
Subject: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges
Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 08:32:46 GMT
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Although I doubt anyone has reported on it, what with Michael Jackson dead and all

From what I understand, she announced she wasn't running for re-election, and then concluded that there's no point in remaining in office as a lame duck and resigned outright. Bad excuse, or worst excuse?

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges
Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 17:40:39 GMT
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Who cares why she did it. Things are looking up for alaska!

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 19:46:41 GMT
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Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges
Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 19:54:02 GMT
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Sure, and OJ was found not guilty.

The question is, why is she resigning? I don't believe for a second it's just to save Alaska money, because resigning won't stop the lawsuits, and her reasoning of not wanting to be a lame duck is rivaled only by "It wasn't me cheating, it was my brother". It doesn't speak to anything but having something to hide.

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 20:01:18 GMT
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She's resigning because she's a politician who wants to promote herself in hopes of making it into higher office.

Don't think for one second I like her, but I don't think she's a crook; instead I just think she's a moron.

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 20:06:45 GMT

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Right, but generally speaking holding some kind of office tends to help you get the higher position. Quitting halfway through your first term as governor doesn't look good on any resume. She would have been better off staying, if she was after a higher office.

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges

Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 20:17:04 GMT

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Well, I'm not too familiar with your system, but in quite a few cases, politicians in ours will give up their 'seat' when they make a run for prime minister, head to the senate, or get involved with crown corporations.

I just see it as a way for her to travel, and meet n' greet people in her party, build connections, and build up momentum in the grassroots.

On the other hand, maybe she was just really soured by the whole experience after the last election, and wanted out. We probably won't know until the campaigning for 2012 ramps up.

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 20:52:44 GMT

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It must be different in Canada. Here in the US, politicians only "give up" their office once they're already elected. Obama was a senator up until the moment he was sworn in.

Really, she's just doing her political self harm. She would have a much easier time traveling and doing meet-n-greets as a governor, since she would have an excuse to travel (She's done a few, since the election).

Even if she just wanted out of politics, it would've been best to wait for her term to expire to avoid two separate rounds of questionings (One now, one in 2012). Although I suppose if that was her goal, she timed it fairly well. With the death of MJ, the news has hardly given any attention to her.

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges

Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 22:12:21 GMT

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nikki6ixx wrote on Wed, 08 July 2009 15:46She was cleared of all ethics charges...

No, she was cleared of 13 of 15. 2 are unresolved.

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges

Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Wed, 08 Jul 2009 22:25:51 GMT

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 02:02:11 GMT

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Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 03:37:20 GMT

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Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 04:04:34 GMT

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So what's the outstanding one? The one by the woman who was upset that Palin wore a jacket from the company that sponsor's her husband's snowmobiling?

I'm surprised that's even being looked into, because it's so frivolous; in fact, quite a few of them are pretty moronic, and seem to be character assassination. I'm surprised the trivial complaints are being investigated at all.

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 05:41:06 GMT

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Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges

Posted by [DarkKnight](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 05:49:09 GMT

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Posted by [Rocko](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 06:55:16 GMT

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Posted by [DarkKnight](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 11:27:14 GMT

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Shows what you know. I didn't like her, didn't like mccain, dont like obama. I think their all part of the corrupt machine running this country and we need a new party.

Rocko wrote on Thu, 09 July 2009 01:55darknight is a conservative zealot

wow you must just wait til i post something so you have something to say. feel sorry for you

Subject: Re: Sarah Palin Resigns Amidst Ethics Charges

Posted by [Dover](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 17:28:49 GMT

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Posted by [DarkKnight](#) on Thu, 09 Jul 2009 21:55:00 GMT

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I would vote for a ugly blue skin before Palin tbh

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Posted by [Ryan3k](#) on Wed, 15 Jul 2009 16:24:26 GMT

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all you guys who think she's hot must not be looking too closely. she has a flat ass
