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The NGO Funding Debacle

DOGE has outed the NGOs, the non-government organizations funded by your taxes. Shockingly, there are more than 100,000 government-funded NGOs and over 35,000 of them rely on federal grants for more than 50 percent of their total revenue.

Most of them are likely not on the side of freedom, limited government, and constitutional constraints. Thus, you are paying for organizations working against you and your principles.

How many would disappear if they had to rely on charitable donations? Make it so. I look forward to most or all of them being shut down. Non-governmental organizations funded by the government are essentially government organizations that have no statutory authority to exist. They should find private donors or go away.

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