

## Post-Resuscitation Asset Preservation - Brain Storm Question

### What Will Have Extrinsic Value in Our P-R Future ?

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After I first became exposed to the works of Eric Drexler and nanotechnology (before the word was co-opted and molecular manufacturing became the necessary term), I began saying, "What will matter is matter." ★

It is really a continuation of mankind's territorial quests.

My premise rests on the matter/energy required for data storage, integration and retrieval - along with the matter necessary for creation of "whatever" your mind (shall I say heart) desires. *Matter* will help to facilitate our **desires**. This includes knowledge, relationships, travel, adventure, stuff, ....

Matter, as it turns out, is a scarce commodity in our known universe.

The Mafia, with its large scale interests in waste and garbage of all sorts, sits (quite literally) on a pile of *diverse* matter. They will possess some valuable matter.

What would I do if I had the means? I can only fantasize. I would invest in every available piece of land in North Dakota - garbage dumps included.

Well, there you have it. During my brainstorming session I will be asking for comments and alternative speculations regarding the question, "What will have extrinsic value in our P-R future?"

Thank-you !

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Notice:

This is a sample of *one* Brain Storm question only. A summary of all Brain Storm topics will be made available in summer of 2009.

★ Intrinsic values such as qualities of goodness, kindness and attitude yield to a different and varied judgement system.

# References

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# Background

## *Options for Safe, Secure and Legal Asset Preservation for Post-Resuscitation Access*

In early January, 2008 Russell Cheney requested that I help with his quest to determine the best way to preserve his assets during biostasis. His plan was to meet and talk it over with a few experts. Both *David Kekich* and *Michael Kornis / Gilda Kabral* had offered to host this meeting. I posed several questions - and then I agreed. Russell graciously turned it over to me and covered ALL of my expenses. As he will readily tell you, it evolved into much more.

My first thought was to enjoy the advantage of both hosts - an initial gathering where those experienced with our unique needs could share their knowledge amongst themselves and before a few excellent fellow cryonicists - and then a two month *rumination break* leading to a follow-up gathering where alterations, additions or deletions to their material could then be switched out.

After many hours of research I discovered that this topic had already been covered. Suspended Animation included the panel "Funding for Cryonics, Revival, and Wealth Preservation," in their May, 2007 conference. *Martine Rothblatt* included three speakers on wealth preservation trusts during the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Colloquium on the Law of Transhuman Persons held on December 10, 2005 at Teresem's Space Coast, Florida office. Several chat boards included much chatting. Certain individuals with much to preserve had paid much to legal and financial experts to create their own individual plans. It seemed silly to have each cryonicist reinvent or discover our unique wheel.

This is when I committed to creating a **tangible, useful, evolving resource** notebook that brought all available options together in one hard copy volume that would be made available to all cryonicists. So, be sure to let me know of additional knowledgeable contacts. I entered this project ignorant and am happy to be further educated.

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