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1964 Civil Rights Act 1965 Voting Rights Act Affordable Care Act AmeriCorps CDC Family and Medical Leave Act Food Stamp Act Freedom of Information Act GI Bill of Rights Medicare and Medicaid Minimum Wage Act National Labor Relations Act National Science Foundation National Voter Registration Social Security Unemployment Compensation Workers Compensation

<u>American Rescue Plan Act</u>

- Provided \$1400 to every taxpayer and each of his or her dependents
- Expanded coverage and reduced premiums under Obamacare for 9 million Americans
- Expanded and extended unemployment
- Increased SNAP benefits
- Increased and expanded Child Tax Credit
- Made largest investment in childcare assistance since World War II
- Increased the Earned Income Tax Credit for frontline workers who helped their communities through the COVID crisis

- Invested \$160 billion on supplies and vaccines to combat COVID
- Distributed \$360 billion to local governments to help keep front line public workers on the job and paid
- Provided emergency grants and loans to hard-hit small businesses
- Established a special sign-up period for the Affordable Care Act, adding 800,000 previously uninsured to the ranks of the insured.

Bipartisan Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act

- Makes the largest federal investment in public transit ever
- Makes the largest federal investment in passenger rail since the creation of Amtrak
- Makes the single largest dedicated bridge investment since the construction of the interstate highway system
- Makes the largest investment in clean drinking water and wastewater infrastructure in American history, delivering clean water to millions of families

- Ensures every American has access to reliable high-speed internet
- Helps us tackle the climate crisis with the largest investment in clean energy transmission and EV infrastructure in history; will electrify thousands of school and transit buses across the country; will create a new agency to build a resilient, clean, 21st century electric grid

Build Back Better Act, passed by House, November 19, 2021

- Provides \$555 billion to fight climate change
- Provides \$382 billion for childcare and universal preschool
- Provides \$205 billion for family and medical

leave

- Provides \$198 billion to extend Child Tax and Earned Income Credit
- Provides \$150 billion for home care

¹ The Delray Democrat, December 2021, p. 5

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- Provides \$166 billion for housing Provides \$130 billion in states where • Republicans refuse 90% federal funding

provided by Obamacare to expand Medicaid Provide \$35 billion to expand Medicare to cover • hearing aids and tests