



Oversight Committee Provisions in Pelosi's Updated Partisan Wish List, the **HEROES Act**

Once again, Speaker Pelosi and her House Democrats are pushing for unnecessary spending and a massive expansion of government that will be paid for by hardworking Americans for generations to come. Instead of focusing on reopening our economy, regulatory relief, or streamlining government operations, the modified HEROES Act represents continued Federal government expansion and unnecessary spending.

House Democrats are pushing a big government wish list that:

Provides a bailout for mismanaged states and localities.

- Provides \$257 billion in direct aid to States, territories, and D.C., and an additional \$179 billion in direct aid to local governments to cover both public health costs and subsidize lost revenue due to the coronavirus pandemic emergency.

Has taxpayers foot the bill for a no-strings-attached bailout of the U.S. Postal Service.

- Includes an arbitrary \$15 billion cash bailout. There is no immediate need for a bailout of the USPS due to recently changing revenue trends and the \$10 billion in additional U.S. Treasury lending authority provided by the CARES Act, which the postal service has yet to access.

Continues to meddle with the Census to drive partisan objectives.

- Prevents Federal agencies from assisting the Census Bureau in determining citizenship for the purpose of reapportionment in the US and mandates that temporary Census workers receive enhanced benefits, despite working 12 weeks every 10 years. (Division R, Title II, Sec. 203 and Division C, Title I, Sec. 126)

Presumes that any federal employee who contracts COVID-19 has contracted it on the job and is entitled to workers compensation benefits. (Division C, Title IV, Sec. 401)

Politicizes the Inspectors General community with unnecessary, unvetted, and irrelevant reforms.

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