

# Trump calls for bipartisanship, a hard line on immigration

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President Donald Trump delivers his State of the Union address as Vice President Mike Pence and House Speaker Nancy Pelosi watch.

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WASHINGTON — Face to face with emboldened Democrats, President Donald Trump called on Washington to cast aside “revenge, resistance and retribution” and end “ridiculous partisan investigations” in a State of the Union address delivered at a vulnerable moment for his presidency.

Trump appealed Tuesday night for bipartisanship but refused to yield on the hard-line immigration policies that have infuriated Democrats and forced the recent government shutdown. He renewed his call for a border wall and cast illegal immigration as a threat to Americans’ safety and economic security.

Trump accepted no blame for his role in cultivating the rancorous atmosphere in the nation’s capital, and he didn’t outline a clear path for collaborating with Democrats who are eager to block his agenda. Their opposition was on vivid display as Democratic congresswomen in the audience formed a sea of white in a nod to early 20th-century suffragettes.

Trump is staring down a two-year stretch that will determine whether he is re-elected or leaves office in defeat. His speech sought to shore up Republican support that had eroded slightly during the recent government shutdown and previewed a fresh defense against Democrats as they ready a round of investigations into every aspect of his administration.

“If there is going to be peace and legislation, there cannot be war and investigation,” he declared. Lawmakers in the cavernous House chamber sat largely silent.

Looming over the president’s address was a fast-approaching Feb. 15 deadline to fund the government and avoid another shutdown. Democrats have refused to acquiesce to his demands for a border wall, and Republicans are increasingly unwilling to shut down the government to help him fulfill his signature campaign pledge. Nor does the GOP support the president’s plan to

declare a national emergency if Congress won’t fund the wall.

Wary of publicly highlighting those intraparty divisions, Trump made no mention of an emergency declaration in his remarks. He did offer a lengthy defense of his call for a border wall, declaring: “I will build it.” But he delivered no ultimatums about what it would take for him to sign legislation to keep the government open.

**“IF THERE IS GOING TO BE PEACE AND LEGISLATION, THERE CANNOT BE WAR AND INVESTIGATION.”**

President Donald Trump

“I am asking you to defend our very dangerous southern border out of love and devotion to our fellow citizens and to our country,” he said, painting a dark and foreboding picture of the risks posed to Americans by illegal immigration.

The 72-year-old Trump harkened back to moments of American greatness, celebrating the moon landing as astronaut Buzz Aldrin looked on from the audience and heralding the liberation of Europe from the Nazis. He led the House chamber in singing happy birthday

to a Holocaust survivor sitting with first lady Melania Trump.

“Together, we represent the most extraordinary nation in all of history. What will we do with this moment? How will we be remembered?” Trump said.

The president ticked through a litany of issues with crossover appeal, including boosting infrastructure, lowering prescription drug costs and combating childhood cancer.

But he also appealed to his political base, both with his harsh rhetoric on immigration and a call for Congress to pass legislation to prohibit the “late-term abortion of children.”

Trump devoted much of his speech to foreign policy, another area where Republicans have increasingly distanced themselves from the White House. He announced details of a second meeting with North Korea’s Kim Jong Un, outlining a Feb. 27-28 summit in Vietnam.

Trump and Kim’s first summit garnered only a

vaguely worded commitment by the North to denuclearize. But the president said his outreach to Pyongyang had made the U.S. safer.

“If I had not been elected president of the United States, we would right now, in my opinion, be in a major war with North Korea,” he said.

As he condemned political turmoil in Venezuela, Trump declared that “America will never be a socialist country” — a remark that may also have been targeted at high-profile Democrats who identify as socialists.

The president was surrounded by symbols of his emboldened political opposition. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, who was praised by Democrats for her hard-line negotiating during the shutdown, sat behind Trump as he spoke. And several senators running for president were also in the audience, including Sens. Kamala Harris of California and Cory Booker of New Jersey.

Trump’s address amounted to an opening argument for his re-election campaign. Polls show he has work to do, with his approval rating falling to just 34 percent after the shutdown, according to a recent survey conducted by The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research.



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Stacey Abrams delivers the Democratic response.

## In Democratic response, Abrams sharply rebukes Trump

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ATLANTA — Stacey Abrams harnessed the frustration of Democrats on Tuesday with a sharp rebuke of President Donald Trump for abandoning working Americans and fomenting partisan and cultural discord.

Just months after narrowly losing her bid to become America’s first black woman governor, the Georgia Democrat stepped onto the biggest stage of her political career to deliver her party’s rebuttal to Trump’s State of the Union address. She was the first black woman to deliver such an address and used the high-wattage event to blister Trump on everything from education and school safety to being out of touch with the middle class.

But she was especially stinging when it came to Trump’s role in the 35-day partial government shutdown over his demands for a wall at the U.S.-Mexico border.

“The shutdown was a stunt engineered by the president of the United States, one that defied every tenet of fairness

and abandoned not just our people, but our values,” Abrams said.

Her speech was much shorter than the president’s hour-plus address. And she largely avoided the pitfalls of others who delivered similar responses, including Florida Sen. Marco Rubio, who broke from his script in 2013 to swig sips of water, and Democratic Rep. Joe Kennedy III, who was ridiculed for his overuse of Chap-Stick in 2018.

Still, a union hall in Atlanta doesn’t compare to the grandeur — and bright lights — of the House chamber, where Trump delivered his speech.

In choosing Abrams to deliver the Democratic response to Trump, party leaders acknowledged the power and influence of women — especially black women — in anchoring the Democratic base. Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer is trying to persuade Abrams, 45, to run for Senate in 2020, sensing the opportunity to flip a Republican-held seat and bolster turnout in Georgia, which could become a presidential battleground.

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A	L	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	KATU	(2) KATU News at 6 (N)		Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel of Fortune	The Goldbergs	Schooled	Modern Family	Single Parents	Match Game		News (N)	(35) Jimmy Kimmel
4	KOMO	(4) KOMO 4 News at 6pm (N)		Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	The Goldbergs	Schooled	Modern Family	Single Parents	Match Game		KOMO4News (N)	(35) Jimmy Kimmel
5	KING	(5) NBC News (N)	KING 5 News (N)	KING 5 News (N)	Evening	Chicago Med "Ghosts in the Attic" (N)	Chicago Fire "The Plunge" (N)	Chicago P.D. "Night in Chicago" (N)	Criminal Minds "Truth or Dare" (SF) (N)	Criminal Minds "Truth or Dare" (SF) (N)	KIRO 7 News (N)	News (N)	(35) Colbert
7	KOIN	(7) KOIN Local 6 (N)	Evening News (N)	Extra	Ent. Tonight	The World's Best This global talent competition features elite acts. (N)						News (N)	(35) Colbert
9	KIRO	(7) KIRO 7 News (N)	Evening News (N)	KIRO 7 News (N)	Ent. Tonight	The World's Best This global talent competition features elite acts. (N)						News (N)	(35) Colbert
9	KGW	(9) KGW News at 6:00 p.m. (N)		Tonight Cassidy	Inside Edition	Chicago Med "Ghosts in the Attic" (N)	Chicago Fire "The Plunge" (N)	Chicago P.D. "Night in Chicago" (N)				News (N)	(35) Tonight Show
10	KRCW	(3) Modern Family	Modern Family	The Goldbergs	The Goldbergs	Riverdale (N)	All American "Back in the Day" (N)	News (N)	Friends Pt. 1 of 2	Two and a Half			Two and a Half
10	KOPB	(10) Journeys in Japan	Business (N)	PBS NewsHour (N)		Nature "Arctic Wolf Pack"	Nova "Decoding the Pyramids" (N)	Dictator's Playb "Francisco Franco" (N)					
12	KPTV	(12) 6 O'Clock News (N)		Family Feud (N)	Family Feud (N)	To Hell & Back "Bayou on the Vine" (N)	Masked Singer "Touchy Feely Clues" (N)	10 O'Clock News (N)				News (N)	Page Six TV
18	KPDx	(18) Mike & Molly	Mike & Molly	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	8pm Prime News (N)	9pm Prime News (N)	Big Bang Theory	FamilyGuy 1/2	American Dad!			The Game
13	KCPQ	(13) Modern Family	Modern Family	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	To Hell & Back "Bayou on the Vine" (N)	Masked Singer "Touchy Feely Clues" (N)	Q13 NEWS AT 10 (N)				News (N)	The Simpsons
20	TBS	(20) Family Guy	Family Guy	Bob's Burgers	Bob's Burgers	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Full Frontal (N)		Conan (N)
20	KZJO	(20) Black-ish	Black-ish	Mom	Modern Family	Mom	Modern Family	Q13 News at 9 (N)	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Two and a Half		Two and a Half
29	ESPN	(29) (5:00) NBA Basketball	Washington vs Milwaukee (L)	NBA Basketball	San Antonio Spurs at Golden State Warriors	Site: Oracle Arena - Oakland, Calif. (L)						SportsCenter (N)	
30	ESPN2	(30) NCAA Basketball (L)										NFL Live	
31	NICK	(31) The Loud House	The Loud House	The Loud House	The Loud House	Double Dare	Double Dare	To Be Announced				Friends	(35) Friends
32	DISN	(32) Jessie	Jessie	Bunk'd	Coop & Cami	Raven's Home	Raven's Home	Bunk'd	Bizaardvark	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Raven's Home 1/2	Raven's Home 2/2
34	FAM	(34) (5:30) *** Pretty Woman (90, Rom)	Julia Roberts, Jason Alexander, Richard Gere.			Grown-ish (N)	*** Pitch Perfect (2012, Comedy)	Brittany Snow, Rebel Wilson, Anna Kendrick.					The 700 Club
35	FMC	(35) (4:40) *** Gone Girl (14)	Rosamund Pike, Ben Affleck.	*** Gone Girl (2014, Mystery)	Rosamund Pike, Missi Pyle, Ben Affleck.			(20) ** X-Men Origins: Wolverine (09)	Liev Schreiber, Hugh Jackman.				
38	LIFE	(38) Grey's Anatomy	Grey's Anatomy "Time After Time"	ProjectRunwa (N)	(50) Rewind (N)			Runway "Pedal to the Metal" (N)	(05) American Beauty Star				
38	ROOT	(38) NCAA Basketball	Oklahoma vs. Oklahoma State (L)			IDEAL (N)	PBA Bowling Celebrity Invitational						Champions Tennis "18 Helpful Cup
39	FS1	(39) (4:30) NCAA Basket.	NCAA Basketball California at Oregon (L)			PBC Countdown	TMZ Sports (N)	Fair Game	Speak for Yourself				Inside the Big East NCAA Basketball
43	SPIKE	(43) Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	** The Expendables 3 (2014, Action)	Jason Statham, Jet Li, Sylvester Stallone.				
44	COM	(44) South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park				The Daily Show (N) (35) Broad City
45	HIST	(45) Forged in Fire "Jumonji Yari"		Forged in Fire "Ring Hilted Sword"		Forged in Fire "The Bardiche" (N)		Forged in Fire			(05) Knight Fight (N)	(05) Forged in Fire "The Sengese"	
48	A&E	(48) Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	(05) Storage Wars (35) Storage Wars	
47	TLC	(47) My 600-lb Life "Holly's Story"				My 600-lb Life "Lacey's Story" (N)						Family by the Ton (N)	My 600-lb Life "Amber's Story"
48	DISC	(48) Moonshiners "Wrong Side of the Law"		Moonshiners "Popcorn's Secret Stash"		Moonshiners "Burden of Proof" (N)		Moonshiners "Breaking the Laws" (N)				Rescue "Flood, Sweat, and Tears: Part 1"	Homestead Rescue "High and Dry"
49	NGeo	(49) Locked up "Mexican Prison Escape"		Locked up "Busted in Bangkok"		Locked up "Tricked in Thailand" (N)		Locked up "Narco Wine Bust" (N)				Locked up "Servants of Saddam" (N)	Locked Up Abroad "Narco Wine Bust"
50	TNT	(50) (5:00) *** Shooter (07, Act)	Michael Peña, Mark Wahlberg.	*** The Accountant (2016, Crime Story)	Anna Kendrick, J.K. Simmons, Ben Affleck.							Drop the Mic (N)	Joker's Wild (N)
51	AMC	(51) (4:55) *** Cast Away (2000, Drama)	Helen Hunt, Nick Searcy, Tom Hanks.	** Enemy of the State (1998, Action)	Gene Hackman, Jon Voight, Will Smith.								Live Free or Die Hard (07) Bruce Willis.
52	USA	(52) Law & Order: S.V.U. "Retro"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Babes"		SVU "Unintended Consequences"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Intent"				Suits "The Greater Good" (N)	Modern Family   Modern Family
53	FOOD	(53) Game "GGG Impossible: Part Two"		Game "GGG Impossible: Part Three"		Guy's Game "GGG Impossible: Finale"		Game "GGG Iron Chef Challenge" (N)				Guy's Grocery Games "Noodle Games"	Guy's Grocery Games "Full-On Fried"
54	HGTV	(54) Buying/Sell "Letting Go Is Hard to Do"		Buying and Selling "More for Less"		Property Brothers "Color Clash"		Property Brothers "Mountain Chic" (N)				House Hunters (N)   House Hunters (N)	Property Brothers "Wishful Building"
56	FX	(56) (4:30) *** The Revenant (15)	Tom Hardy, Domhnall Gleeson, Leonardo DiCaprio.	*** Iron Man 3 (2013, Action)	Gwyneth Paltrow, Guy Pearce, Robert Downey Jr.								Iron Man 3 (13, Act) Robert Downey Jr..
57	CNN	(57) Cuomo Prime Time		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon		Anderson Cooper 360				Cuomo Prime Time	CNN Tonight With Don Lemon
58	FNC	(58) Hannity		The Ingraham Angle		Fox News @ Night		Tucker Carlson Tonight				Hannity	The Ingraham Angle
61	CNBC	(61) Deal or No Deal "Head Over Heels" (N)		Deal or No Deal "Beard or No Beard"		No Deal "My Big Fat Greek Game Show"		Deal or No Deal "Head Over Heels"				Deal or No Deal "Ice Cream Dreams"	Paid Program   Paid Program
63	BRAV	(63) Housewives NJ "Whine Country"		Wives NJ "Mudslinging in Mexico"		Wives NJ "Camels, Cabo and Catfights"		Housewives NJ "Heroines in Heels" (N)				Sweet Home "The 10-year Itch"	Watch What (N)   Housewives NJ
64	TCM	(64) (5:00) *** The Longest Day (62, War)	Rod Steiger, Peter Lawford, John Wayne.	(15) *** Tora! Tora! Tora! (1970, War)		So Yamamura, Joseph Cotten, Martin Balsam.							An American in Paris (51) Gene Kelly.
65	SYFY	(65) Movie	*** Thor: The Dark World (2013, Action)	Chris Hemsworth, Tom Hiddleston, Natalie Portman.		The Magicians "The Bad News Bear" (N)						Deadly Class "Mirror People" (N)	Ghost Rider (2007, Action) Nicolas Cage.
162	RFD	(162) Dude Ranch		Cowboy Moments		Women's Rodeo		Equestrian Nation				Team Roping 1/2	Rural Eve. News
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