

Secures America and Our Allies



APPROPRIATIONS

COMMITTEE REPUBLICANS

- ✓ Addresses the humanitarian and security crisis at the southwest border by including \$1.375 billion for 55 new miles of wall or physical barrier, as well as additional technology to combat human and drug trafficking.
- ✓ Supports Immigration and Customs Enforcement priorities, including funding for detention beds at a higher level than the amount enacted in FY18, allowing flexibility to address surges in illegal immigration and apprehensions, and not including limits on ICE enforcement actions that could have caused criminal aliens to be released.
- ✓ Reduces the immigration case backlog by increasing the number of immigration judge teams from 395 at the end of FY18 to 534.
- ✓ Increases funding for federal law enforcement to combat terrorists, espionage, drug traffickers, gangs, and violent criminals. Funding is increased for U.S. Attorneys; U.S. Marshals; Drug Enforcement Administration; Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives; and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
- ✓ Continues assistance to our state and local law enforcement partners by providing increased funding for the following: State Criminal Alien Assistance Program, STOP School Violence Act, Violence Against Women Act programs, Byrne Justice Assistance Grants, and Missing and Exploited Children Programs.
- ✓ Combats the financing of terrorism and terrorist groups and strengthens the development and enforcement of sanctions against Iran, North Korea, Russia, and Cuba by providing increased funding for the Treasury Office of Terrorism and Financial Intelligence.
- ✓ Provides more than \$9 billion for international security assistance programs - including funding for antiterrorism programs; the Countering Russian Influence Fund authorized by Congress; and programs to implement the President's Executive Order on Transnational Criminal Organizations and Preventing International Trafficking.
- ✓ Keeps our commitment to Israel's security by fully funding the new \$3.3 billion Memorandum of Understanding.
- ✓ Empowers the Secretary of State to withhold funds from a United Nations agency if the Secretary determines that an agency acts against the national security interest of the United States, or an ally of the United States, including Israel.
- ✓ Provides \$200 million for stabilization assistance for areas affected by ISIS and other terrorist organizations, including help for vulnerable ethnic and religious minority communities affected by conflict.

Enhances Economic Prosperity



- ✓ Encourages economic development and job creation in rural communities across the country by providing more than \$3.7 billion for rural development programs.
- ✓ Encourages growth and development of America's small businesses by providing the opportunity to obtain capital through various Small Business Administration loan programs. This includes full funding to support \$30 billion in 7(a) and \$7.5 billion in 504 small business loans.
- ✓ Provides funding necessary to implement the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, and ensures that American families are keeping more of their hard-earned dollars, our small businesses are empowered to grow and expand, and investments are flowing to communities that need it most.
- ✓ Works to combat plant and animal pests and diseases that could cripple U.S. producers and threaten our food supply, including citrus greening, spotted lantern fly, Roseau Cane activities, and opens export markets for U.S. agriculture by providing \$1.01 billion for the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.
- ✓ Reins in the EPA's economically harmful regulatory agenda by cutting funding for regulatory programs by \$15 million.

Protects Life



- ✓ Maintains all pro-life language included in the various bills enacted during the 115th Congress under the Republican majority, including the following:
 - ✓ Prohibits the FDA from approving genetic modification of human embryos;
 - ✓ Bans funding for abortions for federal prisoners, provides conscience protection for prison employees, and bans Legal Services Corporation funds from going to organizations that engage in abortion-related litigation;
 - ✓ Prohibits funding of abortion coverage in the Federal Employee Health Benefit plan, provides conscience protections, and bans both federal and local revenues for abortion in Washington, DC; and
 - ✓ Maintains all prior year pro-life funding restrictions in the State-Foreign Operations division (e.g., Helms, Kemp-Kasten, Tiahrt) and rejects attempts to roll back the President's Protecting Life in Global Health Assistance policy also known as the expanded Mexico City Policy.

Promotes Health and Safety



- ✓ Advances drug treatment and recovery initiatives, and improves prevention and enforcement by investing \$468 million in Justice grant programs that support drug courts, prescription drug monitoring and overdose-reversal drugs, and at-risk youth programs.
- ✓ Increases and focuses funding on medical product safety, including funding to fight opioid abuse, advance drug and biological product manufacturing within the United States, approve rare disease medications, and modernize generic drug development.
- ✓ Includes \$8.83 billion in Global Health Programs, which is an increase of \$147 million above FY18. Funds will support increases in maternal and child health and programs to combat HIV/AIDS and Tuberculosis. Assistance will also be used to prevent, detect, and respond to dangerous outbreaks abroad before they reach our shores.
- ✓ Keeps safe and healthy food on the tables of American families by providing \$1.05 billion for food safety and inspection programs at the Department of Agriculture.
- ✓ Provides \$3.9 billion for the Department of the Interior and the U.S. Forest Service to fight devastating wildfires that threaten our communities.

Invests in Infrastructure



- ✓ Improves and maintains our nation's transportation infrastructure by providing a total of \$72.6 billion.
- ✓ Increases Highway funding by \$1.8 billion, for a total of \$49.26 billion.
- ✓ Provides \$292.7 million for improvements to our coastal seaports to modernize infrastructure and to ensure economic competitiveness by keeping freight costs down and expediting shipping to our ports.
- ✓ Includes \$2.9 billion for the Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Funds and \$68 million for the Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act program, leveraging federal dollars to finance more than \$7 billion in water infrastructure projects.
- ✓ Ensures that rural areas have the same access to basic utilities that urban areas do by investing in critical infrastructure such as over \$660 million in rural broadband expansion to unserved / underserved rural communities; \$6.9 billion for rural electric and telecommunications loans; \$1.45 billion in loans and \$620 million in grants / loan subsidies for clean drinking water and waste disposal systems.