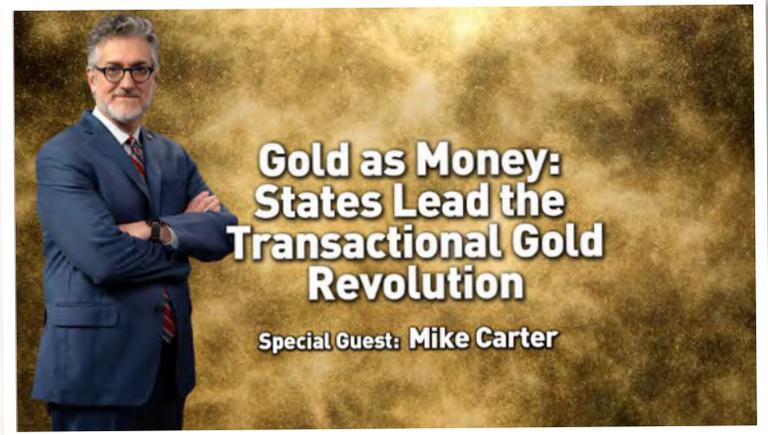


## Pirate Money Legislative Update

A quiet but powerful shift is underway across America: states are reclaiming their constitutional authority under Article I, Section 10 of the U.S. Constitution to recognize gold and silver as real money once again. What generations have viewed primarily as a static investment or hedge is beginning to evolve into transactional currency—capable of serving as a practical medium of exchange for everyday purchases, a reliable unit of account, and a durable store of value that better withstands inflation than fiat currencies subject to ongoing expansion. This growing movement, already enacted in states such as Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Missouri, and Texas, combines the timeless stability of precious metals with modern infrastructure like secure digital platforms, audited vaults, and electronic transfers. Supporters see it as a step toward greater financial sovereignty and protection against monetary instability, while the conversation has moved decisively from theory to active implementation and public awareness.



### In this briefing we will discuss the following:

- » The Emergence of Transactional Gold as a Constitutional Monetary System
- » Implementation Infrastructure and the Guardrails Required to Make Gold Spendable
- » Industry Resistance, Economic Implications, and Long-Term Monetary Protection

**YOUR MISSION:** Understand how states are activating Article I, Section 10 of the U.S. Constitution to restore gold and silver as functional, transactional money—and strengthen your personal financial sovereignty in an era of monetary uncertainty.

### WHY YOU SHOULD CARE

- » This movement offers a personal, practical defense against the erosion of purchasing power caused by ongoing currency expansion.
- » It directly impacts your ability to preserve wealth in a form that has served humanity for millennia.

- » Understanding transactional gold helps you navigate an environment where traditional fiat currencies face increasing pressure.
- » The changes underway can affect how you save, spend, and protect your assets in the coming years.
- » Early awareness positions you to participate in what may become one of the most significant monetary innovations of our time.

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Mike Carter, co-host of Pirate Money Radio, is a Co-Founder of the NSIC Institute, a producer of the Economic War Room, and the Economic War Room patriot leading state efforts considering transactional gold and silver. Pirate Money Radio aims to inform and provide economic solutions to listeners, emphasizing the importance of being faithful with money, which includes giving, spending, and investing based on liberty, security, and values (LSV). Each week, Kevin Freeman discusses various economic challenges and aims to help people prepare and protect themselves from potential cyber-attacks, inflation, and other financial crises, offering real-world solutions.



## 1. The Emergence of Transactional Gold as a Constitutional Monetary System

Across the United States, a quiet but consequential shift is underway as states begin restoring gold and silver to their constitutional role as money.

Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Missouri, and Texas have all enacted legislation recognizing precious metals as legal tender in alignment with **Article I, Section 10 of the U.S. Constitution**—the clause that affirms gold and silver coin as lawful money for the payment of debts.

These efforts are not about turning back the clock. Instead, they seek to combine the historic stability of precious metals with modern financial infrastructure.



“It’s in Article One, Section Ten. The technology exists. We’re simply ensuring that states have the purity of gold... that they’ve got the real gold. The purity is there, and it’s safely vaulted and creating safety rails so the private market can compete.”

–Mike Carter

Another important aspect of this approach is accessibility. Traditional gold ownership often required purchasing full coins or large bars worth thousands of dollars, placing the asset out of reach for many households.

Modern transactional systems allow individuals to hold and transact with fractional amounts of gold, making sound money accessible to everyday savers rather than only large investors.

Rather than replacing the U.S. dollar, these systems introduce monetary choice. Individuals could hold and transact in gold alongside conventional currency, strengthening personal financial resilience during periods of inflation or monetary instability.

As more states move toward adoption, the conversation is shifting from legislation to implementation.

Passing the laws is only the first step. For gold to function as a true medium of exchange in modern society, states must now establish the infrastructure, custody systems, and technological frameworks necessary to make precious metals spendable at the speed of today’s economy.



**Attention: States are successfully reviving the Founders’ vision of gold and silver as constitutional money—and the next challenge is building the systems that allow it to function in everyday commerce.**

## 2. Implementation Infrastructure and the Guardrails Required to Make Gold Spendable

Passing legislation is only the first step in restoring gold to the monetary system. The real challenge comes in building the infrastructure necessary to allow gold to move through the economy efficiently, securely, and at the speed of modern commerce.

Unlike earlier centuries—when coins changed hands directly in markets and shops—modern transactional gold systems rely on digital settlement networks, secure vaulting, and standardized safeguards.

These systems allow gold ownership to move instantly between parties while the underlying metal remains safely stored.

For gold to function as a practical form of money, several key elements must be established.

### Vetted Depositories

Secure facilities such as the Texas Bullion Depository or private vault providers store the physical metal backing digital transactions. The gold itself does not move with each transaction; instead, ownership of the metal changes while it remains securely vaulted.

### Custodial Controls

Custody refers to the secure holding of financial assets on behalf of an owner. In a transactional gold system, custodians must verify that the gold exists, is properly allocated, and belongs to the account holder initiating the transaction.

### Purity Standards

Gold must meet recognized purity levels—typically 99.5% or higher—to ensure consistency and reliability across the system.



### **Auditing and Insurance**

Regular third-party audits confirm that the gold held in storage actually exists and matches recorded balances. Insurance coverage protects against theft, fraud, or operational risk.

### **Payment Processors**

Digital platforms translate gold balances into real-time payment capabilities, allowing individuals to spend gold through payment cards or mobile applications while merchants receive settlement instantly. And those payment rails must have protections to prevent money laundering.

These safeguards—often described as guardrails—serve the same purpose that regulatory standards provide in other financial markets: ensuring consumer protection, transparency, and system reliability while allowing private innovation to flourish.

**“Fences create freedom... There needs to be a limited role in government to set up these safety rails... to make sure that there’s consistency and standards.” –Mike Carter**

The purpose of these guardrails is not to nationalize gold or create heavy-handed regulation. Rather, they establish clear standards that allow private companies to compete while maintaining trust in the system.

Implementation is already moving forward in several states.

- » Texas has issued a Request for Information (RFI) to help design and optimize its transactional gold framework.
- » Florida is working toward launch timelines for its system.

At the same time, private platforms such as Glint have already demonstrated the concept by allowing users to spend gold-backed balances anywhere Mastercard is accepted.

Another important aspect of a currency is accessibility.

Modern technology allows individuals to purchase fractional amounts of gold, rather than requiring the purchase of full-ounce coins worth thousands of dollars. Savers can

accumulate gold gradually—in increments as small as a few dollars—making sound money accessible to a much broader segment of the population.

As these systems mature, the infrastructure being built today will determine whether gold can function as a genuine medium of exchange rather than simply remaining a long-term investment asset.



**Attention: Proper infrastructure and protective standards are what transform gold from a static investment into a secure, functional currency for everyday use.**

### **3. Industry Resistance, Economic Implications, and Long-Term Monetary Protection**

As with many financial innovations, the movement to restore gold as transactional money has generated resistance from certain corners of the marketplace.

While the concept enjoys strong public support and growing legislative momentum, a few participants in the traditional gold industry have voiced opposition—often portraying the legislation as excessive government involvement or suggesting it could disrupt existing markets. Their motives are suspect. Are they simply trying to protect their lucrative high-margin business?

In practice, participation in transactional gold systems remains entirely voluntary. Individuals can continue purchasing gold as an investment just as they always have.

What these new frameworks introduce is an additional option: the ability to use gold as money if individuals choose to do so.

The laws are designed to encourage private-sector innovation while establishing guardrails that prevent fraud and ensure transparency.

The resistance from some industry participants is not difficult to understand. A significant portion of the traditional gold retail market relies on the sale of collectible or investment-grade metals with substantial markups.

A system that allows gold to circulate digitally—with transparent pricing and lower transaction costs—has the potential to disrupt those business models.

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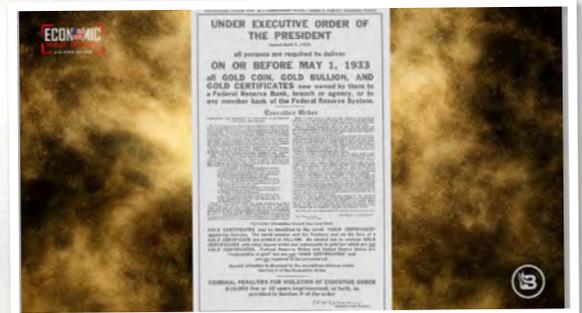


The broader implications of transactional gold extend well beyond industry competition. One of the most significant potential benefits is greater financial accessibility.

Traditional gold ownership often requires purchasing full coins or bars worth thousands of dollars. Transactional platforms, however, allow individuals to hold and spend fractional amounts of gold, making inflation-resistant savings tools available to ordinary workers rather than only large investors.

This shift also carries important historical and constitutional implications. In 1933, the federal government ordered the confiscation of privately held gold, citing the fact that large quantities were being hoarded rather than used within the monetary system.

“In 1933, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, the president of the United States, confiscated everybody’s gold. Why? Read his executive order. He said, because gold wasn’t being used as money. That’s literally what he said. It’s being hoarded, and it’s not being freely exchanged in the monetary system.” –Kevin Freeman



A system in which gold actively circulates as money could fundamentally alter that dynamic.

When precious metals are integrated into everyday commerce—rather than sitting idle in vaults—they strengthen their legal and economic standing within the monetary system.

There are also potential tax implications. If gold becomes widely recognized and used as

currency rather than as a collectible, policymakers may eventually reconsider how it is treated within tax codes—particularly regarding capital gains taxation on transactions involving gold.

Taken together, these developments represent more than a niche financial reform. They touch on fundamental questions about monetary freedom, financial stability, and who ultimately controls the mechanisms of exchange in society.



**Attention: Overcoming industry resistance and establishing transactional gold creates both immediate economic opportunity and long-term protection for individuals seeking to preserve and use sound money.**



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4. **Monitor State-Level Developments**  
Track legislative activity in your state regarding gold, silver, and transactional payment systems that allow precious metals to function as money.
5. **Learn the Infrastructure Behind Transactional Gold**  
Familiarize yourself with key terms such as **bullion depository, custodial vaulting, auditing, purity standards, and payment processors** to understand how gold can move through the economy securely.
6. **Consider Inflation Protection Strategies**  
Evaluate how assets such as **physical gold or gold-backed accounts** can help preserve purchasing power during periods of currency inflation.
7. **Share the Concept of Constitutional Money**  
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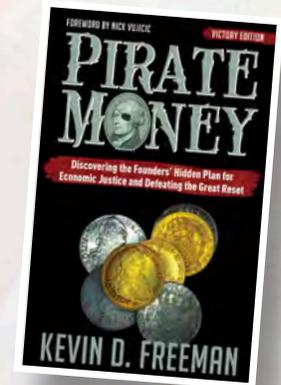
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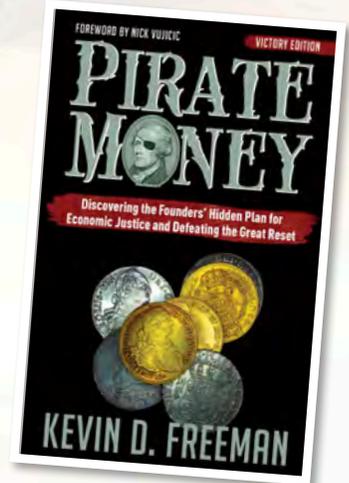
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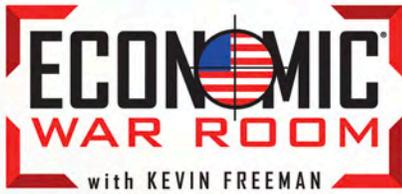
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