

DEMOCRATIC VICTORIES

2024 Funding Bills Put People Over Politics



INVESTING IN PROGRAMS THAT HELP AMERICANS

In the first six 2024 funding bills, Democrats put People Over Politics and made government work for people. These domestic investments keep our government open and help Americans with the high cost of living, create good paying jobs, protect women's rights, honor our commitments to our veterans, and confront the climate crisis. This package:

- **Rejects House Republicans' proposed cuts of more than 22%** and does not include hundreds of the harmful, discriminatory policies that would have hurt Americans.
- **Fully funds the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)** at the administration's requested level of \$7.03 billion and reverses the Republican effort to drastically cut the fruit and vegetable benefits in the WIC program.
- **Protects women's access to mifepristone** and reproductive care against Republican attempts to ban abortion nationally.
- **Confronts the climate crisis** with more than \$15 billion of transformative investments in clean energy and science, which will help develop **clean, affordable, and secure American energy** and increased climate change and resiliency funding to help military installations adapt to rising sea levels and worsening natural disasters.
- **Invests more than \$10 billion in our nation's water infrastructure**, critical to protecting communities from more frequent and severe storms and worsening droughts.
- Provides additional funding to continue the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act **pay increase for wildland firefighters**.
- **Supports our veterans** with investments in health care, including targeted investments that **advance women's health, mental health, and homelessness assistance**.
- Includes strong investments to **plan, design, and construct critical facilities on military installations**, including family housing, barracks, and child development centers, and build, repair, and retrofit Veterans Affairs facilities.
- **Remediates harmful substances and chemicals** leaked into the land and water sources.
- **Creates and sustains good-paying American jobs** by rebuilding our crumbling infrastructure with investments in airports, highways, transit, passenger rail, port, and affordable housing.
- Stabilizes communities by **protecting housing assistance** for nearly 5 million low-income individuals and families to ensure they continue to remain in safe, stable, and affordable housing.
- **Promotes safe transportation and housing** with a skilled and growing workforce to conduct inspections, mitigate hazards, and study emerging threats and innovative solutions.
- **Restores funding for rail and transit systems** gutted in House Republicans' original funding bills.