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## **Trump will win in 2020 if Democrats don't change**

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Because of continuous establishment Democrat ineptitude, the odds of a Trump re-election in 2020 are very good. The president may be off the legislative message daily, but his core political message, the elites are screwing you and the poor are undeserving of your taxes, remains the same.

To generalize Trump voters, they are the whole range of the middle class; lower to upper. They see that the boys at Goldman Sachs were never prosecuted for the mortgage debt crisis (maybe because Wall Street gave Obama so much money). They see that ACA heavily subsidizes low income people's health insurance. They fall in a gap where they feel cut out of the action. Today, we see an effort by some Democrats to address this justifiable middle-class grudge by starting a national healthcare discussion. Earlier this year, Democrats would have been wise to suggest ACA repeal and replacement with a national health care model. Republicans would recoil in horror but Trump who has no allegiance or ideology might be happy to sign with Democrats for national health care and some dandy press.

Democrats have never confessed (nor has the media spoken) that the ACA was plagiarized from the Republican organ, Cato Institute Policy. The sorry financial state of the state of Kansas leaves any doubt about the wisdom forthcoming from Cato. Inexplicably, the effort to raise support for national health care has been resisted by some nervous establishment Democrats. This hardly paints an inspiring vision to motivate the base to knock doors and make phone calls in 2020. If the Democrat position in 2020 is still to improve the ACA, Democrat legislators can rest assured they will not have to get out of bed in the morning because there will still be nothing for them to do.