

DEMOCRATS' "COVID RELIEF" - TOP 10 WORST ITEMS

As House Democrats and the Biden Administration look to pass a \$1.9 trillion "COVID Relief" bill, here are 10 reasons to oppose the misnamed American Rescue Plan Act:

- 1. Any of the \$687 billion (over a third of the bill) that would not be spent in 2021
- 2. <u>\$86 billion taxpayer bailout of failing union pension plans that were mismanaged before the pandemic</u>
- 3. \$350 billion in state and local aid that gives more money to states that shut down their economies and caused massive unemployment
- 4. An open door for taxpayer-funded abortions by not including Hyde amendment protections across multiple grant programs
- 5. Pays 120% of the outstanding debt of minority farmers and ranchers, irrespective of how the pandemic impacted them
- 6. Expansion of government-controlled healthcare with \$15 billion to pressure states to expand Medicaid and \$35 billion to expand Obamacare, while eliminating the current income cap
- 7. <u>\$50 million</u> for "environmental justice" grants for community projects that address harmful environmental exposure and an additional <u>\$50 million</u> for EPA air quality monitoring grants that have nothing to do with COVID
- 8. \$135 million for the National Endowment for the Arts and an additional \$135 million for the National Endowment for the Humanities
- 9. \$200 million for the Institute of Museum and Library Services
- 10. \$175 million for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting to fund public television and radio