

As a member of the 6th District Manufacturing Advisory Committee, Jody regularly met with my team to discuss emerging manufacturing issues that are impacting Indiana. He is also a community leader and employer at Batesville Tool and Die in Ripley County. Our state is better off today because of Jody's extraordinary leadership and service.

I also want to thank Jody for his support of my work in Congress. He is a good man and one of my favorite people from the 6th District. I wish him continued success in all that God has planned for him and his family.

HONORING THE LIFE OF EVELYNN
BELLE TURBEVILLE WARE

HON. BARBARA COMSTOCK

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

Mrs. COMSTOCK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today with a heavy heart to honor the life of Mrs. Evelyn Belle Turbeville Ware. As a constituent of Hillsboro, Virginia, Belle devoted her life to her family and public service. She was dedicated to her beloved husband, John, and together they raised four children. Belle is survived by daughter: Vicki Ware Albert and her husband Charles; daughter Paige Ware Petro and her husband Mark; son John Ware; son Mark Ware and his wife Amie; 10 grandchildren: Jeremy Barry, Lindsay Albert, Kendall Albert, Morgan Petro, Chris Petro, Jordan Ware, Jackson Ware, Evan Ware, Matthew Ware, and Nathan Ware; and 2 great grandchildren: Owen Barry and Kyle Barry.

Belle was a long-time resident of Hillsboro, Virginia having moved there with her parents and sister during the end of World War II. After they married, Belle and John moved to a tiny house in town where they lived while restoring a Victorian farmhouse they purchased in Hillsboro. Belle was one of the founding members of what is now the Short Hill Historical Society and helped save the Old Stone School from demolition. She served as an active member of this non-profit for 42 years and was most fond of the Christmas in Hillsboro Historic Homes Tour. Belle had a drive and a passion to support the people and causes she held dear.

Following in the footsteps of her mother who was the first female mayor in the Commonwealth of Virginia, she devoted her entire life to a career as a public servant who profoundly impacted our community. Belle served on the Hillsboro Town Council and for many years, she was the Town Treasurer, ultimately becoming Hillsboro's Vice Mayor. Belle was also a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and each year recognized an elementary school student at Hillsboro with the DAR award. Belle's heart was sincere in her service to the community, and her legacy serves as inspiration for others in public service.

Belle was enthusiastic about serving the Lord as member of the congregation of the Hillsboro United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women's Group. Belle sang in the choir and was instrumental in many volunteer efforts through the church which included making apple butter, raising money

through a yard sale, helping prepare and serve the annual freewill offering holiday dinner, packaging and donating meals for local families in need, hosting the annual church picnic, and helping with a local food bank. Belle also built her life working at a medical practice for thirty years before retiring.

Mr. Speaker, I ask you to join me as we recognize the extraordinary life and legacy of Mrs. Evelyn Belle Turbeville Ware. The impact she has had on the Commonwealth of Virginia and to our country will never be forgotten, and I offer our deepest condolences to the Ware family.

CONGRATULATING THE EDINA
BOYS CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

HON. ERIK PAULSEN

OF MINNESOTA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

Mr. PAULSEN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate the Edina Boys Cross Country running team for winning the High School state championship. After a long season, these runners ran through the finish line to bring Edina its first ever state title.

With runners in all third through seventh place finishes, Edina destroyed the competition. The team ended with only 88 points, 11 points less than the runner up.

Mr. Speaker, we all know that being a cross country runner takes strength, perseverance, endurance, commitment to training, and raw athletic talent.

Congrats.

HONORING FORMER STATE
SENATOR BEVERLY GARD

HON. LUKE MESSER

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

Mr. MESSER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today, on behalf of the entire 6th Congressional District of Indiana, to recognize former State Senator Beverly Gard for her contribution to our state.

For 24 years, Bev represented Hancock and Shelby counties with honor and integrity in the Indiana General Assembly. She established herself as a tenacious and effective leader in the Senate and always put the interests of her district first. It was an honor to serve with Bev during my time in the Indiana General Assembly.

On a personal note, Jennifer and I cherish our friendship with Bev. She has been a loyal friend and a wise adviser to me during my entire tenure in Congress. Both Jennifer and Bev are proud alums of the University of Tennessee and Bev was also among my earliest and most vocal supporters. I want to thank Bev for her friendship and support of my work in Congress. I wish her continued success in all that God has planned for her and her family.

SALUTING THE 2018 U.S. BORDER
PATROL NATIONAL PISTOL TEAM

HON. JOHN R. CARTER

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

Mr. CARTER of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I salute the 2018 United States Border Patrol National Pistol Team which swept six of eight team events at the 56th Annual National Police Shooting Championships in Albuquerque, NM. The following team members exemplify professionalism, marksmanship, and the esprit de corps found within the ranks of the United States Border Patrol:

National Program Manager—Assistant Chief Kenneth Malone

Program Support—Assistant Chief Kevin Orr
Team Captain—Watch Commander Arturo Velez

Supervisory Border Patrol Agent Shawn Becker

Supervisory Border Patrol Agent Brian Reilly
Border Patrol Agent Robert Vadasz (National Champion)

Border Patrol Agent Adam Kovatch

Border Patrol Agent Alaric Mason

Border Patrol Agent Ben Morrow

Border Patrol Agent Charles Rogers

Border Patrol Agent Andrew Signell

Border Patrol Agent Tony Simmons

Border Patrol Agent Brett Sullivan

Border Patrol Agent Jeremy David

Border Patrol Agent Joel De Leon III

Border Patrol Agent Dean Geiger

Border Patrol Agent Lilia Ferrer

Border Patrol Agent Andrew Moore

Border Patrol Agent Tracy Wong

Their success is nothing new as the USBP National Pistol Team has won more NPSC competitions than any other law enforcement agency and holds numerous team and individual national records set by past and present U.S. Border Patrol Agents. All USBP National Pistol Team members are law enforcement agents first and represent the USBP in competitions as a collateral assignment by earning their way onto the team.

The National Pistol Championships take place annually and include teams from the U.S. Armed Forces and Civilian Marksmanship Program clubs from across the nation. The Olympics of law enforcement-centric competitions, the Championships provide officers a program that promotes skill and competence with firearms at state, regional, and national levels.

I proudly commend the U.S. Border Patrol National Pistol Team for not only their work to keep our nation safe, but for their dedication and efforts on their own time which superbly represent the U.S. Border Patrol in prestigious firearms competitions. The Team showcases the very best in both law enforcement and the demanding world of precision marksmanship. I thank them for their service and I know they'll continue excelling in future firearms competitions.