

*"I am now convinced that the simplest approach will prove to be the most effective — the solution to poverty is to abolish it directly by a now widely discussed measure: the guaranteed income."*

**- Martin Luther King Jr., 1967**

*"I think we'll end up doing universal basic income... It's going to be necessary... There will be fewer and fewer jobs that a robot cannot do better."*

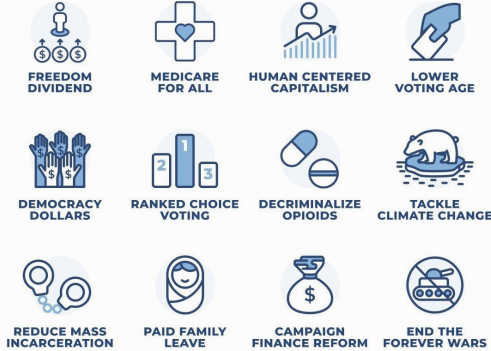
**- Elon Musk, 2017**

*"You have to figure out how to distribute it... people who fall by the wayside through no fault of their own as the goose lays more golden eggs should still get a chance to participate in that prosperity, and that's where government comes in."*

**- Warren Buffett, 2017**

## Policy Proposals

A short summary of a few of Andrew Yang's 160+ policy proposals



### Freedom Dividend

The Freedom Dividend provides all US adults with \$1000 of unconditional cash per month.

### Medicare for All

Medicare for All will provide each American with affordable quality health insurance.

### Human Centered Capitalism

Humans are more important than money. Markets exist to serve our common goals.

### Democracy Dollars

\$100 will be given yearly to every adult to donate to campaigns, washing out corporate and lobbying money by a factor of 10 to 1.

Find out more at [yang2020.com](https://yang2020.com)

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**FORWARD.**

# ANDREW YANG

for PRESIDENT

A NEW WAY FORWARD



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## I'm Andrew Yang

I'm running for President because I fear for the future of our country. **New technologies** – robots, software, artificial intelligence – have already destroyed more than **4 million** US jobs since 2000, and in the next 5-10 years, they will eliminate millions more. A third of all American workers are at risk of **permanent unemployment**. And this time, the jobs will not come back.

I'm not a career politician—I'm an entrepreneur who understands the economy. It's clear to me that we need to make an unprecedented change, and we need to make it now. But the establishment isn't willing to take the necessary bold steps.

Once I understood the magnitude of this problem, and that even our most forward-thinking politicians were not going to take the steps necessary to stem the tide, I had no choice but to act.

As president, my first priority will be to implement Universal Basic Income for every American adult starting at age 18: **\$1,000 a month**, no strings attached, paid for by a new tax on the companies benefiting most from automation.

I urge you to join me. No one else is going to build a better world for us. We're going to have to do it ourselves. **Together.**



## UNIVERSAL BASIC INCOME

### The Freedom Dividend

#### PROVIDES AN INCOME FLOOR

78% of Americans are living paycheck-to-paycheck and can't afford an unexpected \$500 bill. UBI will reduce poverty and financial insecurity.

#### BETTER HEALTH

With increased economic security, people are less prone to stress and disease. A UBI experiment in Canada saw hospitalization rates go down 8.5 percent.

#### JOBS & ECONOMIC GROWTH

UBI would create 4.6 million jobs and grow the economy by 12% continuously according to Roosevelt Institute.

#### RECOGNIZES UNPAID WORK

Recognizes the hard work of stay-at-home parents and caretakers of the sick or elderly loved ones.

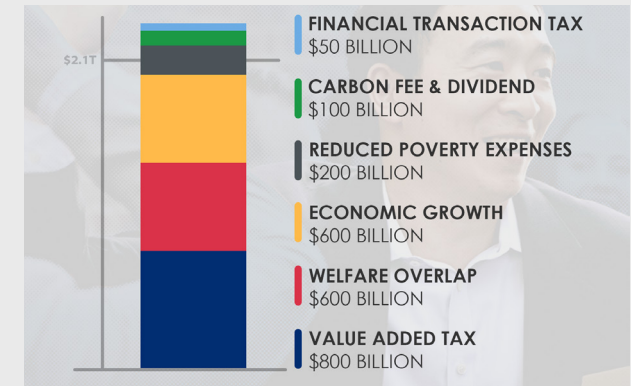
#### MORE BARGAINING POWER FOR WORKERS

UBI gives workers leverage to say no to exploitative wages and abusive working conditions.

#### FREEDOM

UBI would allow people the freedom to switch jobs, move, go back to school, pursue entrepreneurial passions and creative endeavors.

### How can our country pay everyone \$1,000 a month



#### ✓ Value Added Tax

Our economy is now incredibly vast at \$19 trillion, up \$4 trillion in the last 10 years alone. A VAT at half the European level would generate \$800 billion in new revenue. A VAT will become more and more important as technology improves because you cannot collect income tax from robots or software.

#### ✓ Current spending

We currently spend between \$500 and \$600 billion a year on welfare programs, food stamps, disability and the like. This reduces the cost of the Freedom Dividend because people already receiving benefits would have a choice between keeping their current benefits and the \$1,000, and would not receive both.

#### ✓ New revenue

Putting money into the hands of American consumers would grow the economy. The Roosevelt Institute projected that the economy will grow by approximately \$2.5 trillion and create 4.6 million new jobs.

More info at [www.freedom-dividend.com](http://www.freedom-dividend.com)

**The best path forward** is to make us all shareholders in the progress and innovation of the **21st century** through a

**Freedom Dividend**  
for all American adults.

"33 percent of all American workers could lose their jobs to increased automation by 2030."

- McKinsey Global Institute, 2017

"Workers currently making between \$30,000 and \$60,000 per year are likely to experience the greatest disruption from automation."

- Bain & Company, 2018

"By 2025, it's projected that 10-15% of jobs in manufacturing, transportation, and retail trade will have high potential for automation. By 2035, this range will be closer to 35-50% for those sectors."

- World Economic Forum, 2019