

Rural Lifestyles Alliance

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The Rural Lifestyles Alliance [RLA] has been in Washington DC since 2013 [as Americans Watching Washington. Name change in 2016] working for our Rights. The RLA was formed, as an LLC, out of the UGBA as a lobbying arm for the gamefowl community. The UGBA, being a 501c3, is restricted on political matters.

The RLA is funded completely by donations, with the UGBA and affiliate states being its' biggest donors.

The RLA has a professional lobbyist [the founder and CEO of the Cavalry Group] under contract plus an attorney on retainers for advice and counsel. The lobbyist, Mindy Patterson, has 15 years experience as a lobbyist in DC.

The RLA CEO is a retired legislator that served many years in the WV capitol and is also a past UGBA president. The treasurer is bonded and is a retired educator [high school principle] and a past president of the UGBA. The Board of Directors include an attorney, the founder of American Policy Center, a leader in the Oklahoma Gamefowl Commission, a GBA president, a past UGBA president and the universally loved and respected, Gerald Allen of Belle Farms.

All expenses are approved by the Board. A regular treasurer's report is given.

Much of what the RLA is doing has to be a little clandestine as the Animal Rights Radicals {ARR} have us vastly out funded and hold the upper hand with public opinion. Were we to play our cards face up we would be at a great disadvantage. Be assured that the RLA has its' eye on ball in DC, as well as across the nation, working to protect our God given Rights.

It really is too bad that we can't all unify behind the RLA and use our energies to reinforce and assist the RLA, a professional, group that has been in the battle for many years. We all know that the gamefowl

community is infamous for not uniting or funding, as required, to fight the well-heeled ARRs.

There are those out there that are good at platitudes and red meat messages that are appealing, but you gotta have the horses to pull the wagon. The RLA has the horses.

To donate to the RLA, send check or money order paid payable to RLA and send to RLA, P.O.Box 730, Danville, KY 40422.