

of Reston Awards for Community Service. These awards are the result of collaboration between Cornerstones and the Greater Reston Chamber of Commerce and are presented to individuals, organizations, and businesses whose extraordinary efforts make our community a better place. I am pleased to submit the names of the following recipients of the 2016 Best of Reston Awards:

Individual Community Leader: Leila Gordon—Putting Community at the Center of the Reston Experience: Inviting all who live, work, and play in Reston to participate in the Reston way of living with compassion and creativity.

Civic/Community Organization: Friends of Reston for Community Projects (Katie Shaw)—The Nature of Reston Has Giving at Its Heart: Harnessing the resources of volunteers and friends to generate \$2 million in community investment so all may enjoy Reston's numerous natural assets.

Vade Bolton-Ann Rodriguez Legacy Award: Amy's Amigos (Olivia Wolfe, Kacey Hirshfeld and Hannah Becker)—Friends Striving to Create a Healthy, Caring Community: Channeling grief into ongoing action, modeling wellness for our youth and throughout the community, sharing the tools of action, and passing the torch to the next generation of Reston's leaders.

Small Business Leader: Beloved Yoga—Inspiring Community Wellbeing: Providing the tools for self-empowerment, self-healing and self-realization coupled with the belief that giving back to the community is powerful when we thrive together.

Corporate Business Leader: Bechtel—Engineering the Future with Service to Others: Giving employees opportunities to create positive impacts throughout Reston, the Dulles Corridor, and the world by encouraging them to follow through on their own purpose-driven interests and passions.

Individual Community Leader: Jim Elder—A Champion of Sportsmanship for All Seasons: Teaching Reston youth that good sportsmanship and fair play are as essential to playing the games they love as skills, stats, and strategy.

Corporate Business Leader: Google—Search for "Positive Impact": Find Google in our Community: Bringing its signature culture of innovation to tackle local and worldwide challenges in education and poverty relief; and the support of returning service men and women and our K9 heroes.

Small Business Leader: Wiygul Automotive Clinic—Jump-Starting Hope for Families and Children: Making a profound difference in the lives of others by quietly and humbly delivering dependable transportation to help people secure and maintain solid employment.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that my colleagues join me in congratulating the 2016 Best of Reston honorees for their tremendous contributions to our community. I want to thank Cornerstones and the Greater Reston Chamber of Commerce for continuing this wonderful tradition, and I express my sincere gratitude to these individuals, businesses, and organizations for lending their time and energy to the betterment of our community.

CONGRATULATING THE COLLEGE OF DUPAGE ENGINEERING CLUB

HON. PETER J. ROSKAM

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 24, 2016

Mr. ROSKAM. Mr. Speaker, I am pleased today to recognize the College of DuPage Engineering Club. For the second year in a row, the College of DuPage is one of only two community colleges invited to participate in the 2016 NASA Robotic Mining Competition held at the Kennedy Space Center in Florida.

This year's NASA Robotic Mining competition features participants from 40 different colleges from across the country. The competition consists of undergraduate and graduate students who are required to design and construct a mining robot that could traverse the simulated Martian surface, collect samples of gravel, and place the samples into a bin.

The members of the Engineering Club who participated in the recent NASA competition come from all corners of DuPage County and each member has a strong passion for engineering. It was necessary that the members to work together and rely on one another as they repeatedly tested their robot design to ensure the best possible strategy for the competition. The participant's hard work and long hours will prepare them for the rigors of engineering school and the lessons learned from the competition will serve them greatly in their future careers.

Mr. Speaker and my distinguished colleagues in the House please join me in congratulating College of DuPage Engineering Club and wishing them the best of luck in the future.

THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNAL AUDITORS' 75TH ANNIVERSARY

HON. JOHN L. MICA

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 24, 2016

Mr. MICA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate an organization from Florida's 7th Congressional District, located in Altamonte Springs. This July, The Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA) celebrates its 75th anniversary.

As many of my colleagues know, internal auditors play a vital role in maintaining public trust in our institutions. Whether it is protecting shareholder value at large publicly traded companies or ensuring appropriate use of taxpayer dollars in federal, state or local government, the internal auditor is ever-vigilant in ensuring that our institutions operate effectively. For 75 years, The IIA has helped inspire and educate generations of internal auditors who play a crucial role in our nation's success.

The IIA was founded in 1941 in New York City by a core group of 24 internal auditors with the intention of bringing the practice of internal auditing to the forefront of American business. These initial members of The IIA created many of the core principles and best practices we see in internal audit functions across the United States and world today. While the organization began with only two dozen members, it now includes more than

185,000 worldwide, with 63,000 in the United States.

In effective risk management and control, there are three lines of defense for shareholders and taxpayers who want to see our institutions play by the rules. The first line of defense is management. The second line of defense is compliance and oversight functions established by management. The final line of defense is independent assurance of compliance and control through an internal audit.

The IIA is the internal audit profession's global voice, recognized authority, acknowledged leader, chief advocate and principle educator. The IIA is a trusted resource, providing key standards, guidance and certifications for the internal audit profession.

Further, The IIA's certification programs ensure that internal auditors are recognized as employing the highest standards to protect shareholder value and to ensure proper compliance and risk management procedures are followed. The IIA and its members are truly the leaders of the internal audit profession and are consistently recognized internationally as an organization setting industry standards.

I have personally had the opportunity to meet with and discuss today's challenges with The IIA over the years. I am proud of the work its members do and how their organization is run.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in applauding The IIA and its more than 63,000 members in the United States for their hard work over the past 75 years, all they have accomplished, and all they will accomplish in the future.

RECOGNIZING THE 2016 BLACK AND GOLD SCHOLARSHIP BALL AWARD RECIPIENTS

HON. GERALD E. CONNOLLY

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, June 24, 2016

Mr. CONNOLLY. Mr. Speaker, I rise to recognize the Joyce-Gillespie-Harrington Charitable and Educational Foundation and the Zeta Upsilon Lambda Chapter of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity on the occasion of their 36th annual Black and Gold Scholarship Ball.

Since 1980, these two organizations have made tremendous contributions to promoting academic opportunities for youth in Northern Virginia and in the greater Washington, D.C., metropolitan region.

The programs offered by the foundation are vital to the success of our students. This year's Black and Gold Scholarship Ball will support scholarships for ten college-bound high school students. During the last eighteen years, ninety students have received scholarships awarded by the foundation and have attended some of the top colleges and universities in the country. With the typical college graduate's debt averaging about \$30,000, the foundation's continued support of these students is absolutely crucial.

I am pleased to enter the following names of the 2016 scholarship winners:

Alisha Harris (Robinson Secondary School), Charles Sterling (Stone Bridge HS), Cory Pringle (Annandale HS), Diego Flores (Herndon HS), Evan Belcher (AOS Stone Bridge HS),