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**SCHAKOWSKY BACKS BIPARTISAN ECONOMIC STIMULUS PLAN**

*Legislation Will Offer Tax Rebates for 117 Million Families*

Washington, D.C. – U.S. Representative Jan Schakowsky (D-IL), a Chief Deputy Whip, j

“Families in Illinois are struggling just to make ends meet, and the economic downturn is

The bill passed today provides a recovery rebate to 117 million families, including 35 milli

The legislation also includes tax cuts for small businesses. The bipartisan plan doubles th

“Our nation’s 27 million small businesses are an economic driving force, producing 75 pe

Importantly, the bipartisan plan also includes provisions to help families avoid losing their