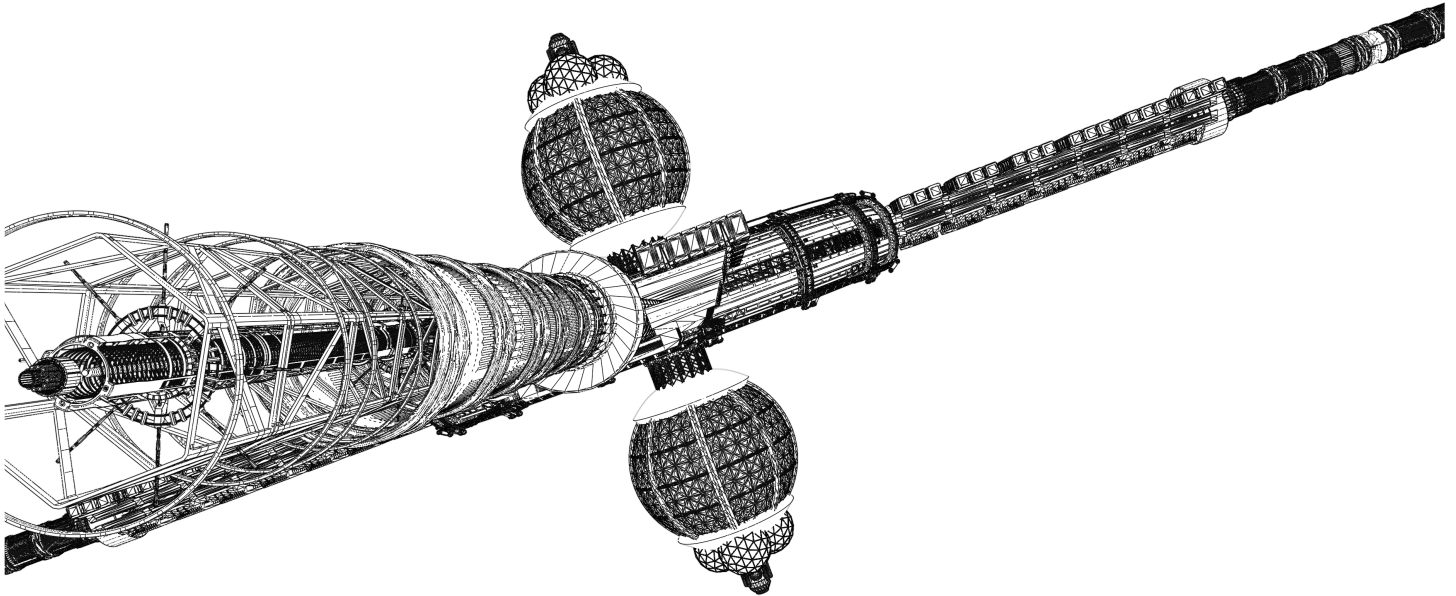




Eternal Liberty Space Program: Settling Space While Ensuring Individual Liberty & Civil Rights via Income Sharing Agreements



As humanity stands at the precipice of the greatest adventure in the annals of history—settling the stars—we must ensure that the guiding light of liberty, justice, and human dignity continues to illuminate our path, no matter how far we venture from our earthly home. This policy proposal introduces a transformative vision for space settlement, one that not only funds the advancement of spacefaring technologies but also enshrines eternal principles of individual rights and civil liberties that have defined the American spirit and inspired the world.

The Problem: Uncharted Space, Unprotected Rights

In the vast, unregulated expanse of space, the principles that have safeguarded human dignity on Earth must not be left to chance. Just as the oceans are boundless, so too is space—a realm where no single government holds sway. As private enterprises push the frontiers of exploration and establish settlements beyond Earth's atmosphere, the risk of exploitation, human rights abuses, and the erosion of civil liberties becomes ever more real. Without a clear and resolute legal framework, space settlers

- **SPISA Program:** Provides no-interest loans to spacefaring companies with repayment at 2x, supporting space settlement at no cost to Americans.
- **Rights Protection:** Ensures companies adhere to U.S. governance on individual and civil rights in space.
- **Profits for Civil Rights:** Government profits from the program are dedicated to advancing U.S. civil rights legislation.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

could find themselves at the mercy of powers that do not hold sacred the flame of individual rights as we do. This is a future we must not allow to pass. The principles of liberty and justice that have been our nation's greatest gift to the world must not falter as we extend our reach to the stars.

Pioneering the Cosmos: The Eternal Flame of American Liberty

Imagine, if you will, a civilization once bowed beneath the oppressive yoke of tyrants, bound to the earth by the cruel fetters of despotism. Humanity, like a noble but beleaguered giant, struggled to rise, casting off the chains that held it in thrall. Through great toil and perseverance, we lifted ourselves from the dark soil of subjugation, ascending from the depths of indignity toward the radiant heights of enlightenment. In this grand ascent, the principles of liberty, justice, and individual rights took root, flourishing in the light of newfound freedom—a light that spread across the world, illuminating the path of progress for all mankind.

Now, having triumphed over the forces that once sought to keep us bound low, our civilization stands at the threshold of a new and even greater ascent. Just as America once rose above the oppression of earthly tyrants, so too do we now seek to rise above the very bounds of the earth itself. This is no mere physical endeavor, but a continuation of our eternal quest for elevation—a quest to transcend the limitations imposed upon us by nature, just as we once transcended the limitations imposed by the indignity of kings.



As we prepare to ascend into the boundless expanse of the cosmos, we carry with us the sacred flame of our civilization, a flame that has burned brightly through our struggles and triumphs alike. In this new endeavor, as in our struggle against despotism, our purpose is clear: to lift humanity to new heights, to ensure that the ideals we fought so valiantly to secure on Earth are carried forth and planted among the stars. There, in the infinite reaches of space, these principles shall take root and flourish, just as they have in our nation, spreading the light of liberty, justice, and human dignity to every corner of the cosmos, forever guiding the way for all who follow.

A new epoch is upon us, one that promises to transcend the boundaries of our home planet and spread the seeds of our civilization into the cosmos, forevermore. At the heart of this monumental leap lies a revolutionary

invention—the Potential Energy Harvester—which offers a means to harness energy in ways that defy our previous limitations. This magnificently liberating technology unlocks the potential for our spacefaring vessels to be powered indefinitely, enabling humanity to forge a path among the stars.

In this grand and noble enterprise, shining the torch of liberty across the cosmos, we bring ultimate fruition to the work begun by the founders of our great nation, who envisioned a world where reason and justice would prevail over ignorance and oppression. Now, as America embarks upon the next great chapter of our great and storied history, we honor the legacy of our founding fathers by carrying the torch of enlightenment into the heavens, lighting the way for generations yet to come, across the universe, forevermore.

Policy Proposal: Space Income Sharing Agreements (SPISA)

This policy proposes creation of the Eternal Liberty Space Program and the Space Program Income Sharing Agreement (SPISA), a visionary financial mechanism that aligns the boundless possibilities of space exploration with the eternal principles of the United States.

SPISA Loans for Spacefaring Companies: The U.S. government shall offer no-interest loans to companies daring enough to develop the technologies that will carry us into the stars. These loans will be repaid at a multiple of 2x the original amount through an unburdensome shared percentage of income once these companies begin to reap the fruits of their endeavors. This ensures that the government is safeguarded against potential losses while allowing successful ventures to contribute to the collective advancement of humanity.

Legal Obligation to U.S. Governance: In exchange for these favorable terms, companies must pledge their adherence to U.S. governance in all matters concerning the protection of individual and civil rights, irrespective of their operations' distance from Earth. Thus, the flame of American liberty shall burn brightly wherever humanity dares to tread.

Extending Rights to Spacefarers: Every individual who partakes in this grand endeavor—be they settlers, travelers, or consumers of space technology—shall be bound by these same principles. This policy establishes a universal legal framework that guarantees the protection of rights, ensuring that the ideals of freedom and dignity that have defined our nation are carried forward into the cosmos.

Global Leadership in Space Governance: By coupling financial support with an unwavering commitment to human rights, the United States can lead the global community in building a spacefaring civilization where individual freedoms are enshrined and protected. This policy is not just a safeguard; it is the vanguard of a new age of enlightened exploration.



Strategic Approaches to Space Governance

Do Nothing: Risking the Flame of American Liberty: Take no action, allowing other nations or entities to dictate the terms of space exploration and governance.

- **Benefits:** No immediate financial outlay or governmental intervention.
- **Drawbacks:** Abandonment of U.S. leadership in space, potential erosion of American values, and missed opportunities to extend the light of liberty across the stars.

Interest-Bearing Loans: Provide traditional interest-bearing loans to spacefaring companies with a mandate for adherence to U.S. governance on civil rights.

- **Benefits:** Generates revenue for the federal budget while maintaining a commitment to protecting American values in space.
- **Drawbacks:** May hinder innovation and settlement due to the uncertainty of the total repayment amount and financial burden on emerging companies, limiting their participation in the cosmic frontier.

Eternal Liberty (Recommended): No-Interest SPISA Loans with 2x Repayment Multiple:

Offer loans with a 2x repayment multiple, ensuring U.S. governance on civil rights is an inextricable part of space exploration.

- **Benefits:** Catalyzes rapid development, reduces financial strain on pioneers of the cosmos, and ensures the sustainability of government investment.
- **Drawbacks:** The reliance on no-interest loans with a repayment multiple may initially place a heavier burden on resources, requiring care to ensure that the program remains fiscally sustainable.

Implementation Plan

Phase 1: The Founding of a New Framework

- Draft and establish the legal and financial framework for SPISA, ensuring that the principles of liberty and justice are deeply embedded within the terms of engagement for participating companies.
- Forge partnerships with leading spacefaring enterprises to pilot the SPISA program, ensuring that all agreements are firmly in place before the first loans are disbursed.

Phase 2: The Great Expansion

- Unveil the SPISA program, offering initial funding to companies that demonstrate the courage and capability to lead humanity into the stars.
- Vigilantly monitor compliance with U.S. governance requirements, conducting regular audits to ensure that the flame of American liberty continues to burn bright in every corner of the cosmos.

Phase 3: A New Order of Universal Rights

- Promote the SPISA model as the gold standard for international space governance, inviting other nations to join in the noble pursuit of a civilization where rights and freedoms are held sacred.
- Collaborate with global partners to craft a unified approach to human rights in space, using the success of the Eternal Liberty Space Program as the cornerstone of a new age of enlightened exploration.

Charting the Future: An Eternal Standard for All Mankind



Settlement of space is not merely the next chapter in human history—it is the dawn of a new age. By embracing SPISA with a 2x repayment multiple, the United States will ensure that the principles of liberty and justice that have defined our nation for centuries are not lost but rather magnified as we venture into the stars. This policy secures America's leadership in space exploration and guarantees that the values we hold dear on Earth will forever guide us as we spread our civilization across the cosmos, now and forevermore

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