



Washington is
drowning us
in debt.

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has a plan to get us out.



What they're saying about Mia:

"If I were Jim Matheson, I would be scared to death if Mia were the Republican nominee."

—Campaign Manager to former Gov. Bangerter
and Republican strategist
The Daily Caller, 3/20/2012

THE FIRST STEP?

Cut federal spending immediately.

Politicians in Washington continue to spend our money recklessly, without any concern for our future. Our national debt is over \$15 trillion and growing daily.

This past year, more than 40¢ of every dollar Washington spent was paid for with borrowed money.

This amount of spending and debt is unsustainable. It damages our economy and creates an uncertain and unfair future for our children and grandchildren.

Mia Love is ready to go to Washington to help get our country back on track. She will fight for the policies that will truly eliminate our debt and put us back on sound financial ground.

As Mayor of Saratoga Springs, staying on budget is Mia's top priority. The library and all city events are 100% run by volunteers, private sponsors and donors. Read more about Mia's background of cutting spending at love4utah.com.



MIA'S INITIAL PLAN

to cut spending and get America back on track

SAVINGS CATEGORY	SAVINGS
Department of Agriculture	
✗ End farm subsidies	\$ 29.5 billion
✗ Cut food subsidies by 50 percent	\$ 52.7 billion
✗ End rural subsidies	\$ 4.2 billion
Department of Commerce	
✗ End telecom subsidies	\$ 2.3 billion
✗ End economic development subsidies	\$ 0.6 billion
Department of Education	
✗ End K-12 education subsidies	\$ 52.7 billion
✗ End student aid and all other programs	\$ 33.1 billion
Department of Energy	
✗ End subsidies for energy efficiency	\$ 10.2 billion
✗ End subsidies for vehicle technologies	\$ 5.2 billion
✗ End the technology loan program	\$ 1.2 billion
✗ End electricity research subsidies	\$ 2.0 billion
✗ End fossil energy research	\$ 1.1 billion
✗ Privatize the power marketing administrations	\$ 0.5 billion
✗ End nuclear energy subsidies	\$ 0.6 billion
Department of Health and Human Services	
✗ Repeal 2010 health care law*	\$ 87.0 billion
✗ Block grant Medicaid and freeze spending*	\$ 226.0 billion
✗ Cut non-Medicaid state/local grants by 50%	\$ 37.7 billion
✗ Cut Medicare payment error rate by 50%	\$ 28.6 billion
✗ Enact tort reform	\$ 10.0 billion
Department of Housing and Urban Development	
✗ End rental assistance	\$ 28.6 billion
✗ End community development subsidies	\$ 15.0 billion
✗ End public housing subsidies	\$ 8.9 billion
✗ End housing finance and all other programs	\$ 8.3 billion
Department of Justice	
✗ End state and local grants	\$ 5.0 billion
Department of Labor	

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"Take a look at my initial plan to cut federal spending immediately. It isn't the final solution—much more will need to be done—but it's a bold first step to stop the flood of wasteful spending. I want to know what you think of my plan, and I'd love to hear your ideas."

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✗ End trade adjustment assistance \$ 1.3 billion

Department of Transportation

✗ End urban transit grants (federal fund savings) \$ 5.8 billion

✗ Privatize air traffic control (federal fund savings) \$ 5.8 billion

✗ Privatize Amtrak and end rail subsidies \$ 2.9 billion

Department of the Treasury

✗ Cut earned income tax credit by 50% \$ 22.5 billion

Other Savings

✗ Cut federal civilian compensation costs by 10% \$ 29.6 billion

✗ Cut foreign development aid by 50% \$ 5.2 billion

✗ Privatize the Corps of Engineers \$ 10.6 billion

✗ Repeal Davis-Bacon labor rules \$ 9.0 billion

✗ End EPA state and local grants \$ 6.5 billion

✗ End foreign military financing \$ 5.4 billion

✗ End subsidies for the Corporation for National and Community Service \$ 0.6 billion

✗ End subsidies to PBS \$ 0.5 billion

✗ End the Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation \$ 0.2 billion

TOTAL SAVINGS

\$758.6 billion

*Value of savings in 2021

Spending items and amounts courtesy of the Cato Institute

THE NEXT STEP?

Change the culture in Washington for good.

Unfortunately, cutting $\frac{3}{4}$ of a trillion dollars is only the first step in eliminating our deficit. We still have a long way to go, and that will only happen if we change the culture in Washington. Mia will lead the fight in Congress to:

✓ **Pass a Balanced Budget Amendment**

A balanced budget amendment will force Congress to balance the budget and keep it balanced.

✓ **Reform Entitlement Programs**

Mia supports responsible entitlement reform, because Medicare, Medicaid and Social Security are the main sources of our long-term spending and debt problems.

Mia supports Rep. Paul Ryan's budget proposal, which preserves Medicare for current beneficiaries and responsibly reforms Medicare to make it solvent for future retirees. It also makes Social Security sustainable for the long-term through commonsense reforms.

The Ryan plan is a good start, but we can go even further in our effort to reduce the size of government and return power to the states and local governments.

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