
Business cuts spending, but then oil and mining kick up.

Big gain from minerals.
Defense Spending

Same forecast whoever won the election.

Consumer Spending Growth

Consumers will follow total GDP growth.

Interest Rates

10-year Treasury

3-month Treasury

Stock Market

Mr. Market is happier than warranted by my forecast.

Expecting stronger demand for credit.
Both states sell a lot to China.

Mexico only about 20% of exports in both states

If you might have worked with fake IDs, worry about an audit.

Govt. lacks resources to find all undocumented workers, but it might find yours.
Consulting

Uncertain About the Future? Contingency planning can help you execute changes faster, and in a way consistent with core values and strategy. Call Dr. Conerly for his assistance.

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