



APPROPRIATIONS

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H.R. 7006, Financial Services and General Government and National Security, Department of State, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2026

Delivering economic growth, safety, strength, and freedom

Aligning Spending with America First Priorities: Upholding the mission of DOGE, House Republicans are following through on the promises made to the American people to use taxpayer dollars on programs that support American priorities.

- This means we don't send blank checks to nations who wish us harm.
- Republicans are holding the United Nations accountable for their ineffectiveness with double-digit cuts and new reforms, empowering the Trump Administration to use funding as leverage.
- We are requiring foreign assistance to be aligned toward U.S. national security priorities and consistent with America First foreign policy.
- Woke, DEI programs and funding for inefficient, so-called "green" programs are eliminated.
- We're stopping the flow of fentanyl into American communities by utilizing foreign policy to stop the drugs before they ever arrive on U.S. soil.
- Also invests in the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) to strengthen interdiction and protect our communities from illicit contraband.
- We enhance funding for Treasury's Office of Terrorism and Financial Intelligence to stop terrorists, criminals, and bad actors from using the financial system.
- The new America First Opportunity Fund will enhance U.S. leverage abroad, enabling rapid response to crises and engagement with key partners.
- Republicans are countering China on all fronts: protecting students from CCP influence, protecting our banks from CCP manipulation, and strengthening programs to combat our adversaries.
- We don't negotiate with terrorists... so why are we funding them? Republicans are eliminating Biden-era funding for UNRWA, as well as boosting protections against funds going to the Taliban.
- Illegal mass-migration caravans are a national security threat. This bill prohibits U.S. aid from helping people illegally enter our nation.
- This bill requires the Secretary of State to establish a strategy for transitioning PEPFAR programs to country-led ownership, with a key focus on reducing U.S. assistance.
- Support for democratic allies around the world remains a top foreign policy priority. This bill directs the U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations to recommend adjustments to bilateral assistance based on a country's United Nations voting record, including support for Taiwan's participation in international organizations.



Ending Wasteful Government Spending: Republicans are cutting the bloat and aligning federal spending with U.S. priorities.

- We are eliminating redundancies – like zeroing out the Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator – and identifying underutilized federal office spaces through GSA to lower costs and cut wasteful spending.
- Divisive Biden-era policies are ended, including woke green appliance mandates, the Gender Equality Action Fund, the Clean Technology Fund, and we are protecting Americans from a weaponized IRS by cutting enforcement funding to rein in overreach.
- No more requirements to fund fake solutions to a fake climate crisis – Republicans are focusing environmental spending on conservation and countering illegal wildlife trafficking.
- Women and girls have been under attack from the Left. This bill supports economic empowerment and security of women and girls.
- Republicans are eliminating spending on programs advancing radical and harmful gender ideology.
- Resources are redirected where they matter most: enacting President Trump’s priorities and agenda, safeguarding American communities and technology infrastructure from bad actors, and taking critical steps to modernize and streamline government.

Supporting American Values: House Republicans have been working hand-in-hand with the Trump Administration to codify, fund, and protect the work President Trump and his Cabinet have been doing across the Executive Branch.

- Republicans are standing by the long-held pro-life provisions and enhancing oversight and transparency over program implementation to ensure American taxpayer dollars will not fund abortions.
- As religious persecution escalates around the world, Republicans are increasing support for religious freedom programs and demanding protections for faith-based organizations.
- To help reduce violence against Christians, this bill is restricting assistance to Nigeria unless the Nigerian government certifies they are taking measurable steps to safeguard religious minorities.
- The right to free speech is sacrosanct. Republicans are strongly supporting Americans’ right to free speech and prohibiting censorship by banning “disinformation” and “misinformation” programs that violate the First Amendment rights of the American people.
- We are confronting human trafficking by blocking funds for countries and organizations that continue to benefit from the human trafficking of Cuban medical doctors.

Driving Economic Growth: Four years of Biden-Harris policies had a devastating impact on the U.S. economy, making life more expensive for working families and causing record-high inflation. It’s a fact: when the government spends more, the American people have less.



- Republicans are restoring fiscal sanity to the appropriations process, carefully making cuts to programs that waste taxpayer resources and drive our nation further into debt.
- Republicans are supporting businesses and investors by ensuring the Securities and Exchange Commission has the resources it needs to increase access to capital.
- “Buy American” requirements will maximize the federal government’s use of goods and services produced and offered in the United States.
- Massive amounts of COVID-era spending – which was particularly susceptible to fraud and abuse – remain unused. Republicans are increasing oversight over those programs to stop the waste of taxpayer dollars.

IRS Block and Tackle: While the Biden Administration wanted to hire 87,000 new IRS agents to go after working-class Americans, Republicans are stripping billions in funding from these programs to ensure the IRS remains focused on tracking down fraudsters and tax cheats – not harassing hardworking families.

- We are stopping the IRS from targeting individuals for exercising their First Amendment rights.
- The IRS shouldn’t be used as a weapon against Americans – it should be a customer service-oriented agency that helps Americans.
- Republicans are cutting over \$1 billion from the Department of Treasury to realign the Department’s spending with America First priorities.

Eyes on D.C.: Congress has constitutional oversight over the District of Columbia. As the home of our nation’s government and a destination for millions of Americans and visitors alike every year, the district must be clean, safe, and a welcoming host.

- Republicans are maintaining pro-life safeguards on the use of government funds in the district, as well as the conscience clause on any D.C. contraceptive requirement.
- D.C.’s harmful and addiction-enabling policies have done nothing to stop rampant, dangerous drug use. Republicans are protecting the residents of the city and visitors alike by banning these programs.
- In support of President Trump’s “Make America Safe Again” initiative, Republicans are supporting offender supervision, National Guard deployment, law enforcement, and public safety programs in our nation’s capital.

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