

CONCERNED
WOMEN *for* AMERICA
LEGISLATIVE ACTION COMMITTEE

November 5, 2021

The Honorable
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative,

On behalf of the hundreds of thousands of supporters of Concerned Women for America Legislative Action Committee (CWALAC) around the country, I write to urge you to oppose H.R. 5376, the so-called “Build Back Better Act.” To cloak their complete disarray, Democrats are rushing to advance a 2,100-page “framework” bill that no member has had the chance to read. President Biden and congressional Democrats’ deceptive Build Back Better plan is nothing more than a massive, reckless tax and spend spree that would leave our country bankrupt, not better.

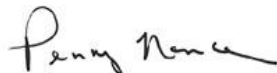
Americans can see straight through the smoke and mirrors. According to recent polling, 61% of Americans believe President Biden is asking Congress to spend too much money, and 60% believe the President is stimulating inflation through such careless spending. Furthermore, just over three-quarters of Americans favor capitalism over big government socialism.¹ Despite these clear sentiments, the Majority in Congress aims for the highest sustained spending level in our nation’s history, raising taxes on working families and job creators, driving up prices, and undermining wages.

The plan paves the way for cradle to grave big government intervention through costly mandates that manipulate parents in raising and educating children. From new childcare and Pre-K entitlements to monthly income subsidies per child, Democrats seek to impose a nanny state that overrules the real role of the family.

Adding to these concerns, H.R. 5376 creates unlimited avenues to finance elective abortion, including a new \$10 billion fund for states to pay nearly all out-of-pocket costs for abortions and subsidize insurance plans that cover abortion. Budget reconciliation allows Democrats to complete an end run around longstanding, once bipartisan, safeguards against forcing American taxpayers to fund the destruction of innocent human life.

This bill runs counter to American values and risks even greater strife to those recovering from the perils of the pandemic—hardships notably exacerbated by tone-deaf government decrees. We call on Congress to say NO to government overreach, excessive spending, and socialist policy. While the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) may not have had the opportunity to score H.R. 5376, CWALAC will score votes against this legislation and include those votes in our annual scorecard.

Sincerely,



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¹ <https://mclaughlinonline.com/2021/10/22/newsmax-article-mclaughlin-poll-likely-voters-still-favor-small-government-capitalism-vs-socialism/>