr. Rich Roffman on the nationally syndicated "Neal Asbury's Made in America" show on Radio America (aired by almost 100 affiliates and globally on the Armed Forces Network).

Neal began the show by revealing his company: The Legacy Companies, was recognized as the Exporter of the Year for Florida by The Export-Import Bank of the United States (EXIM), the official export credit agency of the United States. EXIM is an independent Executive Branch agency with a mission of supporting American jobs by facilitating the export of U.S. goods and services, and actually returns money to the treasury.

The first guest on Made in America was Mark Hammrick, Bankrate.com's senior economic analyst, who sees a glimmer of hope in the economic recovery since about 50% of the jobs lost at the start of the pandemic have come back.

"Between the traditional programs administered by the states and the Pandemic Unemployment Assistance Program, there were more than 1.3 million new claims for jobless aid reported filed in the latest week. New claims

appear to have settled into a still historically high pattern, numbering in the 800,000 range since late August. The intermediate-term outlook remains quite concerning for several reasons, although we remain hopeful that the eventual availability of effective and safe vaccines will get us to a better place on a number of fronts," according to Hammrick.

Neal is concerned that despite the unemployment rate, he is having a hard time filling many manufacturing jobs he has open that command higher salaries.

Hammrick suggested that many women are forced to stay home to home-school their kids, which has kept them out of the job market.

"People are overlooking the fact that innovation has replaced many jobs, including collaborative IT tools that let people work remotely," according to Hammrick.

The next guest on Made in America was Steve Milloy, former member of Trump's EPA Transition Team and Founder of JunkScience.com, who opined that "Vice President Mike Pence dominated the vice-presidential debate relying on his facts, experience and compassion. Pence was especially effective in exposing and repeatedly hammering the Biden-Harris Green New Deal agenda, including a ban on fracking."

Milloy maintained that Biden flip flops on fracking and his endorsement of the Green New Deal, which he claims is an offshoot of his own "Biden Plan," which nobody has ever seen.

"If Biden wins, gas prices could hit \$5.00 a gallon, and anything that is dependent on fuel, from shipping to airline travel, will soar. And in California, where Governor Gavin Newsom has passed some economy-killing energy laws, he has driven his state to constant wildfires and draughts, due to his poor resource management," according to Milloy.

"If Biden wins the election, it will usher back

a reprise segment on the 'Rise in Cronyism,' that we ran during the Obama administration. I hope we don't have to bring it back," concluded Neal.

Each week Neal Asbury's Made in America provides Neal's insights into the week's top news stories and their impact on the worlds of entrepreneurship, small business ownership and the overall economy. Neal's analysis, together with co-host Dr. Richard Roffman, a veteran 30-year publisher with extensive domestic and international experience, takes a non-biased approach based on real life experience in business as an American manufacturer and exporter. Made in America airs nationally each Saturday from 7-8:00 PM on Radio America. <http://www.nealasburysmadeinamerica.com>.



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