



# A BETTER WAY

## OUR VISION FOR A CONFIDENT AMERICA

This unified Republican government will work together to change the status quo and turn this victory into real progress for the American people.

At the start of this year, House Republicans set out to create a bold, specific agenda by listening to people in every corner of America. A Better Way addresses some of the biggest challenges we face, from restoring the people's voice in our government, to repealing and replacing Obamacare, to implementing pro-growth tax reform.

With this agenda, we're ready to hit the ground running, shake up Washington, D.C. from top to bottom, and make sure we get our country back on the right path to be great again.

## Our Plan

### THE CONSTITUTION

Over time, the power of the Executive branch has grown, as the judiciary has deferred to bureaucracy and Congress has yielded some of its most fundamental duties. We must restore the intent of the Founding Fathers and protect the Constitution by:

- Stopping executive overreach
- Reining in the regulators
- Imposing new limits on spending
- Increasing transparency for taxpayers

### THE ECONOMY

Overbearing government regulation has hurt businesses and destroyed jobs. We need common sense reforms that are open, honest, and collaborative and that encourage innovation and job creation. We can demonstrate that America is the best place to live, work, build things, or start a business by:

- Regulating smarter
- Delivering affordable and reliable energy
- Putting students and workers first
- Preserving innovation



## HEALTH CARE

Obamacare has hurt American families—destroying jobs, cutting services, and increasing the cost of premiums and deductibles. We must completely repeal Obamacare and replace it with a better alternative by:

- Increasing choices and lowering costs
- Providing real protections against being denied care because of age, income, medical condition, or circumstances
- Accelerating the development of cutting-edge cures and treatments
- Strengthening and protecting Medicare for today's seniors and future generations



## NATIONAL SECURITY

Threats to American families at home and abroad are greater than ever before. Our enemies no longer fear us and our allies no longer trust us. We must restore a Confident America, one that keeps the peace and keeps American families safe by:

- Protecting the homeland
- Defeating the terrorists
- Tackling new and emerging threats
- Defending freedom



## POVERTY

Sadly, our current welfare system has trapped people in a cycle of poverty rather than giving them the tools to access opportunity and the American dream. We must reform the process by:

- Rewarding work for fulfilling jobs
- Tailoring benefits to individual needs
- Improving skills and schools
- Making it easier to plan and save for the future
- Demanding results and accountability



## TAX REFORM

Our tax code is flawed. It has high rates for hardworking American families and hurts small businesses. We propose a tax code that promotes growth without adding to the deficit by:

- Establishing a simpler, fairer, and flatter tax
- Making it easier to create jobs, raise wages, and expand opportunity
- Simplifying the IRS, and ensuring they put taxpayers first