

Jima. Under his leadership, both commands won multiple Battle Efficiency Awards, as well as the Secretary of the Navy Safety Award as the Navy's safest operational fleet Squadron and Big Deck Amphibious ship.

Captain Gordon was most recently assigned to Navy Region Southeast where his Emergency Management team has been responsible for the evacuation, recovery and safe return of thousands of sailors and civilians after Hurricanes Matthew, Harvey, Irma and Maria. He has served as fleet pilot, flight instructor, weapons and tactics instructor and had shore duty in Millington, Tennessee, San Diego, California and on the Joint Staff at the Pentagon.

Captain Gordon was nominated by the Navy and was selected to Diversity Magazine's top 100 Diverse Executive Leaders. He is proudest of the many unit, campaign, and service awards that he shares with his fellow service members and civilian counterparts throughout his many tours of duty both at sea and ashore.

He will be joined at the ceremony by his mother, Mrs. Delores M. Gordon, his wife the former Rolanda Ogletree; their daughters Danielle Lauren and Reese Catharine, his siblings; Jule McDuffie and Valerie Hearn; and several of his close friends, among them, his college mate and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity brother Walter A. Reed and his wife Dr. Jennifer C. Reed. Captain Gordon's late father, Mr. Bobby L. Gordon, played football in college and for several teams in the National Football League.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that you and my colleagues join me in thanking Captain Dana R. Gordon for his many years of exemplary service and congratulating him on his well-earned retirement.

HONORING DOUG ROSE

HON. LUKE MESSER

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, December 10, 2018

Mr. MESSER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today, on behalf of the entire 6th Congressional District of Indiana, to recognize Doug Rose for his contribution to our state.

Doug is the President of Irwin R. Rose & Company, which owns and manages thousands of housing rental properties across the country. Doug is an extraordinary man who, in addition to being a successful businessman, has continually invested his time and resources into our state. It has been an honor to work with him in advancing our shared Republican principles.

I have had the pleasure of knowing Doug for nearly two decades. To me, Doug has been a friend, supporter and trusted advisor during my entire tenure in Congress. We have worked particularly closely over the past year and a half. Doug is smart, hardworking and full of integrity. Simply put, Doug is a leader and person who I greatly admire.

I want to thank Doug for his friendship and loyalty to me over all these years. I wish him continued success in all that God has planned for his family.

HONORING DANIEL J. COWLEY

HON. SAM GRAVES

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, December 10, 2018

Mr. GRAVES of Missouri. Mr. Speaker, I proudly pause to recognize Daniel Cowley. Daniel is a very special young man who has exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 495, and earning the most prestigious award of Eagle Scout.

Daniel has been very active with his troop, participating in many scout activities. Over the many years Daniel has been involved with scouting, he has not only earned numerous merit badges, but also the respect of his family, peers, and community. Most notably, Daniel has contributed to his community through his Eagle Scout project.

Mr. Speaker, I proudly ask you to join me in commending Daniel Cowley for his accomplishments with the Boy Scouts of America and for his efforts put forth in achieving the highest distinction of Eagle Scout.

EDWIN D. HILL

HON. DONALD NORCROSS

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, December 10, 2018

Mr. NORCROSS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today as a proud and lifelong IBEW member to honor the life and legacy of IBEW International President Emeritus Edwin D. Hill. I join with President Hill's family and friends in mourning his loss. Mr. Hill dedicated his life to the labor movement and spent nearly six decades in service to working families through the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. It is fitting that we recognize the late Edwin D. Hill, on the floor of the House of Representatives, as someone who was a true leader in the organized labor movement.

Mr. Hill was originally from Center Township, Pennsylvania. He was a Journeyman Wireman by trade, and from a young age he made the IBEW his calling. He was a second-generation member and began his labor career in 1956 as a construction wireman, and he later became the Business Manager of Beaver County's International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 712.

Mr. Hill continued his career serving as the International Vice President for the union's 3rd District, covering Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, and Delaware. In 1997, Hill became the International Secretary and shortly after became International Secretary-Treasurer when the two positions were combined. He then became President of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers in 2001, a position which he held until 2015.

During his tenure as President of the IBEW, Hill implemented and pioneered new programs such as the Code of Excellence, as well as an alternate job classification program to help contractors successfully bid on projects. Furthermore, he pioneered business development initiatives and oversaw an expanded investment in membership development, which ensured that the IBEW could not only survive through the toughest of times but expand and grow.

Mr. Hill's dedication and hard work affirmed the legacy of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, and now the dreams of its founders are being realized by new generations of electrical workers. Through his leadership, the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers is one of the strongest and most influential unions in North America.

Mr. Speaker, the late Mr. Edwin D. Hill dedicated his life to the organized labor movement and he ably led the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers with vision and integrity. I hope that you will all join me in honoring his life and legacy.

HONORING DAVE TURNER

HON. JARED HUFFMAN

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, December 10, 2018

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Dave Turner, who is retiring on December 10, 2018, after eighteen years of service to the City of Fort Bragg.

Born in Fort Bragg at the old Coast Hospital in 1951, Dave and his family relocated to the San Francisco Bay Area in 1960. He went on to attend Stanford University where he majored in "Social Thought and Institutions," a political science honors program. While at Stanford, Dave opened a specialty sleep shop to help pay his way through college. The sleep shop, FloBeds, was so successful that in 1992, Dave and his wife Anne moved their family and business to Fort Bragg. They wanted to raise their four children in a town "where the community watches out for kids."

Dave's love of community drew him to public service where he proceeded to dedicate many hours as a public servant. He served two years as planning commissioner before being elected to the Fort Bragg City Council in 2002. He was re-elected in 2006, 2010, and 2014, serving sixteen years on the City Council. He served as Mayor of Fort Bragg for eight years, from 2004 to 2006 and again from 2010 to 2016.

As a Fort Bragg City Councilmember, Dave served on the City's Finance and Administration Committee as well as the Public Works and Facilities Committee. He was an active member of numerous Ad Hoc Committees on the following topics: Inflow and Infiltration, Mill Site, Technology, and Town Hall Dais. Dave also served as the City's representative to the Fort Bragg Fire Protection Authority and the Mendocino Solid Waste Management Authority.

After eighteen years of public service, this day marks Dave Turner's last Fort Bragg City Council meeting and his 67th Birthday. I hope you will join me in recognizing his dedicated years of service and send him best wishes on his birthday and retirement from the City Council.

HONORING HARRISON CULTON
FRAWLEY

HON. SAM GRAVES

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, December 10, 2018

Mr. GRAVES of Missouri. Mr. Speaker, I proudly pause to recognize Harrison Frawley.