On March 11, 2021, President Biden signed into law the $2 trillion American Rescue Plan (ARP) to incentivize COVID-19 lockdowns, reward the President’s political allies, pay workers to stay home, and fuel the fires of inflation.

**WHAT WE KNEW THEN ABOUT ARP**

- **$4 trillion** already enacted in earlier COVID-19 packages.
- **$1 trillion** of unspent COVID-19 funds still remained.
- **$670 billion** not spent until 2022 or later.
- **Less than 9%** went to combating COVID-19.
- **$500+ billion** for state and local bailouts.
- **21%** or **$400 billion** went to policies that reduce private-sector employment.

The Congressional Budget Office predicted in February 2021 that by mid-2021 the economy would already be returning to pre-pandemic levels of growth absent any further stimulus spending.

Rising inflation and price spikes from this spending were predicted outcomes from economic experts, including Obama’s former Economic Advisor.
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WHAT WE KNOW NOW ABOUT ARP

7.9% Inflation rate year-over-year.

HIGHEST SPIKE IN PRICES IN 40 YEARS

Produced ZERO of the 4 million jobs the WH projected with ARP

10.252 million
6.252 million
6.252 million
6.116 million

White House Projection with ARP
CBO Projection without ARP
Actual Job Growth

The average U.S. household paid $3,500 more last year.

March 2021
77% of Americans believed ARP would help them.

December 2021
21% of voters believe ARP helped them.
29% of voters say ARP left them worse off.

$2 billion diverted from COVID-19 vaccines and tests to house illegal immigrants from Biden’s border crisis.

0 Number of times Biden’s “Rescue Czar” has testified before Congress.

$87+ billion And counting in verified COVID-19 Unemployment fraud ignored by Democrats.

3.4 million More job vacancies since ARP was passed.
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**BIDEN’S TRAIL OF ARP WASTE**

- **$2 billion**
  Upwards of $2 billion was sent to nonexistent county governments in states such as Connecticut and Rhode Island.

- **$783.5 million**
  The Biden Administration sent $783.5 million in ARP-funded stimulus checks to 560,000 convicted prisoners including the Boston Marathon Bomber.

- **$2.1 million**
  Palm Beach Gardens, Florida is planning to spend $2.1 million in ARP funds on a golf course, driving range, and clubhouse.

- **$4 million**
  Horry County, South Carolina plans to use $4 million in ARP funds to build new parking lots and bathrooms.

- **$40 million**
  The state of Delaware is using $40 million in ARP funds on building and expanding libraries.

- **$4 million**
  A school district in Texas approved $4 million in ARP funds to expand a nature park and bird sanctuary.

- **$2 billion**
  The Biden Administration diverted over $2 billion in ARP funds meant for COVID-19 testing and vaccines to house illegal immigrants at the border.

- **$31 million**
  The city of Chicago spent $31 million of ARP funds to create a guaranteed income program.

- **$3.7 million**
  The Small Business Administration (SBA) granted $3.7 million in ARP funds to the basketball hall of fame in Massachusetts.

- **$25.6 million**
  The state of Maine set aside $25.6 million just to administer their roughly $4.5 billion in ARP funding.

- **$20 million**
  The state of Maine spent about $20 million in ARP funds modernizing fish hatcheries.

- **$2 million**
  The city of Syracuse, New York budgeted $2 million of ARP funds to plant 3,600 trees.

- **$1,400/person**
  Japanese citizens living in Japan received ARP-funded $1,400 stimulus checks from the U.S. government.

- **$800,000**
  The city of Norwich, Connecticut is using at least $800,000 from ARP funds to develop luxury apartments.

- **$659,000**
  The City Council of Binghamton, New York voted to spend $659,000 in ARP funds to repair the roof and ceiling in their chambers.

- **$15 million**
  The state of New Jersey is funneling $15 million in ARP funds to a sports complex for the 2026 World Cup.

- **$16 million**
  Maine is spending $16 million in ARP funds to improve its fishing industry and update its state parks and provide electric vehicle charging stations.

- **$18 million**
  The city of Philadelphia plans to spend $18 million in ARP funds to test a “universal basic income” pilot program.

- **$4 million**
  The city of Providence, Rhode Island is using $4 million in ARP funds to revamp a park by building a new visitors’ center and bike share.

- **$400 million**
  Michigan Governor Gretchen Whitmer is proposing to spend $400 million in ARP funds upgrading state parks and trails.

- **$157 million**
  Fort Bend County, Texas will spend $157 million in ARP funds on a multimillion-dollar courtroom expansion, new government buildings, vehicles, and audio-visual tools.