Legislation #549 A Bill to Implement Medicare-for-all

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

| 1 | SECTION 1. | The United States Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services shall |
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| 2 | | implement Medicare for all to ensure equal healthcare services for all |
| 3 | | Americans. |
| 4 | SECTION 2. | Medicare for all is defined as an expansion of the current medicare system, |
| 5 | | and will cover all essential treatment with no premiums or deductibles. |
| 6 | | Medicare for all will be a single-payer program in which all Americans are |
| 7 | | covered by a more generous version of the current Medicare insurance. |
| 8 | SECTION 3. | The United States Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services within the |
| 9 | | United State Department of Health and Human Services shall be |
| 10 | | responsible for the implementation and oversight of this legislation. |
| 11 | | A. In order to finance this bill, a 4% income-based premium paid by |
| 12 | | households would be implemented. |
| 13 | | a. A 4% income-based premium paid by households will raise \$3.5 |
| 14 | | trillion in ten years, which is approximately the amount this bill |
| 15 | | will cost over the same period of time. |
| 16 | | B. Medicare for all will be implemented over the next 10 years, from 2021 |
| 17 | | to 2031. Individuals will all be switched from their current insurance, to |
| 18 | | the new expanded medicare insurance. |
| 19 | | a. Individuals currently on medicare and medicaid will see minimal |
| 20 | | changes, only new benefits and lower fees. Individuals on |
| 21 | | private insurance will be switched over to the new medicare |
| 22 | | insurance with expanded benefits. |
| 23 | SECTION 4. | This bill will be implemented on January 20th, 2021. |
| 24 | SECTION 5. | All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void. |
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BILL #722 STOP THE STEAL ACT

| 1. Article 1 To reaffirm that Congress should have the authority to regulate money in politics. |
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| 2. Article 2 this bill specifically addresses monetary donations to campaigns. |
| 3. Article 3 The act takes effect starting March 22, 2021 even if the Federal Election |
| 4. Commission has not promulgated regulations to carry out the measure or its enforcement. |
| 5. Article 4 The Federal Election Commission, with assistance from the state in which the |
| 6. offender resides will see to a placard measuring three feet by six feet being displayed on the |
| 7. individual or establishment stating the pilfering of the offender(s) at the offender's expense |
| 8. and the offender will give twice the amount of capital given to be donated to local homeless |
| 9. shelters with the federal election commission's supervision. The shelters will be located in the |
| 10. district(s) in which the election is taking place. This ensures that people are being |
| 11. refranchised as voters with the capital that attempted to disenfranchise them. |
| 12. Article 5 Laws in conflict with this new policy shall be declared null and void, except for the 13. U.S. Constitution. |
| Respectfully Submitted, |
| Senator Caley Nee |
| Lake Braddock High School |

The Fresh Start Bill

- 1. **Article 1:** This Bill shall reduce the student loan debt of IT 2.Professionals by \$50,000 when they work in impoverished 3.rural/farming communities.
- 4. Article 2: An IT professional would be defined as any persons 5. who work in the software development, information security, or 6. the systems architecture fields.
- 7. Article 3: The program would start Oct. 1st, 2021.
- 8. **Articel 4**: The Department of Education would see to the 9. implementation and report on the progress of the program.
- 11. **Article 5**: All other laws that are in conflict with this new policy 12.shall hereby be declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Aidan Chomicki

Lake Braddock Secondary School

A Bill to Reinstate the Individual Mandate Penalty in the Affordable Care Act

| 1. | Article 1: | The United States Congress will vote to reinstate the Individual |
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| 2. | | Mandate Penalty aspect of the Affordable Care Act that was |
| 3. | | previously repealed through the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act |
| 4. | Article 2: | The Individual Mandate Penalty enforces the wide majority of |
| 5. | | the United States to have health insurance or be forced to pay |
| 6. | | a tax penalty in order to maintain low insurance premiums and a |
| 7. | | healthy population. |
| 8. | Article 3: | The legislation will be reinstated on Feb 1st, 2020. |
| 9. | Article 4: | The Internal Revenue Service will oversee the enforcement of this |
| 10. | | bill. |
| 11. | Article 5: | All laws in conflict with this new bill shall hereby be declared |
| 12. | | null and void. |

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Isaac Fenster Yorktown High School

A Bill To Reinstate the FEC to its Former Status Pre-2010

| 1. | Article I: | The federal government will provide subsidies for the FEC in order to | |
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| 2. | | Adequately monitor election spending and the influx of dark money from | |
| 3. | | Foreign entities or Super PACs. | |
| 4. | Article II: | The FEC is the Federal Election Commission, which monitors laws | |
| 6. | | Campaign finances. | |
| 7. | Article III: | This subsidy will be implemented on January 21st, once the | |
| 8. | | Following president is inaugurated. | |
| 9. | Article IV: | The Department of Homeland Security and the FEC itself will oversee | |
| 10. | | The enforcement of this bill. | |
| 11. | Article V: | All laws in conflict with this bill shall hereby be declared null and void. | |
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| Respe | ectfully Submitt | ted, | |
| Repre | sentative Jonat | han Dorsey | |

Yorktown Highschool

A bill to allow the EPA regulations

| 1 | Article I: | The EPA should be able to enforce the clean water act in order to create a | |
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| 2 | | safe environment for all Americans. | |
| 3 | Article II: | The clean water act of 1972 is an act that establishes the structure for | |
| 4 | | regulating the amount of pollutants that are in the waters of the | |
| 5 | | United States. | |
| 6 | Article III: | This bill will be implemented on February 1 2021. | |
| 7 | Article IV: | The environmental protection agency will oversee the implementation | |
| 8 | | of this bill. | |
| 9 | Article V: | All laws in conflict with this bill shall hereby be declared null and void. | |
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Respectfully Submitted,

Janie Gallagher

Yorktown High School

A Bill to Forgive \$20,000 in Federal Student Loan Debt

| 1. | Article I: | An amount of \$20,000 per borrower will be provided for federal student |
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| 2. | | loan forgiveness to help relieve economic distress that college students |
| 3. | | face due to COVID-19 and related unemployment issues. |
| 4. | Article II: | "Federal student loan forgiveness" will be defined as the complete |
| 5. | | cancellation of the specified amount of money from federal student loan |
| 6. | | debts for each borrower. |
| 7. | Article III: | U.S. Dept. of Education (ED), through Federal Student Aid (FSA), will be |
| 8. | | in charge of the distribution of the money towards loan forgiveness |
| 9. | | services. |
| 11. | Article IV: | This bill will be enacted immediately upon its passage. |
| 12. | Article V: | All laws in conflict with this bill shall hereby be declared null and void. |
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Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Avery Prather-Long Yorktown High School

A Bill to Restrict Fossil Fuel Emissions

| 1. | Article I: | The carbon footprint by U.S. companies will be restricted by a |
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| 2. | | mandated annual decrease of 2.5% from the previous |
| 3. | | year's emission levels (applies to all companies). |
| 4. | Article II: | "Carbon Footprint" is measured as how many tons of carbon dioxide are |
| 5. | | emitted per year. |
| 6. | Article III: | The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will implement and enforce |
| 7. | | any necessary regulations. |
| 8. | Article IV: | This bill shall be effective January 1, 2021. |
| 9. | Article V: | All laws in conflict with this bill shall hereby be declared null and void. |
| Respo | ectfully Submit | ted, |
| Dashi | ell Prather-Lon | g |
| Yorkto | own High Scho | ol |

A Bill to Abolish Income Tax

| 1 | Article I: | Income tax, in any form, will no longer be used as a viable |
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| 2 | | way to collect taxes. |
| 3 | Article II: | Any tax imposed on an individual's profits or income will |
| 4 | | be discarded. Instead, other forms of taxes will be used. |
| 5 | Article III: | This bill shall be implemented at the beginning of the 2022 |
| 6 | | fiscal year. |
| 7 | Article IV: | The Internal Revenue Service shall oversee the implementation |
| 8 | | of this bill. |
| 9 | Article V: | All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation |
| 10 | | are declared null and void. |

Respectfully Submitted By,
Representative Marium Khawaja

Bill # 965 A Bill to Reform the American Tax System

| 1 | Article I: | This bill shall implement a 3% tax on wealth all |
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| 2 | | American taxpayers that have a net worth of over \$50 million |
| 3 | Article II: | A wealth tax is defined as a tax of an entity's personal assets |
| 4 | Article III: | This policy will be enacted on January 1st, 2021 |
| 5 | Article IV: | The Department of Treasury and the Internal Revenue |
| 6 | | Service will oversee the implementation of this bill. |
| 7 | Article V: | All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation are |
| 8 | | declared null and void |

Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Luke Deeds

Resolution #977 World Health Organization Reform

| 1 | Whereas: | The World Health Organization must be reformed to have more |
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| 2 | | power over nations, and the US should play a role in that; and |
| 3 | Whereas: | The shortcomings of the WHO have recently been exposed to the |
| 4 | | world during the COVID-19 pandemics, as the organization has no |
| 5 | | real power to enact precautionary measures against the spread of |
| 6 | | diseases; and |
| 7 | Whereas | This lack of action contributed to the over one million coronavirus |
| 8 | | cases worldwide, and all subsequent problems associated with the |
| 9 | | coronavirus outbreak. |
| 10 | Therefore | Be it resolved by this Student Congress here assembled that: The US |
| 11 | | rejoin the WHO, as well as the WHO be given the power to enact |
| 12 | | precautionary measures against disease spread during a pandemic. |

Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Amelia Smith

Resolution #979 EPA Regulations

| 1 | Whereas: | The EPA should not be abolished and instead it should grant | |
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| 2 | | better consistency in regulations from state to state; and | |
| 3 | Whereas: | By abolishing the EPA, it would lead to less control on the | |
| 4 | | industry to ensure that we don't hurt the planet | |
| 5 | | environmentally and can provide transparent regulations; and | |
| 6 | Whereas: | It could cause more detriment to the environment leading to | |
| 7 | | the furthering of pollution and we need these protective | |
| 8 | | measures to help adverse human behavior. | |
| 9 | Therefore: | Be it resolved by the Student Congress here assembled that: | |
| 10 | | We must establish a transparent regulations that aid the | |
| 11 | | environment and establish a consistent policy. | |

Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Kaley Hooper

A Bill to Combat Climate Change

| 1 | Article I: | Congress shall grant the Environmental Protection Agency |
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| 2 | | \$1 trillion to combat climate change. |
| 3 | Article II: | The money for combating climate change will be used for |
| 4 | | reducing carbon emissions and giving out more money |
| 5 | | towards renewable energy sources. |
| 6 | Article III: | This bill shall go into effect on January 1st, 2022. |
| 7 | Article IV: | The Environmental Protection Agency shall oversee that the |
| 8 | | budget will be acknowledged and carried out. |
| 9 | Article V: | All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation |
| 10 | | are hereby declared null and void |

Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Lily Jacobs

Bill #988 The R.E.S.T. Act (The Resolution to Ending Student Tuition Debt)

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

| 1 | Article I: | All student loans will be granted a 20-year grace period for |
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| 2 | | post-graduate students. |
| 3 | Article II: | The applicable loans under this bill include federal student loans, |
| 4 | | private student loans, and student loan refinancing, the third of which |
| 5 | | repayment schedules may only be issued after the set expiration date |
| 6 | | of the 20-year grace period. |
| 7 | Article III: | This will be implemented jointly by the Department of Treasury and |
| 8 | | the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). |
| 9 | Article IV: | These changes are set to be implemented by January 6, 2021. |
| 10 | Article V: | All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and |
| 11 | | void. |

Respectfully submitted, Representative Mimichelle Cao

Resolution #989

A Resolution to Pass The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Enhancement Act

| 1 | Whereas: The current national health care plan does not address those | |
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| 2 | | in middle income families that are ineligible because of incomes |
| 3 | | above Premium tax credit cutoffs of 400% of the |
| 4 | | Federal Poverty Level; and |
| 5 | Whereas: | The 90% funding cut for the Affordable Care Act enacted |
| 6 | | by the Trump administration in 2017 decreased affordable |
| 7 | | Healthcare access for high health disparity areas and reduced |
| 8 | | the development of state marketplaces. |
| 9 | Therefore: | Be it resolved by the Student Congress here assembled |
| 10 | | that: the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Enhancement |
| 11 | | Act be passed and enacted into law by February 1st 2021. |

Respectfully Submitted, Representative Sanjula Chitty Potomac Falls High School

A Bill to Extend Provisions for Those With Pre-Existing Conditions and Allowing More Cohorts Access to Medicare Benefits

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- ARTICLE 1. To expand access for the vulnerable, any individual born with a Chronic Disease shall be entitled to full medicare benefits pertaining to treatment of that disease or related illnesses at any point in their life. All individuals in the public and private sector are entitled to full medicare benefits outright from age 60 and above, lowering the eligibility age by 5 years. Pertaining to payments, no individual earning less than 4x the poverty rate shall pay no more than 8% of their income for medicare, regardless of the services they receive.
- ARTICLE II. The current regulations will operate on the assumptions of the continued implementation of the Patient Protections Act passed by the 111th Congress in 2010. This bill, if passed, will serve as a safeguard to protect the repealing of this previous act, and so its provisions on the inability of private insurance companies to deny a patient services for pre-existing conditions would be upheld under the assumption of full medicare benefits for such patients mentioned in the previous article, expanding and protecting those who receive such services.
- ARTICLE III. The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) will oversee the implementation of all of these newly enacted provisions, and shall conduct audits of any kind of licensed insurance company who is in violation of any of these standards and take necessary legal action toward those who are in proven violation. The department will also see to any complaints made by civilians made about the failure to uphold this act.
- ARTICLE IV. This legislation will be implemented at the beginning of the 117th Congress.
- ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void. Current existing laws will be required to accompany this universal standard.

Respectfully submitted, Rep. Brian Ng Chantilly High School

A Bill to Invest in Clean Energy Research and Resources

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

| 1. SECTION 1. | In order to tackle climate change, \$2 billion will be invested into various private |
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| 2. | and public-sector agencies. This money will be used to research and innovate |
| 3. | various clean energy and climate resources. |
| 5. | A. This money will be derived by, first, increasing excess tax cuts for |
| 6. | corporations. Then, incentives for outsourcing, evasions, and tax |
| 7. | havens will be reduced. Finally, subsidies for fossil fuels will be ended. |
| 8. SECTION 2. | A. Clean energy is hereby defined as any form of energy that is derived from |
| 9. | renewable, non-emission releasing agents. |
| 10. SECTION 3 | 3. The US Environmental Protection Agency will oversee the implementation |
| 11. | and evaluations necessary, as outlined in this bill. |
| 12. | A. In order to monitor progress, the EPA shall create approval and oversight |
| 13. | teams, which will complete evaluations as delegated by the EPA. |
| 14. | B. Should a program be unnecessary or flawed, it will be terminated |
| 15. | immediately. |
| 15. SECTION | 4. This law shall go into effect one fiscal year following its passage. |
| 16. SECTION : | 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void. |

Respectfully submitted, Rep. Manya Phutela Chantilly High School

<u>#1167:</u>

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Reverse Citizens United

| 1. | RESOLVED, | By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled that the following |
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| 2. | | article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the |
| 3. | | United States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as |
| 4. | | part of the Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of |
| 5. | | three-fourths of the several states within seven years from the date |
| 6. | | of its submission by the Congress: |
| 7. | | ARTICLE |
| 8. | | SECTION 1. Whereas the right to vote in public elections belongs |
| 9. | | only to natural persons as citizens of the United States, so shall the |
| 10. | | ability to make contributions and expenditures to influence the |
| 11. | | the outcome of public elections belong only to natural persons in |
| 12. | | accordance with this article. |
| 13. | | SECTION 2. Nothing in this Article shall be construed to alter the |
| 14. | | freedom of the press. |
| 15. | | SECTION 3. The Congress shall have power to enforce this |
| 16. | | article by appropriate legislation. |

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Divya Lobo of Dominion High School

<u>#1186:</u>

A Bill to Limit Tax Expenditures

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

| 1. | SECTION I. | The United States will set stricter limits on income tax |
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| 2. | | expenditures for corporations and individuals in order prevent loss |
| 3. | | of government revenue. |
| 4. | SECTION II. | The United States will enforce a cap that will equal 2% of a |
| 5. | | taxpayer's adjusted gross income for all tax expenditures. The |
| 6. | | purpose of this is to increase government revenue, which will |
| 7. | | produce more money that the government can pour back into its |
| 8, | | constituents. |
| 9. | SECTION III. | The Internal Revenue Service shall work to oversee the passage of |
| 10. | | this legislation. |
| 11. | SECTION IV. | This bill shall be implemented progressively over the next 10 |
| 12. | | years, between 2021 to 2031. |
| 13. | SECTION V. | All laws in conflict with this legislation shall hereby be declared |
| 14. | | null and void. |

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Kayley Sanchez Forbes of Dominion High School

Bill #1261_

A Bill to Eliminate Student Debt

| 1. | 1. Article I: To pay off all of the current student debt with federal money and eliminate | | | |
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| 2. | | a student's responsibility of having to pay tuition for public colleges. | | |
| 3. | Article II: | "Eliminating Student Debt" would entail federally-funded redemption for | | |
| 4. | | each of the 45 million in-debt American students. Additionally, the federal | | |
| 5. | | government will pay for public 4-year and 2-year colleges. The required | | |
| 6. | | revenues for the bill will be derived by taxation on Wall Street | | |
| | transactions. | | | |
| 7. | Article III: | This bill shall commence upon the beginning of the next fiscal year. | | |
| 8. | Article IV: | The U.S. Department of Education shall oversee this legislation's | | |
| 9. | | enforcement. | | |
| 10 | . Article V: | All laws in conflict with this are hereby declared null and void. | | |
| Respe | ctfully Submit | ted, | | |

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Sidwell Friends School

Resolution #1278

A Resolution to Rejoin the World Health Organization

| 1. | Whereas: | With the events of the Coronavirus Pandemic, the need for an |
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| | international | |
| 2. | | agency to help prevent the spread of diseases as never been more |
| 3. | | important, for increased international cooperation could have prevented |
| 4. | | millions of deaths; and |
| 5. | Whereas: | In addition to helping prevent the spread of diseases, the World Health |
| 6. | | Organization can help save lives by funding vaccine research and |
| 7. | | distribution. |
| 8. | Whereas: | The World Health Organization is a place where different countries |
| 9. | | can work together. Increased international cooperation can benefit everyone |
| 10 | | involved as it could pave the way for more trade deals and other economic |
| 11. | | opportunities. |
| 12 | . Therefore: | Be it resolved by this Student Congress here assembled that: The United |

| 13. | States should rejoin the World Health Organization immediately and | | |
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| 14. | continue funding its operations. | | |
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| Respectfull | y Submitted, | | |
| Andrew Du | pree | | |
| Sidwell Frie | ends School | | |
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A Bill to Extend the Eviction Moratorium

| 1. Article I: | To extend the existing national eviction moratorium until October 31st, |
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| 2. | 2021. |
| 3. Article II: | The national eviction moratorium was enacted by the CDC on September |
| 4. | 4th, 2020, and protected all covered persons from being evicted from their |
| 5. | place of residence. A covered person is defined as a lessee, tenant, or |
| 6. | resident who signs a declaration under the penalty of perjury that they |
| 7. | have used best effort to obtain government assistance, will not make more |
| 8. | than \$99,000 in annual income for Calendar Year 2020, is unable to pay |
| 9. | full rent or mortgage due to a substantial loss of household income, loss of |
| 10. | compensable hours of work or wages, a lay-off, or |
| 11. | extraordinary out-of-pocket medical expenses, is making payments as |
| 12. | close as possible to the total amount, and eviction would render them |
| 13. | homeless or force them into close quarters in a new congregate. |

| 14. Article III: | This legislation | shall take effect | upon January | 1st, 2021. |
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15. **Article IV:** The Department of Justice will oversee the enforcement of this

legislation.

16. **Article V:** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sofia Acosta-Mikulasek

Sidwell Friends School

A Bill to Implement a Wealth Tax

- 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
- 2. **ARTICLE 1.** A wealth tax shall be imposed on those whose net worth exceeds
- 3. 20 million dollars.
- 4. **ARTICLE 2.** A wealth tax is defined as a progressively structured tax system that
- 5. gradually increases the tax rate as individual net worth increases.
- 6. **ARTICLE 3.** The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will be responsible for the
- 7. enforcement of this legislation.
- 8. **ARTICLE 4.** This legislation shall take effect at the beginning of fiscal year 2022.
- 9. **ARTICLE 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Aaryan Kanhere Broad Run High School

A Bill to Institute a Medicare for All Healthcare System

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| l. | BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT: |
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| 2. | ARTICLE 1. The United States federal government will provide all individuals |
| 3. | residing in the U.S. and its territories with health insurance that covers |
| 4. | medical necessities for free at the point of service. |
| 5. | ARTICLE 2. Medical necessities will be considered emergency care, long-term care |
| 6. | mental health services, vision care, dental services, prescription drugs, |
| 7. | dietary and nutritional therapies, and primary care and prevention. |
| 8. | ARTICLE 3. The Department of Health and Human Services will oversee the |
| 9. | implementation of this legislation. |
| 10. | A. The provision of duplicative coverage for the services described in |
| 11. | Article 2 by the private market will be prohibited by law. |
| 12. | ARTICLE 4. This legislation will be funded by existing government healthcare |
| 13. | revenue sources, by increasing income taxes on the top 5% of income |
| 14. | earners, by instituting a tax on unearned income, and by increasing |
| 15. | corporate tax rates in the financial sector. |
| 16. | ARTICLE 5. This legislation will be gradually implemented over a six-year period. |
| 17. | ARTICLE 6. All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void. |
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Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Ben Bressette Broad Run High School

A Bill to Enact Stricter Pollution Standards

- 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
- 2. **ARTICLE 1.** The United States federal government will impose a 15% tax on total
- 3. revenue from manufacturing, processing, distributing, and use of chemicals
- 4. and other pollutants to make products.
- 5. **ARTICLE 2.** Aforementioned chemicals and other pollutants shall include carbon
- 6. monoxide, lead, ground-level ozone, particulate matter, nitrogen dioxide,
- 7. and sulfur dioxide and their byproducts.
- 8. **ARTICLE 3.** The Environmental Protection Agency will oversee the implementation of
- 9. this legislation.
- 10. **ARTICLE 4.** This legislation shall take effect at the beginning of fiscal year 2022.
- 11. **ARTICLE 5.** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Amara Poling

Broad Run High School

Resolution #1421

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Reform Election Funding and Regulations

| 1. | RESOLVED, | By two-thirds | of the Congress here assembled, that the following article is |
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| 2. | | proposed as an | n amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which |
| 3. | | shall be valid | to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when |
| 4. | | ratified by the | legislatures of three-fourths of the several states within seven |
| 5. | | years from the | date of its submission by the Congress: |
| 6. | | | ARTICLE |
| 7. | | SECTION 1: | The amendment will put a limit on the amount of money |
| 8. | | | corporations can donate to SuperPACS at an amount of |
| 9. | | | 50,000 dollars from each entity exactly for one election |
| 10. | | | period. Any corporation found breaking this would be fined |
| 11. | | | 10 million dollars initially and for the next year wouldn't be |
| 12. | | | able to receive any tax breaks/cuts. Moreover, SuperPACS |
| 13. | | | must not be associated with a public office candidate and |
| 14. | | | • |
| 15. | | | must disclose every person (even if they are linked to a |
| 16. | | | corporation or other group) that donated money. The penalty |
| 17. | | | for a SuperPAC not following the law will be a complete |
| 18. | | | shutdown of the SuperPAC by the federal government. The |
| 19. | | | Federal Election Commision Chair will also now be required |
| 20. | | | to be voted in every 4 years by the American people This |
| 21. | | | amendment will be carried out by the newly reformed |
| 22. | | | Federal Election Commission. |
| 23. | | SECTION 2 : | The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by |
| 24.25 | | | appropriate legislation. |
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Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Rayaan Ahmed Broad Run High School

1561: A Resolution to Rejoin and Refund the World Health Organization

WHEREAS, The United States has requested to withdraw from the World Health
Organization; and

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization is a United Nations agency concerned with global public health; and

WHEREAS, The WHO plays an important role in global health, creating internationally collaborative contingency plans for global health crises such as the recent coronavirus pandemic; and

WHEREAS, The United States leaving the World Health Organization causes damage to U.S. citizens, the organization, and international global health.

THEREFORE, Be it resolved by this Student Congress here assembled that the United States shall rescind its request to withdraw from the World Health Organization.

Respectfully submitted,

Lakshmi Sritan Motati

Thomas Jefferson High School For Science and Technology

1562: A Resolution to Rejoin the World Health Organization

WHEREAS, The United States has submitted its request to withdraw from the World Health
Organization; and

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization is a specialized agency of the United Nations responsible for international public health; and

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization has continued to play an essential role in global health, having created international contingency plans for various global health crises and mitigating the extent of past epidemics; and

WHEREAS, The United States leaving the World Health Organization would severely damage the credibility of the organization and the importance of international global health altogether.

THEREFORE, Be it resolved by this Student Congress here assembled that: the United States shall rescind its request to withdraw from the World Health Organization.

Respectfully submitted,

Hasita Nalluri

Thomas Jefferson High School

1563: A Bill to Create a Single-Payer Universal Healthcare System

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I.** The United States shall implement a single-payer healthcare system for all U.S. residents.
- ARTICLE II. A "single-payer healthcare system" is a universal healthcare system that eliminates all other forms of health insurance, leaving only the government run program financed by taxes that covers health care costs by directly paying all doctors and hospitals. Residents shall be defined as all U.S. citizens as well as resident aliens.
- **ARTICLE III.** This bill shall be implemented by January 1, 2025.
- **ARTICLE IV.** All operations shall fall under the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) within the Department of Health and Human Services.
 - A. This agency will be responsible for the VAT and payroll tax increase in order to fund this program entirely.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Omkar Kovvali

Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology

1564: A Bill to Implement Low Cost Healthcare throughout the Nation

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I.** U.S. residents with an income that is below the federal poverty guideline for specified households can be provided with healthcare at select hospitals in their area at a lower cost proportional to their income.
- ARTICLE II. A select number of hospitals will be one per county to ensure that the hospitals are not misused by higher income families. "Lower cost" shall be determined proportionally to the patient's income for the patient to pay back in monthly installments.
- **ARTICLE III.** This bill shall be implemented by January 15th, 2021.
- **ARTICLE IV.** The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) shall be responsible for the implementation of this legislation.
 - A. The HHS shall oversee the construction of hospitals in counties that do not have one. The HHS shall also be responsible for picking one hospital per county for consideration.
 - B. The IRS shall be responsible for determining the costs and enforcing regulations.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Ananya Pamal

Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology

1565: A Bill to Prohibit Corporate Contributions to Political Campaigns

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I.** The United States government shall enforce that all corporations cannot contribute money towards political campaigns for federal positions of power.
- **ARTICLE II**. "Federal positions of power" refers to seats in the U.S. House, U.S. Senate, Vice Presidency, and Presidency.
- **ARTICLE III.** This bill shall be implemented by October 1, 2021.
- **ARTICLE IV.** All enforcement operations shall fall under the Federal Election Commission (FEC).
 - A. The FEC will supervise and investigate campaign donations at the federal level to prevent corporate donations.
 - B. The FEC will use the budget allocated to them, outlined in the government's fiscal year budget.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Tejesh Dandu

Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology

Resolution #1566: A Resolution to Protect the Earth by Rejoining the Paris Climate Agreement

WHEREAS, The United States of America left the Paris Agreement under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change on November 4th, 2020, and

WHEREAS, The United States is no longer bound by the Paris Agreement greenhouse gas emission targets, and

WHEREAS, Greenhouse gas emissions are causing an increase in global average temperatures, and

WHEREAS, This change in global climate has had and will continue to have disastrous impacts on our physical health and economic well-being, therefore

RESOLVED, That the Congress here assembled recommend the President to rejoin the Paris Climate Agreement immediately.

Respectfully submitted, Hardeep Mann Thomas Jefferson High School

1567: A Bill to Reduce Student Loan Debt

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I**. The United States shall hereby forgive \$10,000 of federal student loan for every current borrower.
- **ARTICLE II**. Federal student loans are loans given directly to the borrower by the Department of Education. Forgiving loans, in this specific case, shall be defined as being no longer required to repay the loan amount up to \$10,000.
- **ARTICLE III.** This bill will take effect at the start of Fiscal Year 2022.
- **ARTICLE IV.** The Department of Education will oversee the enforcement of this legislation.
- **ARTICLE V.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Siddhartha Rangavajjula

Thomas Jefferson High School For Science and Technology

1568: A Bill to Combat Rising Healthcare Costs

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I**. The United States government shall enforce that all citizens must join "Medicare for All".
- **ARTICLE II**. "Medicare for All" is a government-funded insurance policy that grants all American citizens healthcare insurance.
- **ARTICLE III.** This bill shall be implemented by January 1, 2023.
- **ARTICLE IV.** All operations shall fall under the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) within the Department of Health and Human Services department.
 - A. This agency will be responsible for the VAT and payroll tax increase in order to fund this program entirely.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Saloni Shah

1569: A Bill To Create A Wealth Tax For Economic Equality

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

ARTICLE I. The assets of the upper class shall be taxed through a progressive rate structure.

To process these taxes, the IRS shall be allocated an additional \$875 million to run more efficiently and train more officers.

ARTICLE II. The upper class is defined as the wealthiest 0.1% of the population. A progressive rate structure is one which increasingly taxes specific ranges of wealth as the minimum and maximum values of that range increase.

ARTICLE III. This legislation will go into effect on January 1st, 2022.

ARTICLE IV. The IRS will enforce this legislation.

- A. A 1 percent wealth tax will be placed on net worth above \$32 million for a married couple. This will increase to 2 percent for a net worth from \$50 million to \$250 million, 4 percent from \$500 million to \$1 billion, 5 percent from \$1 to \$2.5 billion, 6 percent from \$2.5 to \$5 billion, 7 percent from \$5 to \$10 billion, and 8 percent on wealth over \$10 billion.
- B. The above brackets shall be reduced to half for single American citizens.
- C. The IRS shall be required to perform an audit of all wealth tax returns for all those specified in the above brackets.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Isha Satapathy

1571: A Bill to Institute Medicare for All

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I. A.** The United States shall implement a single-payer healthcare system by FY 2025.
 - **B.** Funding shall be provided through redirecting current funding from current government healthcare options and levying an additional 4% tax on assets worth over \$50 million dollars and a 7.5% tax on assets worth over \$1 billion dollars.
- **ARTICLE II**. A single-payer healthcare system is defined as a type of universal healthcare system in which the costs for all residents are covered by the government.
- **ARTICLE III.** This legislation shall go into effect in FY 2022.
- **ARTICLE IV.** The Department of Health and Human Services and Internal Tax Revenue (IRS) shall be responsible for the implementation of this bill. The IRS will oversee the collection and distribution of funding generated by the additional taxes.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Athan Zhang

1572: A Bill to Place a Tax on Carbon Emission

| 1 | BE IT ENACTI | ED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT: |
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| 2 | ARTICLE I. | The US shall implement a carbon tax of 50 dollars per metric ton of carbon |
| 3 | | emitted at the source. |
| 4 | ARTICLE II. | "Carbon Tax" shall be defined as a tax placed on all businesses emitting carbon |
| 5 | | into the atmosphere through the burning of fossil fuels. |
| 6 | ARTICLE III. | This legislation shall be implemented at the start of Fiscal Year 2022. |
| 7 | ARTICLE IV. | The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Department of Energy (DOE), and |
| 8 | | the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) shall oversee the implementation of this |
| 9 | | legislation. |
| 10 | | A. All revenue shall be given to the DOE's budget for the research of new |
| 11 | | renewable energy sources. |
| 12 | | B. The IRS shall enforce the carbon tax on all businesses emitting carbon |
| 13 | | through the burning of fossil fuels. |
| 14 | | C. The EPA shall provide Congress an annual report on the effects this |
| 15 | | legislation is having on the environment. |
| 16 | ARTICLE V. A | All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void. |
| Res | pectfully submitt | ed, |
| Soh | am Gandhi | |

Thomas Jefferson High School

1573:A Bill to Provide Grants to Make Post-secondary Education More Accessible

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

ARTICLE I. The United States shall expand the Pell Grant to cover at least 30% of students' postsecondary education tuitions based on merit and need for recipients eligible for the grant.

ARTICLE II. Pell Grant shall be defined as a federal grant awarded to students who are in need of financial assistance to pursue tertiary education. This grant shall also be defined as need-based financial aid that does not have to be paid back.

ARTICLE III. This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2021.

ARTICLE IV. The Department of Education shall oversee the implementation of this legislation.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Andy Kim

1574: A Bill to Establish a Medicare-for-all National Health Insurance Plan to Guarantee Universal Healthcare Coverage

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

ARTICLE I. A. The United States shall implement a public health insurance option to transition into a single-payer healthcare system by FY 2027.

B. To fund additional federal spending, a 4% income-based premium shall be imposed on employees, exempting the income made under the household's poverty line. A 7.5% income-based premium shall be imposed on employers, exempting the first \$1 million in payroll.

ARTICLE II. A public health insurance option shall be defined as increasing eligibility of Medicare Part C in accordance with the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 to all citizens and permanent residents in the United States. A single-payer healthcare system shall be defined as enrolling all residents in the United States into Medicare Part C, in addition to covering all prescription drug costs.

ARTICLE III. This legislation will be put into effect in FY 2021.

ARTICLE IV. The Department of Health and Human Services and Internal Tax Revenue shall be responsible for the implementation of this bill.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Mary Loyola-Gomez

1576: A Bill to Forgive Federal Student Loan Debt

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- **ARTICLE I**. All current debt from federal student loans, currently totaling about \$1.5 trillion, shall be forgiven.
- **ARTICLE II**. Federal student loans shall be defined as loans given to students from the federal government.
- **ARTICLE III.** This law shall go into effect in Fiscal Year 2022.
- **ARTICLE IV.** The Department of Education shall oversee implementation of this bill. The Department of Treasury shall allocate the necessary funding for the implementation of this bill.

ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Varun Vejalla

Bill number 2031

A Bill to Resolve the Current Student Loan Debt Crisis BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

| 1 | ARTICLE 1: | INOTING | THAT THE CURRENT STUDENT DEBT CRISIS HAS SPIRALLED RAPIDLY OUT OF CONTROL, IT IS |
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| 2 | EVIDENT THAT A SO | OLUTION N | MUST BE ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS TO RESOLVE IT. THEREFORE, THE IMPLEMENTATION |
| 3 | OF A PROGRAM TO | FORGIVE | ALL OUTSTANDING STUDENT LOAN DEBT, PROVIDING STIPENDS TO LOW-INCOME STUDENTS |
| 4 | FOR STUDYING, AL | ONG WITH | I THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TUITION-FREE TERTIARY EDUCATION IS KEY TOWARDS THIS |
| PLAN. | | | |
| 5 | ARTICLE 2: | THE STU | DENT LOAN DEBT FORGIVENESS PROGRAM SPECIFIED ABOVE WOULD PRIMARILY INVOLVE |
| 6 | THE STATE PAYING | FOR THE | CURRENT \$1.6 TRILLION IN DEBT HELD BY AMERICANS. |
| 7 | | A. | TUITION-FREE SHALL BE IMPLEMENTED TO UNIVERSITIES, COLLEGES, HBCU'S, TRADE |
| 8 | | | SCHOOLS, AND MORE. STIPENDS WILL PRIMARILY BE AROUND \$900-\$1100 PER |
| 9 | | | MONTH, WITH STUDENTS COMING FROM LOW-INCOME FAMILIES (BASED ON CURRENT |
| 10 | | | METRICS) WILL RECEIVE SAID STIPEND GRANTED THEY CONTINUE STUDYING AT SAID |
| 11 | | | (WHICH WOULD NOT BE AFFECTED BY TRANSFERS). |
| 12 | | В. | THESE ACTIONS SHALL BE FUNDED BY A VARIETY OF SOURCES, PRIMARILY FROM THE |
| 13 | | | IMPLEMENTATION OF FINANCIAL TRANSACTION TAXES. THIS FINANCIAL TRANSACTION TAX |
| 14 | | | WOULD ENTAIL A 0.6% LEVY ON STOCKS, A 0.5% LEVY ON BONDS, AND A 0.0015% |
| 15 | | | LEVY ON DERIVATIVES. MIRRORING THIS, THE CREATION OF A DE-CENTRALIZED SOCIAL |
| 16 | | | WEALTH FUND PROGRAM WOULD BE IN ORDER, WITH EACH STATE BEING REQUIRED BY |
| 17 | | | THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO IMPLEMENT ONE. FEDERAL GUIDELINES STATE THAT ALL |
| 18 | | | 50 STATES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BASE IT ON EITHER A NON-COMMODITY, |
| 19 | | | OIL/MINERAL-BASED, OR ROYALTY BASED FORM. THESE WEALTH FUNDS WILL BE USED TO |

| 20 | | | FURTHER INCREASE FUNDING TO SCHOOLS VIA THEIR REVENUE. |
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| 21 | ARTICLE 3: | THIS BIL | L SHALL BE CREATED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE |
| 22 | DEPARTMENT OF | THE TREAS | SURY, ALONG WITH THE STATE-GOVERNMENTS AND DEPARTMENTS OF TAXATION IN EACH |
| 23 | STATE. | | |
| 24 | | A. | THE IRS (INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE) SHALL BE COMMISSIONED TO COLLECT |
| 25 | | В. | The creation of a "Bureau of Social Wealth Management" will be |
| 26 | | | IMPLEMENTED, SPECIFICALLY IN THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY. IN THE STATE |
| 27 | | | LEVEL, IT WILL BE MANAGED HOWEVER STATE-GOVERNMENTS SEE FIT. |
| 28 | ARTICLE 4: | THIS LEG | GISLATION SHALL BE PUT INTO EFFECT ON JANUARY 1ST, 2021. ALL LEGISLATION |
| 29 | CONFLICTING WITH | H THIS BILL | ARE DECLARED NULL AND VOID. |
| Respect | FULLY SUBMITTED, | | |
| A bhirai | м Prathipati | | |

JOHN CHAMPE HIGH SCHOOL

#2032 A Bill to Plant at least 100 Million Trees Every 3 Years

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, upon passage of this legislation a separate government organization will be created to plant at least 100 Million Trees across the United States every 3 years to help reduce climate change.

SECTION 2. Climate Change describes any change in average temperatures. Climate change includes both the global warming caused by greenhouse gases, and the resulting large change in climate temperature.

SECTION 3. The United States Forest Service and the United States Department of the Interior will work together to Implement this legislation.

SECTION 4. This bill will be implemented on January 1,2021

SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Sanjuktha Kondeti John Champe High School

BILL NUMBER 2033

A BILL TO IMPLEMENT TAX REFORM WITHIN THE UNITED STATES

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS THAT:

| 1 | ARTICLE 1: | Noting that mass-scale wealth disparities exist within the United States, alongside |
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| 2 | CURRENT ECONOM | ic conditions in America, it is clear a need for a new tax policy is evident. Therefore, |
| 3 | THE IMPLEMENTAT | ION OF A SYSTEM OF PROGRESSIVE TAXATION IS NECESSARY, ALONGSIDE AN INCREASE FOR |
| 4 | CORPORATE TAX RA | ATES, WITH SAID REVENUE DERIVED FROM THESE MEASURES BEING SENT INTO REDISTRIBUTIVE |
| 5 | PROGRAMS AND IN | ICREASED PUBLIC SPENDING. |
| 6 | ARTICLE 2: | PROGRESSIVE TAXATION, AS APPLIED IN THE BILL, WOULD RESULT IN HIGHER TAXES BEING LEVIED |
| 7 | UPON HIGHER-EAR | ning income groups. This would entail reductions for earners from the $0-160,\!000$ |
| 8 | DOLLARS RANGE, S | tagnant tax rates for those in the $200,\!000\text{-}400,\!000$ dollar earner range, and the |
| 9 | TOP 1% OF EARNE | ers being taxed, with an optimal income taxation rate of 73% for top-income earners |
| 10 | CORPORATE TAXAT | TION WOULD PRIMARILY OCCUR ON THE FEDERAL LEVEL, WITH THE CURRENT 21% RATE RAISED TO |
| 11 | 31%, ALONG WIT | h encouraging states to increase this from $10\%	ext{-}15\%	ext{.}$ |
| 12 | ARTICLE 3: | This tax reform shall be handled by the Department of the Treasury, specifically the |
| 13 | BUREAU OF THE I | RS (Internal Revenue Service), which is under the discretion of the Commissioner of |
| 14 | Internal Revenu | e (Charles Paul Rettig). |
| 15 | ARTICLE 4: | THE IRS, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION BRANCH SHALL HANDLE ANY CRIMINAL ACTIONS RELATED |
| 16 | TOWARDS TAXATIO | N. |

This legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2021. All laws in conflict with this

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

ARTICLE 5:

LEGISLATION ARE DECLARED NULL AND VOID.

Abhiram prathipati

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JOHN CHAMPE HIGH SCHOOL

A Resolution to Affirm and Pass H.J Res. 2 of the 116th Congress to Limit Election Spending

| 1 | Whereas: | Citizens United is currently allowing and advocating for wealthier candidates who have unfair |
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| 2 | | advantages over other, less wealthy candidates; and |
| 3 | Whereas: | Continuing to allow Citizens United to advocate and promote the more powerful, wealthier candidates |
| 4 | | is destroying the honesty of the election process, and the democracy that it is supposed to abide by; and |
| 5 | Whereas: | Citizens United has already showcased its negative effects by fueling the |
| 6 | | creation of Super Political Action Committees (PAC's), and promoting power of the wealthy few, and |
| 7 | | successfully widening and sustaining the racial wealth gap while also increasing racial bias in elections. |
| 8 | Therefore: | Be it resolved by the Student Congress here assembled that: the H.J. Resolution 2 of the 116th Congress |
| 9 | | that would allow Congress to set reasonable limits on election spending be passed. |
| | | Respectfully submitted by, |
| | | Representative Nardos Mengesha |
| | | Lightridge High School |

A Resolution to Lower the Income Tax Rates set in the TCJA during COVID-19

| 1 | Whereas: | During COVID-19, many people are unemployed and don't |
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| 2 | | have a stable source of income; and |
| 3 | Whereas: | People all over the United States are struggling to find |
| 4 | | a job due to most businesses acting at less than full |
| 5 | | capacity or closed due to COVID-19. |
| 6 | Whereas: | The tax rate set now (10%) is causing people to have to |
| 7 | | choose between paying their taxes or getting a meal for |
| 8 | | themselves and their families or paying their rent. |
| 9 | Therefore: | Be it resolved by the Student Congress here assembled that: |
| 10 | | we will drop the income tax rate for incomes under \$9,525 |
| 11 | | for Single Filers and \$19,050 for Married Filers to 0% until 1/1/22. |

Respectfully Submitted By,
Representative Reagan Monroe

Resolution to continue to associate with the World Health Organization

| 1 | Whereas: | The World Health Organization establishes the core global functions is |
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| 2 | | and enhances the prospects of health and medicinal innovation |
| 3 | Whereas: | but the US government is wishing to disassociate itself |
| 4 | | from the vital organization |
| 5 | | and |
| 6 | Whereas: | this causes concern for US health professionals as our country will |
| 7 | | fail to take initiative with dire diseases and health problems before |
| 8 | | Our citizens are in deep risk |
| 9 | Therefore: | Be it resolved by the Student Congress here assembled |
| 10 | | that: the United States government will stay a part of the |
| 11 | | World Health Organization for the sake of American lives |

Respectfully Submitted By,
Representative Sanjana Gummalla

Bill To Implement Interest-Free Loans for College Students

| 1 | Article I: | The United States Government shall enact interest-free loans for |
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| 2 | | college students in the lower-income bracket to ensure all |
| 3 | | Americans have access to higher education. |
| 4 | Article II: | The lower-income bracket denotes families whose annual salaries |
| 5 | | are lower than \$40,000. |
| 6 | | Higher education indicates studies at a collegiate level |
| 7 | Article III: | This bill shall be enacted on January 1, 2021 |
| 8 | Article IV: | The Department of Education will oversee the implementation of |
| 9 | | this bill. |
| 10 | Article | All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation are hereby |
| 11 | | declared null and void. |

Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Sudiksha Bhuma

A Bill to Provide Public Healthcare for All

| 1 | Article I: | The United States Government shall put into place a public healthcare insurance program that is more affordable to |
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| 2 | | People who do not have enough resources to afford private healthcare insurance. Factors that would determine the |
| 3 | | Need for this program would be current employment status, age, underlying health issues, and annual income. |
| 4 | Article II: | All of the perimeters will be determined and decided by the agency. |
| 5 | Article III: | This bill shall be taken into action on January 26, 2021 |
| 6 | Article IV: | The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Will over see this change. |
| 7 | | |
| 8 | Article V: | All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void |
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Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Vaisnavi Bontapalli

Bill #2072 Health Care Reform

- 1 **Article I:** The United States Health Care to be reformed to be provided universally.
- 3 **Article II:** Healthcare is the system in which the citizens of this country are provided health and insurance through doctors and health care workers.
- 6 **Article III:** This bill will take in action on December 31, 2020, in time for the New Year.
- 7 **Article IV:** The Department of Health and Human Services will enact this bill.
- 9 Article V: All objections that are in conflict with this new policy shall hereby declared
- null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Harsha Sivakumar

Bill #2073 Bill to Implement Carbon Pricing in all Fifty States

| 1 | Article I: The U.S Government shall implement the use of Carbon Pricing amongst |
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| 2 | all 50 states to reduce the number of carbon dioxide emissions |
| 3 | produced daily. |
| 4 | Article II: Carbon pricing is a cost applied based on the amount of carbon emitted. |
| 5 | Carbon Pricing initiatives have been passed by twelve states thus far, |
| 6 | none being the states with the most carbon dioxide emissions. |
| 7 | Article III: This bill will take action on January 1, 2021 for the start of the New Year. |
| 8 | Article IV: The U.S Environmental Production Agency will oversee this implementation |
| 9 | Article V: All objections that are in conflict with this new policy shall hereby declared |
| 10 | null and void. |

Respectfully Submitted By, Representative Zara Atayee

A Bill To Reinstate the Clean Power Plan

- 1 Article I: The United States Government shall reinstate The Clean Power Plan which
- would let the United States Government regulate air pollution and CO2 emission on a
- anational scale, as opposed to the state by state regulations that are happening currently.
- 4 Article II: The Clean Air Act was designed to control air pollution on a national level,
- 5 reduce carbon pollution from power plants, and make sure that fossil fuel-fired power
- 6 plants will operate more cleanly and efficiently.
- 7 **Article III:** This bill shall be enacted on August 1, 2021.
- 8 **Article IV:** The Department of Energy will oversee the implementation of this bill.
- 9 **Article V:** All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null
- and void.

Respectively submitted by,

Representative Maire Hunter

A Bill To Increase Funding For the Wind-Energy Industry

- 1 **Article I:** The United States Government shall increase funding for the wind-energy
- 2 industry to eliminate the use of fossil fuels and the creation of carbon dioxide in our
- 3 atmosphere.
- 4 Article II: The wind-energy industry has received approximately \$12.3 billion in direct
- 5 subsidies since the year 2000, meanwhile the fossil fuel industry has received around
- 6 \$5.3 trillion in indirect and direct subsidies worldwide in 2015.
- 7 **Article III:** This bill shall be enacted on January 1, 2021.
- 8 **Article IV:** The Department of Energy will oversee the implementation of this bill.
- 9 **Article V:** All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null
- and void.

Respectively submitted by,

Representative Riley Kim

Bill #2077 A Bill to Increase the Eviction Moratorium

| Line00: Line01: | Be it enacted |
|--------------------|---|
| Line02: | Article I: A 120 day extension will be added to the |
| Line03: | current eviction moratorium. |
| Line04: | |
| Line05: | Article II: The current eviction moratorium was implemented |
| Line06: | on September 1st 2020 and runs until December 31st 2020. |
| Line07: | The eviction moratorium prevents certain evictions to |
| Line08: | prevent the spread of covid-19. |
| Line09: | |
| Line10: | Article III: This bill will be implemented immediately. |
| Line11: | |
| Line12: | Article IV: The implementation of this this bill will be |
| Line13: | overseen by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention |
| Line14: | and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban |
| Line15: | Development |
| Line16: | |
| Line17: | Article V: All laws and policies in conflict with new law |
| Line18: | are hereby deemed null and void. |

Respectfully Submitted, Megan Lawson Charles J. Colgan High School

A Bill to Ban Fracking within the United States

Line00: Be it enacted

Line01:

Line02: Article I: The United States shall ban any and all fracking activities

Line03: within its jurisdiction.

Line04:

Line05: Article II: Fracking is the process of injecting liquid at high pressure into subterranean rocks, boreholes, etc. so as to force open existing

Line07: fissures and extract oil or gas.

Line08:

Line09: Article III: This bill will be implemented immediately.

Line10:

Line11: Article IV: The implementation of this this bill will be

Line12: overseen and enforced by the Environmental Protection agency

Line13:

Line14: Article V: All laws and policies in conflict with new law

Line15: are hereby deemed null and void

Respectfully Submitted,

Nile Ahmad

Charles J. Colgan High School

#2090

A Legislation To Allow Optional Access To Affordable Government Health Care To All U.S. Citizens Who Are Not Under Any Government Health Care Plan

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS ASSEMBLED HERE THAT:

RESOLVED, By a two-third support of the Congress assembled, the following article is proposed as a government healthcare reform bill that when ratified by either two-thirds of both branches of Congress or three-fourths of state congressional conventions within the next 2 years of the submission of this legislation:

SECTION 1: Government healthcare plans such as Medicare will be made affordable by adjusting price according to income and ability to pay.

The bill can be applied to government healthcare programs only and must not be used to cut private healthcare plans.

Any U.S. citizen seeking to acquire or switch to a government healthcare plan must sign up and inform the government healthcare provider/organization.

All U.S. citizens already under government healthcare will be automatically accepted into this plan but have the option to quit if it doesn't suit them.

This healthcare plan should not be forced on anyone who does not sign up or chooses to continue or start a private healthcare plan.

SECTION 2: In order for this bill to be passed, it will require a submission of payment plans to fund the healthcare program along with either at least a $\frac{2}{3}$ vote in both the House of Representatives and the Senate or at least a $\frac{3}{4}$ vote by all state congressional conventions within 2 years.

When ratified, Congress may fund the government healthcare programs to allow them to exercise the actions of the bill and extend it to those who sign up for government healthcare or stay in government healthcare.

SECTION 3: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill To Rejoin the Paris Agreement

- 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS ASSEMBLED HERE THAT:
- 2. SECTION 1: The United States rejoin the Paris Climate Agreement, and all 50 states of the
- 3. shall decrease their carbon emissions by 6% by the beginning of 2025.
- **4. SECTION 2:** The Environmental Protection Agency is responsible for the enforcement of
- **5.** this legislation.
- **6. SECTION 3:** States that fail to comply with this legislation will forfeit 25% of their
- **7.** Medicare funding for the fiscal year of 2026.
- 8. SECTION 4: Funding for this legislation will come from 1% tax on companies using coal to
- **9.** facilitate the manufacturing of goods and services.
- **10. SECTION 5:** This legislation shall be implemented on January 21, 2021.
- 11. SECTION 6: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced by Sen/Rep Gupta Rock Ridge High School #2102

A Resolution to Urge Further Action on Re-entering the Paris Climate Agreement

WHEREAS, The U.S is in the process of leaving the Paris Climate Agreement, which

would lead to an increase in greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions; and

WHEREAS, The United States is the 2nd largest producer of GHG emissions and

withdrawing from this agreement would lead to uncontrolled GHG emissions and the

United States will not be able to help fund countries who lack the funds to create

climate change policies, which would help contribute to the "Warming Effect"; and

WHEREAS, this "Warming Effect" would lead to massive environmental damage

which would contribute massive economic damage for future generations and destroy

many people's livelihood.; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By this congress that: The United States should re-enter the Paris

Agreement in order to help ensure a stable future for the country.

Respectfully submitted,

Harneet Singh

Rock Ridge High School

A Resolution to Rejoin the World Health Organization

| 1. | WHEREAS | The World Health Organization was created to help and support the |
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| 2. | | health of the world's citizens, particularly the most vulnerable; and |
| 3. | WHEREAS | The health and well-being of one country can greatly affect the health |
| 4. | | of another bordering country, and no nation state is completely |
| 5. | | independent from a health perspective; and |
| 6. | WHEREAS | Healthy global citizens promote a more peaceful and productive citizenry |
| 7. | | physically, mentally, and economically; and |
| 8. | WHEREAS | The current global pandemic has affected every country in the world, |
| 9. | | and its economic impact will devastate poor and developing countries, |
| 10. | | significantly altering their ability to respond adequately, including |
| 11. | | providing their citizens with a vaccine; therefore be it |
| 12. | RESOLVED | That the United States should rejoin and support the World Health |
| 13. | | Organization, follow its health guidelines, and contribe to its health |
| 14. | | standard; and be it |
| 15. | FURTHER R | RESOLVED That the United States should recommit to its former |
| 16. | | financial contribution to the World Health Organization. |

Respectfully Introduced by Representative McBride Woodgrove High School

A Bill to Prevent the Use of Dark Money

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS THAT:

| 1. | SECTION I. | In order to stop the rampant use of dark money and the deceptive tactics |
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| 2. | | used by SuperPACs to get around the disclosure requirement, all |
| 3. | | organizations in the social welfare section of the tax code must disclose the |
| 4. | | source of their contributions during an election cycle. |
| 5. | SECTION II. | a. Dark money shall be defined as election-related spending where the |
| 6. | | source is kept secret. |
| 7. | | b. SuperPACs are "independent expenditure-only committees" that now |
| 8. | | have to disclose the source of their contributions. |
| 9. | SECTION III. | The director of the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network of the |
| 10. | | Department of Treasury shall assist the Federal Election Commission in |
| 11. | | enforcing this bill. |
| 12. | SECTION IV. | This bill will take effect immediately after passage. |

- 13. **SECTION V.** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted by Representative Grace Harvey of Woodgrove High School

A Bill To Reduce Carbon Emissions By Establishing A Carbon Tax

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS THAT:

| 1. | SECTION 1. | Congress will hereby impose a carbon tax of \$20 per ton of carbon |
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| 2. | | emissions directed towards companies that produce such |
| 3. | | amounts. This tax will further increase asumming emissions are not |
| 4. | | reduced by 5%. |
| 5. | SECTION 2. | Manufacturers included with the mass production of coal, vehicles, and |
| 6. | | petroleum products are subject to this tax as they are high contributors to |
| 7. | | carbon excretions. |
| 8. | SECTION 3. | The Environmental Protection Agency oversees the amounts of carbon |
| 9. | | released, determining who is going to be taxed. |
| 10 | SECTION 4. | The tax is planned to begin by 2024, with a goal to significantly decrease |
| 11 | | the amount of greenhouse gasses rising into the atmosphere by 2050. |
| 12 | SECTION 5. | All other laws that are in conflict with this new policy shall hereby be |

Respectfully submitted to this chamber by Representative Laurin Rosales Of Woodgrove High School

declared null and void.

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#3131 — A Bill to Reduce Federal Funding for Universities

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT: 1 2 Article I. In response to the student loan debt crisis of over \$1.6 trillion, the United States 3 Federal Government must reduce the cost of higher education by cutting all 4 federal general appropriation funding (such as for administration costs) and halve 5 (based off of the 2020 fiscal year budget and its currency value) all research 6 funding and federal Pell Grants (financial aid for students) to universities with 7 tuition costs exceeding \$15,000 a year. Article II. With the money appropriated from this program, universities who comply will 8 9 receive increased funding as a reward for the reduction in tuition. Research 10 funding and Pell Grants will be redirected to institutions in compliance, with the 11 research funds being spread out based on quality and quantity of research, 12 evaluated by individual government agencies issuing the grants, and with Pell 13 Grants being awarded at higher rates to students at universities in compliance. 14 Article III. All federal government agencies providing the above mentioned funding will act 15 in compliance with and enforce the measures mentioned in this bill, notably 16 including the Departments of Education and of Health and Human Services. 17 Article IV. This shall take effect by 2030.

All other laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Article V.

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Representative Sean Pala of George Mason High School

A BILL TO ESTABLISH A SINGLE PAYER HEALTHCARE SYSTEM IN THE UNITED STATES

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT

- SECTION 1. Establish a national health insurance program to provide comprehensive protection against the costs of health care and health-related services for every individual who is a resident of the United States
 - A. No cost-sharing, including deductibles, coinsurance, copayments, or similar charges, be imposed on an individual for any benefits provided under this Act. In addition, no provider may impose a charge to an enrolled individual for covered services for which benefits are provided under this Act.
 - B. No person shall, on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, including sex stereotyping, gender identity, sexual orientation, and pregnancy and related medical conditions, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination by any participating providers.
- 8 **SECTION 2.** Extensive coverage is defined as:
- A. Hospital Services, including inpatient and outpatient hospital care, 24-hour-a-day emergency services and inpatient prescription drugs, as well as laboratory and diagnostic services
- B. Ambulatory Patient Service, such as emergency services and transportation, including transportation to receive healthcare services for individuals with disabilities and low-income individuals
 - C. Primary and Preventative Services, including chronic disease management and prescription drugs, medical devices, biological products, including outpatient prescription drugs, medical devices, and biological products.
 - D. Mental health and substance abuse treatment services, including inpatient care.
 - E. Comprehensive reproductive, maternity, and newborn care. Pediatrics, including early and periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment services are guaranteed.
 - F. Oral health, audiology, and vision services.
- SECTION 3. Establish uniform State reporting requirements and national standards to ensure an adequate national database containing information pertaining to health
- services practitioners, approved providers, the costs of facilities and practitioners providing such services, the quality of such services, the outcomes of such services, and the
- 20 equity of health among population groups
- 21 SECTION 4. The United States Department of Treasury shall work in cooperation with the Department of Health and Human Services and its agencies to oversee the implementation
- 22 of this legislation.

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- 23 **SECTION 5.** These legislations upon passage will go into effect on January 1, 2021.
- 24 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Rep. Karam Weigert, Woodrow Wilson High School

A BILL TO MAKE ABORTION A HEALTHCARE SERVICE

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT

SECTION 1. Qualify abortion as a healthcare service, increase accessibility comprehensive reproductive services, reduce the costs of abortion and finally follow the World Health Organization guidelines for abortion.

- A. A healthcare provider has a right under this Act to provide abortion services, and that provider's patient has a corresponding right to receive such services, without any limitations or requirements
- **SECTION 2.** A healthcare provider is defined as any entity or individual
 - A. Engaged in the delivery of healthcare services, including abortion services; and
 - B. Licensed or certified to engage in the delivery of such services.
- **SECTION 3.** The government, private individual, or entity with grievances may take legal actions against non compliant individuals or services.
 - A. The Attorney General may commence a civil action for prospective injunctive relief on behalf of the United States against any government charged with implementing or enforcing any limitation or requirement that is challenged as a violation of a statutory right under this Act.
 - B. Any individual aggrieved by an alleged violation of this Act may commence a civil action for prospective injunctive relief against the government official that is charged with implementing or enforcing the limitation or requirement that is challenged as a violation of a statutory right under this Act.
 - C. A healthcare provider may commence an action for prospective injunctive relief on its own behalf and/or on behalf of the provider's patients who are or may be adversely affected by an alleged violation of this Act

SECTION 4. The Department of Health and Human Services will oversee the implementation of this act.

SECTION 5. These legislations upon passage will go into effect on January 1, 2021.

SECTION 6. No State, territory, or possession of the United States, or the District of Columbia, or the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, or subdivision, branch, department, agency, instrumentality, or official (or other person acting under color of law) of any of the forgoing, shall enact or enforce any law, rule, regulation, standard, or other provision having the force and effect of law that conflicts with any provision of this Act.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Rep. Malcolm Hornsby, Woodrow Wilson High School

BILL #3151 A BILL TO TIGHTEN THE FEDERAL STANDARD ON PM_{2.5}

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** Establish a new, rigorous, national annual standard on PM_{2.5}.
- A. The standard will be 8 to 10 micrograms per cubic meter of air.

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- 3 **SECTION 2.** PM_{2.5}, otherwise known as particulate matter, can be defined as a mixture of solid particles and liquid droplets found in the air that are 2.5 micrometers in diameter.
- SECTION 3. Under 42 U.S.C 7414, the best available form of fenceline monitoring of sources of hazardous air pollution
 A. The Environmental Protection Agency, using its Inspector General's Report of this year,
 - A. The Environmental Protection Agency, using its Inspector General's Report of this year, will determine the sources of pollutants as well as any other source that poses a cancer risk of 1-in 1 million as well as a chronic non-cancer risk
- B. The Environmental Protection Agency's Inspector General must report their findings
 annually to Congress
- 12 **SECTION 4.** Regulations shall be imposed on any source violating said standard
- A. Sources must implement the best available form of continuous emissions monitoring and fenceline monitoring to assure compliance with the emission standards for hazardous air pollutants
- B. Facilities are required, under the Clean Air Act Section 112(r), to submit risk management plans to prevent accidental releases of PM_{2.5} as well as an effective emergency response
- C. Establish a corrective action at the fenceline, and require a root cause analysis and consequence if the action is exceeded
- 20 **SECTION 5**. The Environmental Protection Agency will cooperate with the Department of
- Health and Human Service to oversee the implementation and enforcement of the standard.
- **SECTION 6.** This legislation, upon passage, will go into effect on January 1, 2021.
- 23 **SECTION 7** All laws in conflict are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Rep. Talia Ehrenberg, Woodrow Wilson High School

A Bill to Reinstate The Banking Act of 1933

- 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT
- 2. ARTICLE 1: The United States Government will reinstate The Banking Act of 1933.
- 3. ARTICLE 2: By U.S Federal law, banks will no longer be allowed to combine
- 4. investment and commercial services in their institutions.
- 5. ARTICLE 3: This plan will be implemented immediately upon its passage and last until
- 6. further notice.
- 7. ARTICLE 4: The United States Federal Reserve System shall oversee the
- 8. re-implementation of this legislation.

Respectfully submitted,

Huda Abdulle

Charles J. Colgan Sr. High School

A Bill to Provide Medicare For All

- 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
- 2. **ARTICLE 1.** The United States shall provide Medicare for all American citizens,
- 3. regardless of their age.
- 4. **ARTICLE 2.** Medicare is a federal health insurance program offered to people 65 or
- 5. older.
- 6. **ARTICLE 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services will oversee the
- 7. enforcement of this legislation.
- 8. **ARTICLE 4.** The funding for this legislation will come from general revenue and
- 9. payroll taxes.
- 10. **ARTICLE 5.** This bill will take effect immediately after its passage.
- 11. **ARTICLE 6.** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Maryam Imran

Broad Run High School