

WHITE HOUSE LOOKS AT DEPORTING ELON MUSK

Elon says Trump should be **IMPEACHED** as he drags JD Vance into vicious spat: MAGA demands Tesla boss' deportation



ALL OUT WAR

President Donald Trump threatened on Thursday to cut off government contracts with billionaire Elon Musk's companies, and Musk suggested Trump should be impeached, as the bromance between the president and his former adviser disintegrated into a barroom brawl. Trump started the feud in remarks from the Oval Office. Musk quickly responded with posts on his social media site X, and within hours both were trading barbs on their respective social media platforms.

Elon Musk agreed Thursday that President **Donald Trump** should be impeached and replaced with 40-year-old Vice President **J.D. Vance** amid their fiery falling out on Thursday.

X User Ian Miles Cheong wrote: 'President vs Elon. Who wins? My money's on Elon. Trump should be impeached and JD Vance should replace him.'

'Yes,' Musk responded.

He also predicted that Trump's tariff policy would create economic turmoil.

'The Trump **tariffs** will cause a recession in the second half of this year,' Musk said. The impeachment call comes after Musk **made the eye-popping claim** that the president is 'in the Epstein files' and as he also threatened to decommission the space ships that are taking **NASA** astronauts and supplies to the **International Space Station**.

That came after Trump threatened to cancel all of Musk's government contracts and said he had pushed the billionaire DOGE leader out and in turn the SpaceX CEO had gone 'CRAZY!'

One of Trump's oldest advisers, Steve Bannon, went even further and suggested the South African-born Musk should be deported.



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An image of President Donald Trump (left) and Elon Musk (right) in the Oval Office in March. Trump and Musk spectacularly broke up on Thursday with Musk publicly encouraging Trump to be impeached



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Elon Musk answered 'yes' when one X user floated impeaching President Donald Trump and replacing him with 40-year-old Vice President J.D. Vance

'They should initiate a formal investigation of his immigration status because I am of the strong belief that he is an illegal alien, and he should be deported from the country immediately,' Bannon said [in a phone interview Thursday with The New York Times](#).

Later on his War Room show, Bannon - who has long openly criticized the billionaire - called Musk an 'unstable individual' and a 'national security issue,' pointing to [The New York Times report that charted](#) the DOGE leader's drug use.

'President Trump is a bull and Elon is a baby calf,' Bannon also said.

The spectacular fallout between Trump and Musk - who were political allies for a little less than a year - started in recent weeks when the billionaire started resisting Republicans' 'big, beautiful bill,' arguing that the spending wiped out DOGE's cost-cutting efforts.

Then, on Thursday, when Trump was supposed to be hosting the new German Chancellor Friedrich Merz in the Oval Office he was asked about Musk's recent criticism.

From there the dam broke.

'Elon and I had a great relationship. I don't know if we will any more, I was surprised,' Trump told reporters.

The president suggested that Musk was angry - not over the bill ballooning the deficit - but because the Trump administration has pulled back on electric vehicle mandates, which negatively impacted [Tesla](#), and replaced the Musk-approved nominee to lead [NASA](#), which could hinder [SpaceX](#)'s government contracts.

'And you know, Elon's upset because we took the EV mandate, which was a lot of money for electric vehicles, and they're having a hard time the electric vehicles and they want us to pay billions of dollars in subsidy,' Trump said. 'I know that disburbed him.'



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President Donald Trump attends a meeting with the Fraternal Order of Police in the State Dining Room, taking a brief break from his all-day war with former DOGE leader Elon Musk

Over the weekend, Trump pulled the nomination of Jared Isaacman to lead NASA.

Isaacman had worked alongside Musk at SpaceX.

'He recommended somebody that I guess he knew very well, I'm sure he respected him, to run NASA and I didn't think it was appropriate and he happened to be a Democrat, like totally Democrat,' Trump continued. 'We won, we get certain privileges and one of the privileges is we don't have to appoint a Democrat.'

Musk posted to X as Trump's Q&A with reporters was ongoing.

'Whatever,' the billionaire wrote.

'Keep the EV/solar incentive cuts in the bill, even though no oil & gas subsidies are touched (very unfair!!), but ditch the MOUNTAIN of DISGUSTING PORK in the bill,' he advised.

'In the entire history of civilization, there has never been legislation that [is] both big and beautiful. Everyone knows this!' Musk continued. 'Either you get a big and ugly bill or a slim and beautiful bill. Slim and beautiful is the way.'

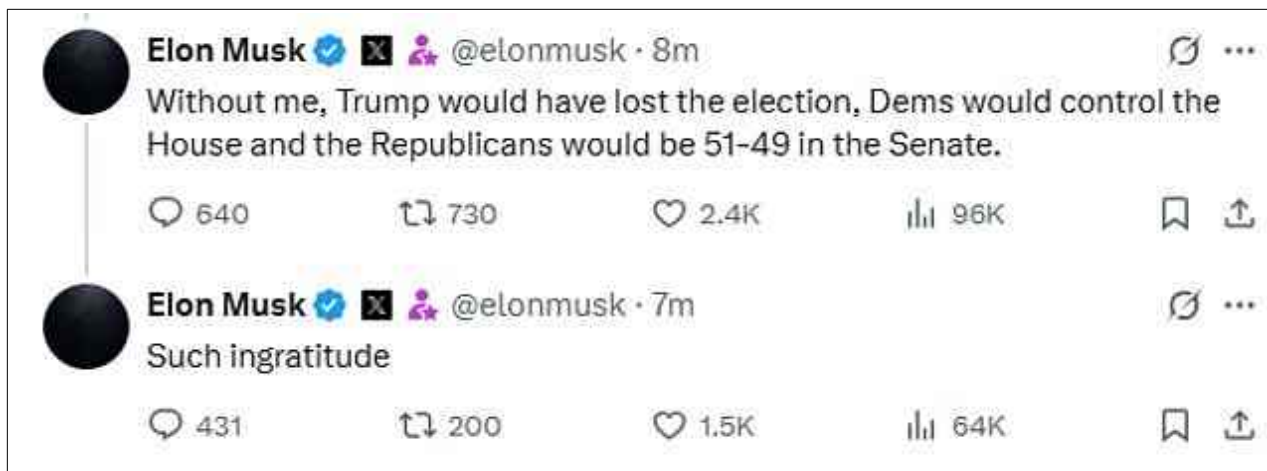
The spat quickly turned personal with Musk then posting that Trump would have lost the 2024 election had it not been for the world's richest man - him.



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Elon Musk affirmed Thursday that he would like to see Vice President J.D. Vance take President Donald Trump's place after he and Trump got in a very public spat



Elon Musk objected to President Donald Trump's claim that Trump would have won Pennsylvania - and the 2024 election - without the help from the world's richest man. 'Such ingratitude,' Musk commented

Musk had publicly endorsed Trump on the heels of the July 13th assassination attempt in Butler, **Pennsylvania** and poured around \$290 million of his fortune into the Republican's campaign.

The billionaire also joined Trump on the campaign trail when he returned to the site of the Butler shooting in early October, a month before Election Day.

Is this clash about policy or personal ego?

Policy

Ego

Trump said in the Oval that he likely still would have won Pennsylvania without Musk's help and because Democratic Vice President **Kamala Harris** didn't choose the state's governor, Josh Shapiro, to be her running mate.

Even with Shapiro on the ticket, Trump claimed, 'I would have won Pennsylvania, I would have won by a lot.'

Musk said that was laughable.

'Without me, Trump would have lost the election, Dems would control the House and the Republicans would be 51-49 in the Senate,' Musk claimed.

'Such ingratitude,' the billionaire added.

The 53-year-old Musk also asserted he had more staying power than the 78-year-old president.



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President Donald Trump (right) celebrated Elon Musk's (left) time in his administration on Friday, less than a week before their dramatic and very public break-up

'Oh and some food for thought as they ponder this question: Trump has 3.5 years left as President, but I will be around for 40+ years,' Musk said Thursday afternoon, responding to a post from MAGA agitator Laura Loomer.

Loomer said she was reporting from Capitol Hill and that Republican lawmakers were trying to determine if it was better to side with Trump or Musk.

After his meeting with Merz, Trump continued to throw punches online.

Trump asserted that he had asked Musk to leave his administration and said the billionaire went 'CRAZY!'

'Elon was "wearing thin," I asked him to leave, I took away his EV Mandate that forced everyone to buy Electric Cars that nobody else wanted (that he knew for months I was going to do!), and he just went CRAZY!' Trump wrote.

The president then threatened to pull [SpaceX](#) and Tesla's government contracts. 'The easiest way to save money in our Budget, Billions and Billions of Dollars, is to terminate Elon's Governmental Subsidies and Contracts. I was always surprised that Biden didn't do it!' Trump wrote.



Elon Musk dramatically charged that President Donald Trump's name appears in the files of known pedophile Jeffrey Epstein



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This 1997 photo shows then real estate developer Donald Trump (right) alongside Jeffrey Epstein (left), the pedophile sex offender who died in prison in 2019

Musk then taunted Trump to act.

'This just gets better and better,' he wrote. 'Go ahead, make my day ...'

In a follow-up post, Musk said he would 'begin decommissioning its Dragon spacecraft immediately.'

The Dragon is how NASA astronauts currently travel to the International Space Station - and how supplies make it there.

As the fight continued, Tesla shares plummeted.

Anti-semitic rapper Kanye West even got involved.

'Brooooo please noooooo. We love you both so much,' West wrote.

And Musk threw the Epstein bomb.

'@realDonaldTrump is in the Epstein files. That is the real reason they have not been made public,' Musk wrote. 'Have a nice day, DJT!'

Jeffrey Epstein is a serial child sex offender who died in prison in 2019.

Trump pledged to release the files related to Epstein, with Attorney General Pam Bondi releasing some pages in February, but most of that information was already in the public domain.

'Mark this post for the future. The truth will come out,' Musk added.

The White House did not immediately respond to the Daily Mail's request for comment.

Trump didn't directly respond to Musk's Epstein charge, instead posting what amounted to a shrug on Truth Social, while also continuing to back the 'big, beautiful bill.'

'I don't mind Elon turning against me, but he should have done so months ago,' Trump wrote. 'This is one of the Greatest Bills ever presented to Congress.'

Later he ignored shouted questions from reporters on Musk's Epstein charge as he hosted the National Fraternal Order of Police executive board in the State Dining Room.

It was less than a week ago that Trump gave Musk a golden key and a DOGE send-off from the Oval Office.