Out of Control Federal SPENDING

2024

- Budget: \$6.4 T 10% increase over 2023 Equals 23% of **GDP**
- Revenue: \$4.9 T
- Deficit: \$1.83 T

Dangerous Levels of Debt

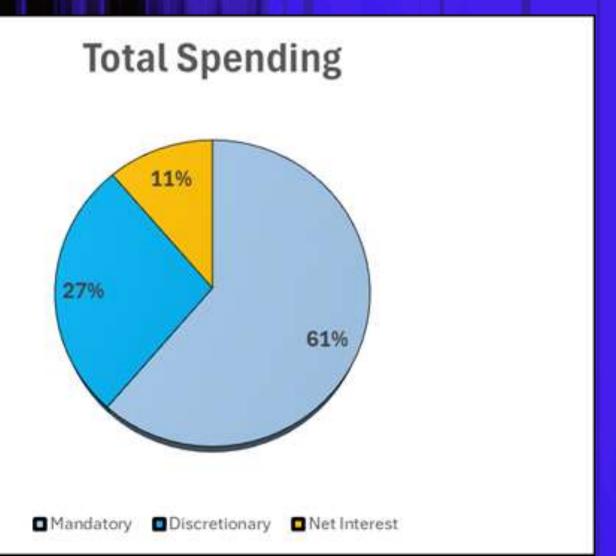
Current National Debt = \$36.2 Trillion

124% of USA's GDP

Annual Interest Payment = \$882B

That's 11 to 13% of the Entire Federal Budget

Mandatory vs. Discretionary Spending



Mandatory (61% / 72%):

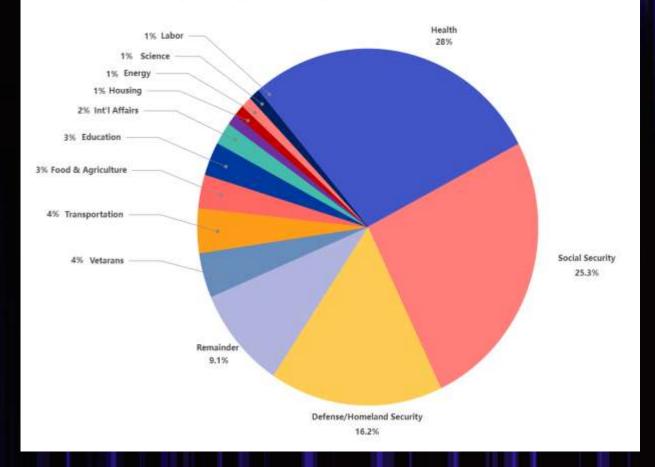
- * Social Security
- * Medicare
- * Medicaid
- * Unemployment Insurance
- * Interest on the National Debt

Mandatory vs. Discretionary Spending Discretionary (27%):

- * Defense and National Security (16%)
- * Virtually Every Other Government Program and Service (14%)

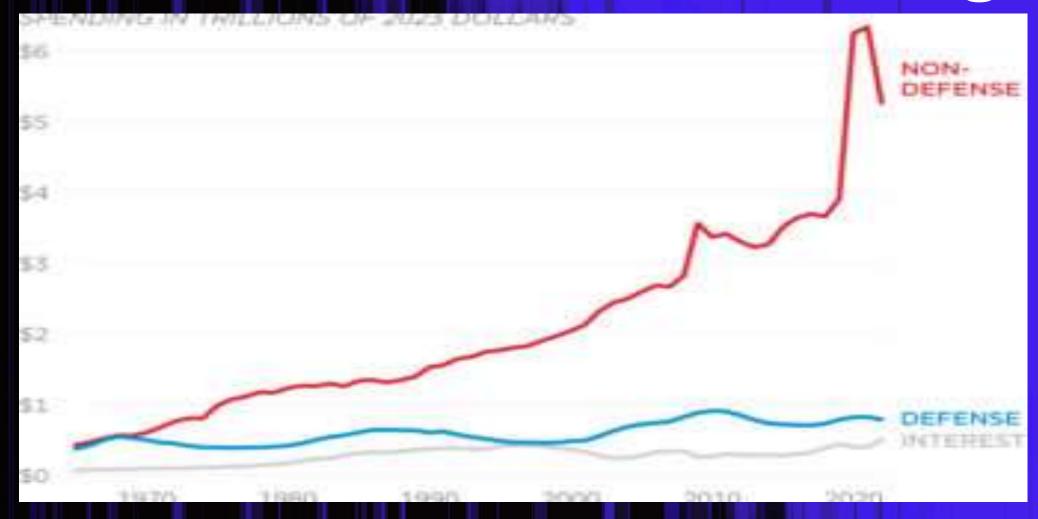
Where Do Your Tax Dollars Go?

Percent of spending, Including discretionary and mandatory



- 28% "Health" (\$1.9T)
 - Medicare (\$839B)
 - Medicaid/CHIPS (\$584B)
 - Obamacare (\$111B)
 - Other subsidies (\$82B)
- 25.3% Social Security (\$1.52T)
- 16.2% Defense, Homeland Security (\$900B)
- 30.5% Everything else

The Growth In the Federal Budget



What's In the OBBB?

- 1. \$1.7 T in Spending Cuts in Mandatory Spending (over 10 years)
- 2. 2017 Tax Cuts Made Permanent (est. \$3.7T in lost revenue OTY)
- 3. New Tax Reductions
 - No taxes on tips
 - No tax on overtime
 - Raises personal standard deduction by \$1,000 (\$2,000 for joint filers)
 - Gives low and middle Income seniors a \$4,000 deduction, \$8K if filing jointly
 - Car loan interest deduction
 - increases child tax credit from \$2000 to \$2500
 - Raises cap on state tax deduction from \$10,000 to \$40,000

What's In the OBBB?

- 5. Medicaid Reform (\$1T in savings over 10 years)
 - Tightens Work requirements
 - No funding of sex change operations
 - No funding of Planned Parenthood
 - No Medicaid for illegal aliens
 - Limits retroactive coverage to 30 days
 - Requires removal of dead people
- 6. Cancels funding of Green New Deal subsidies
- 7. Cancels Biden's Student Loan Forgiveness

What's In the OBBB?

- 8. Opens federal lands to energy leasing, streamlines permitting processes
- 9. Pays for the Border Wall
- 10. Trump Savings Accounts for newborns
- 11. Funding for the Golden Dome Defense System
- 12. Expands Health Savings Accounts
- 13. Empowers School Choice with Scholarship Fund

 Congressional Budget Office Says OBBB will increase deficits by \$2.4T (OTY)

Trump says it will reduce deficits by \$6.6T (OTY)

Who One is Right?

- CBO starts with \$3.7T loss from Tax Cuts
- But those tax rates are already in place.
- Stephen Miller says,
 - "CBO says maintaining 'current' rates adds to the deficit, but by definition, leaving these income tax rates unchanged cannot add one penny to the deficit."

- CBO does not account for the revenue received from Trump's Tarriffs
- Yet, CBO just estimated that if there is a 10% average tariff on all countries, it will generate
 \$2.8% (OTY)

As economy grows, revenue increases

 CBO assumes economy will only grow at 1.8% per year, generating \$1T to \$2T in revenue (OTY)

Average growth of GDP over last 10 years is 2.2%

3% Growth OTY will produce \$4T in revenue (OTY)

"ONE BIG BEAUTIFUL BILL" DEFICIT REDUCTION

- CURRENT POLICY TAX CUT COST
- ▶ 3% ECONOMIC GROWTH DIVIDEND
- MANDATORY SAVINGS
- ► CBO TARIFF REVENUE PROJECTION
- ► TOTAL DEFICIT REDUCTION

\$0

\$4 T

\$1.7 T

\$2.8 T

\$8.5 T



CRUDE OIL

COMING UP Kudlow

Bottom Line Kudlow is Right: OBBB will reduce deficits by \$5T to \$8T OTY.

This is good, BUT ...

It is not enough.

Bottom Line

Because...

That's about \$500B to \$800B per year in deficit reduction, WHILE the deficit has been over \$1T on average for the last 10 years.

And, costs of Medicare and Social Security will continue to increase.

Bottom Line Trump and Congress Must Find Another \$200 to \$500B per year in savings and increased revenue.

Reaons For Hope

- 1. God Has A Plan.
- 2. Economic Growth from lower taxes, reduced regulation, new investment, better education closing the border.
- 3. DOGE, Clawbacks, End Of DEI.