The Hill is running an article today regarding the rapport and work relationship that Congressman Mike Pence and House Minority Leader John Boehner share, particularly in light of Congressman Pence's run for Minority Leader two years ago.

The relationship is clearly a strategic one.

Boehner, a tanned, cigarette-smoking alpha male who is occasionally prone to colorful language, has led the Republican Conference from the center-right. He is a stark contrast to Pence, a soft-spoken conservative who frequently quotes biblical passages in his prepared remarks.

As he worked closer with Boehner, Pence appeared to hold back his criticism of leadership this cycle — especially compared to when Rep. Dennis Hastert (R-Ill.) was House Speaker.

For example, Pence opposed the financial bailout that Boehner backed. But the way Pence spoke out against the bailout was less brash than when he rallied members to oppose the Medicare drug expansion.

Boehner has experienced firsthand Pence's ability to stage a rebellion and the pull he has with the large conservative base of the House GOP.

Read the article **HERE** .