



Trump Administration Accomplishments

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The below is a brief summary of the top accomplishments achieved under President Trump's administration.

Economy

President Trump's policies have put the American economy into high gear.

- Since President Trump was elected over 6 million jobs have been created.
- The GDP for the first quarter of 2019 was 3.2% - the fastest first quarter growth in 4 years.
- Highlights of May's jobs report:
 - The unemployment rate remained at 3.6% - the lowest rate since December 1969.
 - There have been 15 straight months of unemployment at or below 4%.
 - Hispanic American unemployment remained at a record low 4.2%.
 - The Asian American unemployment rate was 2.5%, a near record low.
 - The African American unemployment rate dropped to 6.2% - a near record low and lower than any previous presidency.
 - The unemployment rate among women was 3.5%, one of the lowest marks since 1953.
 - Unemployment for workers without a bachelor's degree is at the lowest level since 2000.
 - The unemployment rate for workers with disabilities reached a record low.
 - Wage growth has remained at a strong 3.1%. This is the 10th straight month where wage growth was at least 3%.
- The Dow Jones Industrial Average hit record highs more than 80 times under President Trump, including closing higher than 26,000 points for the first time in its history.
- Under President Trump's leadership, Congress passed historic tax cuts and relief for hard-working Americans. The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act is the first major tax reform signed in 30 years.
 - As a result of the historic tax cuts, nearly 9,000 Opportunity Zones were created in all 50 states, DC, and 5 territories. Opportunity Zones will spur \$100 billion in private capital investment and impact nearly 35 million Americans.
 - The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act increased the Child Tax Credit by 100% keeping more money in the pockets of hardworking mothers.
- Economic confidence rebounded to record highs under President Trump because his pro-growth policies have and continue to put American workers and businesses first.
- President Trump has rolled back unnecessary job-killing regulations at a record clip which has saved billions and unleashed massive economic growth.

- This includes rolling back the costly Obama-era “Clean Power Plan.”

Immigration

President Trump is working to secure our border.

- President Trump is fulfilling his promise to build a border wall, with sizable portions already finished or under construction.
- Under President Trump, the U.S. Border Patrol has arrested hundreds of members of dangerous gangs.
- The President has strongly enforced our nation’s immigration laws by cracking down on illegal immigration and taken aim at “sanctuary cities.”
- President Trump has called on Congress to close dangerous loopholes such as “Catch and Release,” end chain migration, and end the visa lottery program which enables illegal immigration.
- In May, President Trump announced a new immigration proposal that would modernize our system and secure the border.

Foreign Policy

President Trump has restored our nation’s standing in the world and is standing up to bad actors.

- President Trump has negotiated better and fairer deals for the American people.
 - President Trump has kept his promise to deliver a modern and rebalanced trade deal to replace NAFTA.
 - President Trump withdrew the United States from the flawed Trans-Pacific Partnership.
 - President Trump has forced our allies to recommit to NATO.
- The United States has successfully decimated ISIS.
- President Trump fulfilled his promise to name Jerusalem Israel’s capital city and moved the U.S. Embassy
- President Trump used tariffs to rattle China’s economy and leaders for their trade cheating.
- Thanks to pressure from the United States, 50 countries followed President Trump’s leadership in recognizing Juan Guaidó as the legitimate leader of Venezuela.
- President Trump held two historic summits with North Korean leader Kim Jong Un, further demonstrating the Administration’s commitment to a denuclearized Korean peninsula.
- President Trump withdrew the U.S. from the Iran Nuclear Agreement and instituted the toughest sanctions in history to drive the regime’s oil exports to zero.
- The Administration has vigorously and quickly enforced red lines against regimes and individuals that use chemical weapons.
- The Trump Administration has imposed sanctions on Russian entities and individuals previously indicted for their roles in Russian interference in our election.

Judicial

President Trump continues to reshape the Federal judiciary at a record pace and is following through on his promise to appoint judges who will uphold the Constitution and rule of law.

- President Trump has nominated, and the Senate has confirmed a grand total of 114 Article III judges:
- 2 Supreme Court Justices – Justice Gorsuch and Justice Kavanaugh.
- 41 Circuit Court judges
- 71 District Court judges

Health Care

President Trump has reduced the cost of health care and taken significant steps to fight the opioid epidemic.

- President Trump has prioritized fixing our broken health care system and worked with Congress to implement a system that works for all Americans.
- The individual mandate penalty has been eliminated.
- Association health plans have been expanded.
- Short-term, limited duration insurance plans have been extended.
- President Trump is working to implement his plan to [lower prescription drugs](#).
- Under the Trump Administration, we have seen the [first ever decline](#) of average benchmark premiums on the federal health care exchange.
- [Reforms to expand Medicare Advantage](#) options and Health Reimbursement Accounts have been expanded.
- President Trump mobilized his entire administration to address the drug addiction and opioid abuse by declaring a Nationwide Public Health Emergency.
- President Trump signed the SUPPORT for Patients and Communities Act to fight the opioid epidemic.

Military and Veterans

President Trump is protecting America and our allies by rebuilding our military and ensuring our veterans receive the care they deserve.

- President Trump has restored American military strength.
- Under President Trump's leadership, Congress passed two historic National Defense Authorization Acts (NDAA) which allocate almost \$1.5 trillion combined to rebuild and grow our military.
- The FY2019 NDAA included a 2.6% military pay raise, the largest in 9 years.
- President Trump signed the Veterans Accountability and Whistleblower Protection Act to allow senior officials in the Department of Veterans Affairs (V.A.) to fire failing employees and establish safeguards to protect whistleblowers.
- The President signed the V.A. Choice and Quality Employment Act of 2017 to authorize \$2.1 billion in additional funds for the Veterans Choice Program (VCP).
- The Trump Administration created a new White House V.A. Hotline, staffed by veterans and family members.

- Veterans Affairs increased transparency and accountability by launching an online “Access and Quality Tool.” This provides veterans a way to access wait time and quality of care data.

Additional Accomplishments

- President Trump signed the historic FIRST STEP Act into law on December 21, 2018.
 - The FIRST STEP ACT has been widely hailed as the most meaningful criminal justice reform in a generation.
 - This landmark legislation included necessary reforms to our justice system, improves our prison system, and prepares inmates for reentry in our communities.
- The Trump Administration has prioritized empowering women to pursue careers and realize their economic potential.
 - President Trump directed more than \$200 million per year to technology education grants for women and programs that encourage participation in STEM careers.
 - President Trump signed an Executive Order establishing the National Council For The American Worker.
 - Over 200 companies and associations have signed the Administration’s Pledge to America’s Workers, promising to create more than 6.5 million education, training, and skill-building opportunities over the next 5 years.
 - Ivanka Trump created the Women’s Global Development and Prosperity Initiative (W-GDP) to help 50 million women in developing countries realize their economic potential by 2025.