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I believe the only solution to ongoing divisiveness is to do away with the political parties period.

Until this is done the fighting and the lack of cooperation will continue. A number of years ago, I decided to become an independent voter - not a member of the Independent Party - but an independent voter -

one who looks at the issues objectively, looks at the candidates individually, believes in the sacredness of our constitution and governance with respect. This would support the election of the person(s) with the greatest number of votes, the electoral college eliminated. This past election has placed a dangerous ill-fit psychopathic narcissistic ill spoken - seemingly uneducated in basic college level entry classes - lying without even apology egotist to lead our nation.

His party surely recognizes what

a misfit Trump is for this office, but chooses to put party before national safety and interest and

common sense. Therefore, it is time to move from a system of political parties to a system where intelligent research and discussion can be done without one belonging to any political affiliation. I do understand the number of independent voters is on the rise.

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