

Friends,

This week, I had the chance to talk with you directly during a tele-townhall about the most pressing concerns you have for North Carolina's 9th District and America as a whole.

Many of you, like myself, are deeply concerned about the rise of Critical Race Theory in our schools, inconsistent COVID mandates, and the ongoing crisis at our southern border.

WATCH: Inflation is surging. Democrats' "infrastructure" bill won't help.

Additionally, most of you shared concerns about the "infrastructure" bill the Senate recently passed. The bill itself is a massive \$1.2 trillion package that contains less than 10% for actual infrastructure, such as roads and bridges. What's more, the promise that this deal would be fully paid for turned out not to be true, and astonishingly, Democrats are also pushing a \$3.5 trillion spending spree right behind it.

The question I'm hearing is the same one many Americans are asking right now: Who is going to pay for all this? <u>Inflation under President Biden</u> was already surging across the nation. For example, you've already noticed that grocery prices are skyrocketing and the price at the gas pump is no longer as affordable as it was under President Trump.

Simply put, the cost of inflation is being passed onto you and your family. Adding \$4.7 trillion to the mix from the "infrastructure" and wasteful spending bills will only make it worse. As I said during the townhall, Democrats and even some Republicans seem to be fine with that, but I am not. When I go back to Washington soon, I will be fighting this reckless spending on your behalf.

Our nation faces many challenges, but if concerned citizens such as yourself continue to stay engaged, I believe we will overcome these present challenges. If you couldn't join our tele-townhall on Tuesday, rest assured I will be hosting another one soon!

To those of you who participated, I want to extend my heartfelt thanks. You may remember during the call that we asked a few poll questions on some of the most concerning issues. I wanted to share those results with you now, see below!

Are you concerned about Critical Race Theory being implemented in schools and places of work?			Answer	Key	Votes	%
		-	Yes	1	151	74%
		-	No	2	41	20%
			Unsure	3	- 11	5%
		Total Votes:			203	
Are you worried about the return of mask mandates and lockdowns, or			Answer	Key	Votes	%
		-	Yes	1	110	73%
and lockdowns, or possible vaccine		-	Yes No	1	110 27	73% 18%
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Sincerely,

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