December 16, 2021

Dear Senator,

The undersigned organizations come together in support of The Build Back Better Act (HR 5376) and to urge its swift passage.

The Build Back Better Act embodies the values of each of our organizations representing millions of people in this country.

The Build Back Better Act invests in people and trusts people to use those investments to improve the lives of their families, neighborhoods and communities.

The Build Back Better Act invests in education, health, housing, job creation and job supports, fair wages and equitable working conditions. The Build Back Better Act makes major investments in paid leave, home and community-based services and child care. It takes the necessary steps to ensure that our children and their children and grandchildren have clean water to drink, clean air to breathe and a planet that remains as safe as it is beautiful.

We have come a long way through a difficult journey, and not without costly and painful casualties, to say together that America can be what it is promised to be. It need only be as brave and as bold as the people.

People from all across the country have spoken in countless forums, in roundtables and meetings with elected representatives. Many of our organizations have presented testimony, critical research and data to document the concerns that have been raised and that this legislation seeks to address.

The Build Back Better Act represents decades of work, experience and input from people all across the country. Build Back Better has been calibrated to be the right measure for this time.

We are counting on you as you have always been able to count on us.

Sincerest regards,

1,000 Days
9to5
ADAPT
ADAPT Montana
Alabama Institute for Social Justice
All Our Kin
American Association of People with Disabilities (AAPD)
American Enough
American Muslim Health Professionals
Association of People Supporting Employment First (APSE)
Association of University Centers on Disabilities
Autism Society of America
Autistic Self Advocacy Network
Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law
Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law
Brain Injury Association of America
BreastfeedLA
California Pan-Ethnic Health Network
California Partnership to End Domestic Violence
California WIC Association
California Work & Family Coalition
Campaign for a Family Friendly Economy
Center for Law and Social Policy
Center for Law and Social Policy (CLASP)
Child Care Aware® of America
Child Care Law Center
Child Welfare League of America
Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation
Citizen Action of Wisconsin
Coalition for Social Justice
Coalition on Human Needs
COLAGE
CommunicationFIRST
Community Change Action
Community Organizing & Family Issues
COVID Survivors for Change
Disability Advocate
Disability Network Southwest Michigan
Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund
Easterseals
Easterseals
Economic Opportunity Institute
Economic Opportunity Institute
Family Forward Oregon
Family Values@Work
First 5 California
Friends Committee on Legislation of California
Georgia ADAPT
Hand in Hand: The Domestic Employers Network
Illinois Alliance for Retired Americans
ISAIAH
Jewish Center for Justice
Jews for Racial & Economic Justice
Justice for Migrant Women
Justice in Aging
LA Best Babies Network
La Plaza de Encuentro Gathering Place (Encuentro)
Legal Aid at Work
LifeSTEPS
Little Lobbyists
Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy
Main Street Alliance
Maine People's Alliance
MassADAPT
NARAL Pro-Choice America
National Alliance for Caregiving
National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)
National Association of Social Workers
National Association of Social Workers
National Association of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Programs
National Coalition on Black Civic Participation/ Black Womens Roundtable
National Council of Jewish Women
National Council of Jewish Women
National Council on Aging
National Council on Independent Living
National Domestic Workers Alliance
National Employment Law Project
National Health Law Program
National Partnership for Women & Families
National Respite Coalition
National Women's Law Center
Nevada County Citizens for Choice
New Jersey Citizen Action
Northwest Health Law Advocates
OLÉ
Opportunity Youth United
Our Family Coalition
Pacific Community Ventures
Parent Voices CA
ParentsTogether Action
PHI
PL+US: Paid Leave for the U.S.
Planned Parenthood Federation of America
Postmates, Inc
Public Advocacy for Kids (PAK)
RESULTS
RESULTS DC/MD
San Diego Breastfeeding Coalition
San Diego County Breastfeeding Coalition
Supermajority
TakeAction Minnesota
Tennessee Justice Center
The AIDS Institute
The Arc of the United States
USAgeing (formerly n4a)
Westwood for All Ages
Wharton School of Business