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FRANCIS RHODES

HON. WILLIAM R. KEATING

OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 23, 2018

Mr. KEATING. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of the life of Scoba Francis Rhodes, a resident of East Falmouth, Massachusetts and dedicated civil rights and education advocate.

Scoba was born in Indianapolis, Indiana, and moved to Falmouth with his family in 1947. Following his graduation from the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College, he served in the Air Force as an education specialist during the Vietnam War era.

His laudable devotion to public service continued through his position as a guidance counselor at the Mores Pond School in Falmouth, while he ran a night program for students unable to finish High School. Later, he served as the assistant director of admissions and then associate director, at Southeastern Massachusetts University. Further, he served as the dean of students at Upper Cape Cod Regional Technical School and Worcester Academy and on the board of trustees for Cape Cod Community College.

Throughout his life, Scoba worked tirelessly to advance civil rights. To name a few roles in which he served, he was elected chairman of the Cape Cod Council of the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination in 1973, served as president of the Cape Cod chapter of the NAACP, and was the 2018 recipient of the Civic Leadership Award from the Falmouth "No Place for Hate" organization.

Unfortunately, Scoba passed away on June 23, 2018. His commitment will live on through his growing family and the legacy of his activism in our community.

Mr. Speaker, I am proud to honor the life of Scoba Rhodes. I ask that my colleagues join me in recognizing his many years of dedication to his community and his country.

APPRECIATION OF MR. ANDREW
HAHN FOR HIS SERVICE AND INVOLVEMENT WITH THE CONGRESSIONAL INTERNSHIP PROGRAM FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

HON. GREGG HARPER

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 23, 2018

Mr. HARPER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to extend appreciation to Mr. Andrew Hahn for his service and involvement with the Congressional Internship Program for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (CIIID). I want to recognize Mr. Hahn who has been with George Mason University's Mason—Life Program, a postsecondary educational program for adults with intellectual disabilities, since 2009. Within

this role, Mr. Hahn has also served as a liaison between the Mason Life Program and the U.S. Congress in order to coordinate matching CIIID interns with congressional offices to serve in throughout the year.

Mr. Hahn began his employment with George Mason University and the Mason Life Program as support staff in 2009, in which he assisted and encouraged students within the program. In 2012, Mr. Hahn moved to his current role as Employment Coordinator for the Mason Life Program, where his main responsibility was to assist the students in developing necessary skills and relationships in order to be successful members in the workforce through the CIIID program, as well as other work experiences.

Throughout his time of service, Mr. Hahn has proven to be crucial in assuring that all involved with the CIIID program have both a positive and enlightening experience. Without his efforts, the internship program would not be what it is today. His dedication and passion for those with disabilities, paired with his appreciation of the value of meaningful employment for all, have helped skyrocket this program into what it is today.

In addition to serving as the liaison to CIIID, Mr. Hahn has experienced success in many other areas of his life. He is an Eagle Scout Award Recipient, a member of the Council for Exceptional Children, and he has presented at various conferences on the topic of transitional services for adults with intellectual disabilities.

Mr. Hahn is a kind, hard-working, and dedicated individual. He has given much of his time to help adults with intellectual disabilities become involved and contributing members of society. The students of the Mason Life Program look up to Mr. Hahn as a mentor and friend, and those who have had the pleasure of working with him hold him in the highest regard. As Mr. Hahn closes out his time with the Mason Life Program, as well as our CIIID, I want to express how much he will be missed. We are forever grateful for all of his contributions and extend our warmest wishes to him in his future endeavors.

HIGH STAKES ON THE HIGH
COURT: JUSTICE HANGING IN
THE BALANCE

SPEECH OF

HON. MARCIA L. FUDGE

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 16, 2018

Ms. FUDGE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to express deep concern and opposition for the President's U.S. Supreme Court nominee, Brett Kavanaugh. I appeal to my colleagues on the other side of the aisle to recognize the threat Judge Kavanaugh poses to Americans' most fundamental rights and the impartiality required for any jurist filling a Supreme Court seat.

If my colleagues truly want to know how Judge Kavanaugh will rule on cases addressing *Roe v. Wade*, voting rights, affirmative action, *Brown v. Board of Education* and affordable health care, all they need to do is review his track record.

On the Affordable Care Act (ACA)—Judge Kavanaugh wrote in a 2011 decision that the

ACA could be considered a tax because it requires individuals to buy health insurance. In his opinion, as a tax, the ACA is unconstitutional because it violates the Anti-Injunction Act—limiting the jurisdiction of federal courts over tax-related matters. What Judge Kavanaugh and Republican supporters seeking to repeal the ACA ignore is the ACA's success in: keeping insurance companies from charging women more than men; stopping insurers from denying coverage to individuals with pre-existing conditions; and preventing seniors from having to choose between their medications or daily meals.

On Voting Rights—Again in 2011, following the Obama administration's findings that a South Carolina voter ID law would disenfranchise tens of thousands of minority voters, Judge Kavanaugh sided with South Carolina government and expressed his approval of states enacting stronger voter ID laws.

On *Roe v. Wade*—The President said he will not ask his nominee how they would rule on *Roe v. Wade*, and there really is no need. The President clearly stated he would nominate "pro-life judges" who would overturn *Roe*. We already know how Judge Kavanaugh will rule in any case regarding a woman's reproductive rights. In 2015, he sided with religious groups refusing to provide contraceptive coverage, as required through ACA. Then, in 2017, he dissented from a decision that permitted an undocumented immigrant teen to have a legal abortion.

That brings me back to my earlier statement of the threat to impartiality on the bench. Judge Kavanaugh stated in a 2009 law review article that sitting presidents should receive "a temporary deferral of civil suits and of criminal prosecutions and investigations." With the continuing legal implications mounting against the President in the Mueller and Cohen investigations and the emoluments lawsuit filed by 200 congressional Democrats, if it were left up to Judge Kavanaugh, he would make the President untouchable. It is clear why Judge Kavanaugh would be a great pick for a President experiencing an unprecedented number of legal woes while in office—great pick for the President, but terrible for America and the progress we've made.

I urge Republicans in the Senate to reject this nomination and uphold their responsibility—stop avoiding vetting protocols put in place to ensure qualified jurists protect the fundamental rights of all citizens, and not just the chosen few.

FINANCIAL NET WORTH

HON. F. JAMES SENSENBRENNER, JR.

OF WISCONSIN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 23, 2018

Mr. SENSENBRENNER. Mr. Speaker, I am making my financial net worth as of March 31, 2018, a matter of public record. I have filed similar statements for each of the thirty-nine preceding years I have served in the Congress.

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Single family residence at 609 Ft. Williams Parkway, City of Alexandria, Virginia, at assessed valuation. (Assessed at \$1,407,301). Ratio of assessed to market value: 100% (Unencumbered): \$1,407,301.00.