

Dear Neighbor,

As the year comes to a close, I wanted to take a moment to <u>look back</u> on what we achieved together in 2021, and look ahead to what we'll be working on in 2022.

This year, President Biden signed the *American Rescue Plan* and *Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act* into law, creating millions of jobs, vaccinating hundreds of millions of Americans, and getting our communities the help we need. Now, we're working to lower costs, extend tax cuts, and ease inflationary pressures.



PROVIDING COVID-19 RELIEF: The pandemic upended our lives and livelihoods, so we delivered immediate relief to get shots in arms, keep small businesses open, get children safely back to school, and put money in the pockets of families with stimulus checks and Child Tax Credit payments.



FIGHTING INFLATION: Americans are struggling to pay their bills, so the President is working to fight inflation by easing bottlenecks at America's ports, cracking down on corporate greed, and lowering prices for gas, food, and other everyday expenses.



LOWERING HEALTH CARE COSTS: Everyone deserves access to quality affordable health care, so we're working to lower prescription drug costs, allow Medicare to cover hearing aids, and expand health care coverage.



LOWERING CHILD CARE COSTS: Preschool and child care are too expensive for many families, so we're working to make preschool free for all 3- & 4-year-olds and make child care more affordable so parents can get to work knowing their kids are in safe, nurturing places.



LOWERING ELDER CARE COSTS: Caring for older loved ones is costing working families and preventing them from fully participating in our workforce and economy, so we're working to expand access to affordable, at-home care for older loved ones and people with disabilities—while ensuring their care workers get paid fairly.



UPGRADING OUR INFRASTRUCTURE: Our nation's outdated infrastructure weakens our economy, so we delivered the most significant investment in over a century in roads, bridges, public transit, internet access, and clean water.



COMBATTING CLIMATE CHANGE: Protecting our planet is critical to preserving the quality of life of future generations, so we're working to cut pollution, reduce energy costs, restore the Everglades, protect against natural disasters and sea level rise, and create good-paying clean energy jobs.



DEFENDING OUR DEMOCRACY: Voting is the cornerstone of a healthy democracy, and everyone deserves equal access to the ballot box, so we're working to protect voting rights, get dark money out of politics, and strengthen our democracy.

Palm Beach County is my home, and it's a community that I'm always proud to represent in Congress. I look forward to heading back to Washington, DC in 2022 to continue to work for you. Please contact my office if you need anything. Stay safe, and happy holidays!

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