



Is a baby or a hero suing big tech?



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Talking Points

1. What do these cartoons say about former President Donald Trump suing Facebook, Twitter and Google, claiming the companies are censoring conservatives like him?
2. When and why did the tech companies ban Trump from their social media platforms?
3. If Trump has little chance of winning his lawsuit, as legal experts say, why would he sue? To gain attention? To raise more money from supporters?
4. Should a private company be forced to publish your claims?

Between the lines

"Facebook and Twitter themselves have a First Amendment free speech right to determine what speech their platforms project and amplify - and that right includes excluding speakers who incite violence." - Paul Barrett, NYU.

<https://www.startribune.com/trump-files-suit-against-facebook-twitter-and-youtube/600075731/>

Additional resources

- [More by Christopher Weyant](https://www.cagle.com/author/chris-wevant/)

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- [More by Antonio F. Branco](https://www.editorialcartoonists.com/cartoonists/branca/cartoons/)

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