

While millions of people have crossed the border illegally since Joe Biden took office, Gabe Vasquez supports tearing down the border wall and abolishing the office of immigration and customs enforcement, ICE

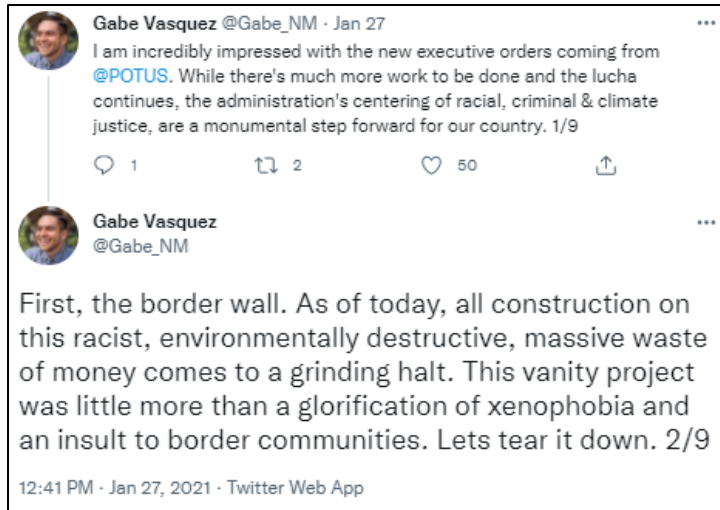
In 2017, Vasquez Called The Border Wall A “Racist Monument” That Is Creating A “Green And Brown Coalition” Of Environmentalists And Immigrants. “Another borderlander with roots on both sides of the international line, Vasquez elicited claps at Monday’s demonstration when he pointed out that the City of Sunland Park is seeking to build a border crossing — not a barrier — at the very spot where the protest was unfolding. He later compared colonias near Las Cruces — where residents struggle with paperwork and lengthy, bureaucratic processes to get arsenic cleaned up from their water supplies — with the willingness of the Trump administration to shell out \$25 billion for a ‘racist monument,’ a reference to an estimate of how much it might cost to cover the entire length of the nearly 2,000-mile long U.S.-Mexico border with a wall... Asked about the diverse attendance at the Sunland Park border fence protest/town hall, Vasquez said Washington’s border policies are stirring a new convergence of forces — or a ‘green and brown coalition,’ as he put it. ‘The border is this kind of place for the synthesis of ideas. It’s about our culture, tradition and wildlife,’ the Las Cruces-based activist said. ‘You have Texas and New Mexico getting together. You have immigration advocates and environmentalists coming together — I should say conservationists, because I consider myself a conservationist. It’s conserving our land, our culture and our way of life.’” (Kent Paterson, “Trump Inspires A ‘Green And Brown Coalition’ In The Borderlands,” [NM Politics](#), 9/1/17)

In 2020, Vasquez Said It Was “Time To Take Down The Wall That’s Being Financed And Is Being Constructed With Illegal Funds.” (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 6/26/20)



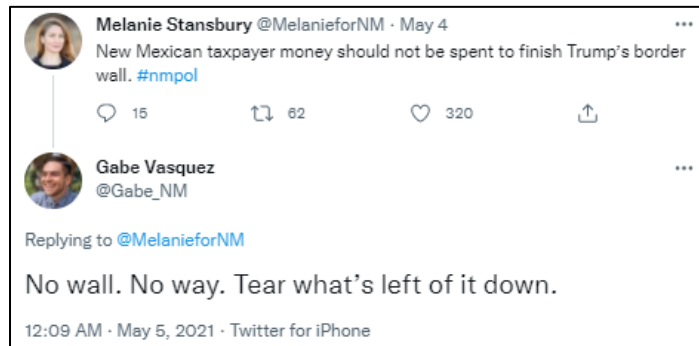
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In 2021, Vasquez Called The Border Wall A “Racist, Environmentally Destructive, Massive Waste Of Money” Built Out Of “Xenophobia.” (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 1/27/21)



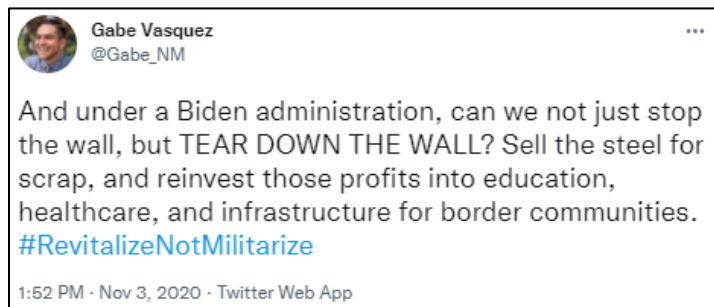
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In 2021, Vasquez Tweeted: “No Wall. No Way. Tear What’s Left Of It Down.” (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 5/5/21)



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Vasquez Wants To “TEAR DOWN THE WALL.” (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 11/3/20)



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In 2019, Vasquez Called The Border Wall A “Needless” And “Ineffective” Project Put Up By A “Crooked, Racist Administration.” (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 11/11/19)



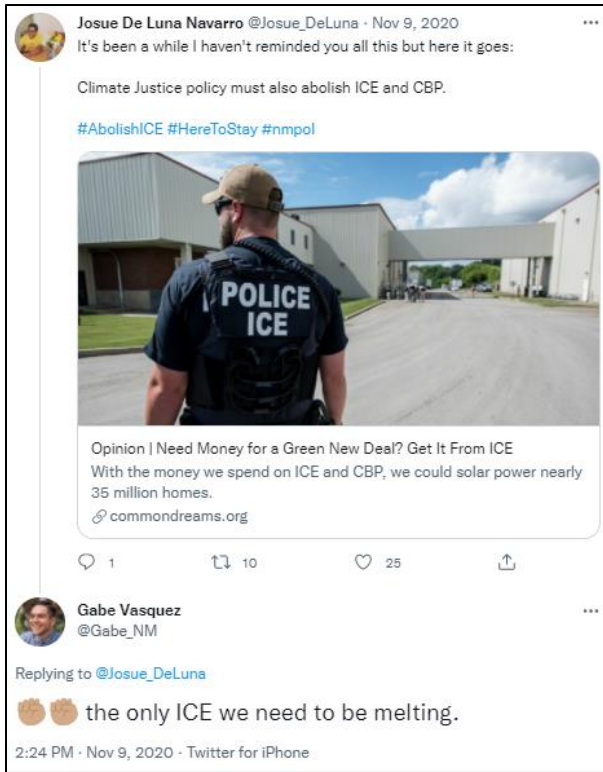
(Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 11/11/19)

In 2020, Vasquez Retweeted Support To Abolish ICE And CBP. (Josue De Luna Navarro, [Twitter](#), 11/9/20)



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- **Vasquez Replied, “The Only ICE We Need To Be Melting.”** (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 11/9/20)




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In 2020, Vasquez Retweeted A Tweet Saying, “ICE Is Committing Genocide.” (Saira Rao, [Twitter](#), 9/15/20)




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In 2020, Vasquez Claimed ICE Has “No Regard For The Humanity” Of Immigrants. (Gabe Vasquez, [Twitter](#), 7/22/20)


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There are few things a nation can't come back from. I'd argue that a federal govt. that launches an assault on its own citizens is one of them. This is an abuse of power and fuel for a civil war and it will forever scar the already damaged relationship between people and govt.

 **Martin Heinrich** @MartinHeinrich · Jul 21, 2020

The US Attorney for New Mexico informed me today that "Operation Legend" is coming to Albuquerque. Given the mess it created in Portland, I let him know in no uncertain terms that this isn't the kind of "help" that Albuquerque needs. [newsweek.com/what-operation...](https://www.newsweek.com/what-operation-legend-is-operation-legend-1501111)

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Ill add that ICE & CBP have been doing this for decades - disappearing mothers, fathers, children, with no regard to their value or contributions to their communities. Certainly no regard for their humanity. But we know why that's largely been ignored by the public at large

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