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THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF A DETERMINED PRESIDENT

There are so many accomplishments in the first half of Trump's second term, that it is actually dizzying to read. Although many voters do not agree with his resolute tactics, or cringe at his boisterous behavior, it is important to recognize that the man has succeeded where those before him have not. With only a limited amount of time to change the direction of a country mired in decline, he "hit the ground running" and pushed for policies to lift the country out of the depths of societal and industrial decay.

As stated by the President's former press secretary, Karoline Leavitt, "President Trump accomplished more in one year than many presidents did in eight. The President delivered on every major campaign promise — securing the border, stopping Biden's inflation crisis, signing the largest middle-class tax cuts in history, ending woke DEI (diversity, equity, inclusion) nonsense, and restoring American strength on the world stage."

Since the midterms are looming, we wanted to remind everyone of the successes of Trump's second term as President of the United States. It is truly mind-blowing.

Below is a partial list of President Donald J. Trump's accomplishments:

- Congress passed the "One Big Beautiful Bill", which will result in an estimated 15% tax cut for middle-income Americans. The bill also eliminated tax on tips, overtime and boosted the

child tax credit, along with providing no tax on Social Security benefits for most America's seniors. This is in addition to various tax benefits to corporations that will encourage investment and expansion by American manufacturers in the U.S. economy

- “Closed the border” by enforcing existing immigration laws and policies, thereby decreasing border crossings by an estimated 95%. Since the beginning of Trump’s second term, more than 900,000 people have been deported, and 2.2 million people have self deported as part of HHS’s CBP Home program launched in March of 2025
- Reduced the annual inflation rate to 2.6% as of December 2025. This is in contrast to the Biden administration, which oversaw the highest inflation rate in decades that rocketed to 9.1% in June of 2022 during Biden’s term.
- Spurred the re-industrialization of America to stop the loss of manufacturing in the U.S. by securing over \$5 trillion in new U.S.-based investments in his first 100 days. As of March 2026, total investment in the U.S. in manufacturing, technology and infrastructure reached \$11 trillion. <https://www.whitehouse.gov/investments/>
- The stock market continues to hit historic highs, supported by strong corporate earnings. The Dow Jones Industrial Average (DJIA) has increased 23% to close at 53,559 as of August 28, 2026, while both the NASDAQ and S & P 500 have sported significant gains.
- Launched the Anti-Fraud Task Force, headed by Vice President Vance, to reign in the billions of dollars stolen from the country’s taxpayers by fraudsters and criminals. Federal auditors have reported that the U.S. government is losing roughly **half a trillion dollars per year** to fraud across federal programs, including those run by states. <https://www.newsweek.com/us-government-fraud-gao-report-11837253>
- Negotiated multiple international peace deals, including Armenia-Azerbaijan; Congo-Rwanda; India-Pakistan; Thailand-Cambodia; Egypt-Ethopia; and Kosovo-Serbia, and brought Kazakhstan into the Abraham Accords.
- Arrest and extradition of the Abbey Gate terrorist that killed 13 U.S. servicemen and over 160 civilians during the Biden’s administration’s chaotic and disastrous withdrawal from Afghanistan in August of 2021.
- Negotiated with NATO to provide Ukraine with \$80 billion dollars of military aid in 2026, and a like amount in 2027, thereby relieving the U.S. taxpayer of the significant financial burden of supporting Ukraine in its war with Russia. NATO's commitment "reflects a shift towards greater European responsibility in financing Ukraine's defense efforts". Also secured an agreement with NATO to raise allied defense spending from 2% to 5% of GDP by 2035 — double the previous commitment.
- Eliminated Chinese influence over the Panama Canal, resulting in the Panamanian government withdrawing from China’s Belt and Road Initiative and terminating its contracts with a Hong Kong Based port facility management company. It should be noted that the Panama Canal is an essential U.S. trade route, built by the U.S. in the early 1900’s and officially turned over by the U.S. to Panama on December 31, 1999 in accordance with a negotiated promise. China’s move to dominate the canal was seen as a direct threat to U.S. trade and national security.

- Increased the U.S. Defense budget by approximately \$156 billion as part of the “One Big Beautiful Bill”, thereby providing funds for a second military buildup, and funding for the ‘Golden Dome’ defense shield to protect America from ballistic missile attacks.
- Launched “Operation Midnight Hammer” to eliminate Iran’s nuclear program, followed up by “Operation Epic Fury”, a fast-moving operation to degrade Iran’s ability to threaten U.S. forces and regional partners by eliminating Iran’s navy, neutralizing missile sites and launchers, and establishing total dominance over the skies. The purpose of the war is to ensure that Iran cannot develop a nuclear weapon and threaten the U.S. and Israel with annihilation. They are the world's largest state sponsor of terrorism and remain a direct and persistent threat. <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/bills/119/hres1099/text>
- Launched “Operation Absolute Resolve” in Venezuela, the outcome of which was the successful capture of Venezuelan President Nicolás Maduro. He has been charged in the U.S. with narco-terrorism, corruption, and drug trafficking by facilitating the importation of thousands of tons of cocaine into the U.S. and partnering with drug cartels designated as terrorists. "In 2019, the National Assembly of Venezuela invoked the Venezuelan constitution and declared that Maduro had usurped power and was not the president of Venezuela. Since 2019, more than 50 countries, including the United States, have refused to recognize Maduro as Venezuela’s head of state". <https://www.state.gov/nicolas-maduro-moros/>
- Abolished the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), by transferring USAID functions to the State Department. This move was made to eliminate wasteful and fraudulent programs to ensure that American aid decisions actually support U.S. foreign policy objectives.
- Increased recruitment of service members for the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and Space Force, by exceeding their 2025 targets, with some branches of the military actually achieving recruitment goals “months ahead of schedule”. This is in contrast to the severe recruitment difficulties experienced during the Biden administration.
- Signed an executive order that revoked a Biden-era 2021 executive order which stipulated that EVs make up 50% of all new cars by 2030. ***The new executive order also revoked allowing California to ban all internal-combustion cars by 2035.***
- Creation of the Trump accounts, which are a tax-advantaged investment account designed for children who are U.S. citizens under the age of 18. These accounts function as a type of individual retirement account (IRA) specifically for children, teaching them the benefits of saving and investing for their future and the foundations of the American economy. Children born between January 1, 2025, and December 31, 2028, are eligible for a one-time government contribution of \$1,000.
- Issued and signed an executive order titled "Keeping Men Out of Women's Sports," which prohibits transgender women from competing in female sports categories. “The order aims to protect women's access to fair athletic opportunities and reverses previous policies that allowed transgender athletes to participate based on their gender identity”.
- Directed the DOJ to issue a memo on parental rights in education in September 2025, affirming parents authority to direct their children’s moral and religious education. To prevent retaliation against parents who voiced concerns about school curricula, the memo instructs U.S. Attorneys to collaborate with local authorities to address violations of parental rights in educational settings.

- And as of this writing, on August 28, 2026, Trump announced the “biggest oil deal in world history” with Venezuela to secure 65 billion reserve barrels of oil. Secretary of State Mark Rubio wrote on X, “It demonstrates how President Trump’s bold foreign policy is driving America First wins: securing stable reserves and low-cost oil in our Hemisphere and lowering gas prices here at home. For the Venezuelan people, this deal will bring nearly \$100 billion in private investment, support thousands of high-paying jobs, and drive the reconstruction of Venezuela’s economy.”

Whew!! As noted in the opening paragraphs of this Newsletter, the above is only a “partial list” of Trumps accomplishments in the first 19-months of his second term. It is truly breathtaking.

Can You Believe It??? YES!!!

GO TRUMP!!!

The elections this midterm are critical. The **only way** we can ensure continued success of Trump’s mission to grow our economy and protect the foundations of our government and our society, is to ensure Republicans retain the House and Senate!

Please help us to get out the vote this November!!!

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