

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

RECOGNIZING THE LIFE OF JEFFERY SCOTT BOREN

HON. TRENT KELLY

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 30, 2019

Mr. KELLY of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the life of Jeffery Scott Boren, who passed away on Wednesday, September 11th, at the age of 46.

Jeff, a lifelong Mississippi resident, lived with his family in Itawamba County, Mississippi, and was a dedicated employee for the Mississippi Department of Transportation. Throughout his life, Jeff set an example for his family to follow. He was an active member of Ozark Baptist Church, where he was chosen to serve as a Deacon of the church.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Candace Boren; his daughter, Alisha Boren; his brother Gary Boren; and his mother, Diane Knight of Mantachie, Mississippi, as well as many more extended family members and friends.

Jeff's life was one of service, grace, love for his family, and community. He will be greatly missed by all whom he encountered.

HONORING THE SERVICE OF PAUL STANLEY WEBSTER

HON. DEREK KILMER

OF WASHINGTON

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 30, 2019

Mr. KILMER. Madam Speaker, on November 11, 2019, our nation will observe Veterans Day, a federally recognized holiday wherein we honor our military veterans and all those who have served in the United States Armed Forces. Today, I rise to honor Paul Stanley Webster, who served with distinction as a Machinist's Mate Second Class in the United States Navy.

Paul Webster was born on February 13, 1925 in Port Angeles, Washington. He became an enlisted servicemember of the United States Navy and entered into active service on August 16, 1943. According to service records, Paul was a member of the United States Naval Construction Battalions, otherwise known as the "Seabees". This group of naval personnel was a revered battalion of construction tradesmen that were capable of any type of construction, anywhere needed, under any conditions or circumstances presented.

Paul served with the Ninth Naval Construction Battalion and would go on to earn the Asiatic Pacific Arena Campaign Medal, American Area Campaign Medal, and the World War II Victory Medal. His tours of duty included Iceland, Pearl Harbor, Tinian, and Okinawa. During his service, Paul was involved in a number of vitally important naval construction projects, including the development of bomber airstrips,

fuel and salvage depots, highways, and aircraft repair shops.

Madam Speaker, I am so proud to honor and share Paul Stanley Webster's legacy of service to our great nation. As Congress spends time observing Veterans Day this year, let us remember the many sacrifices that so many servicemembers have made to preserve our values and freedoms. We cannot take them for granted and we must fight vigilantly to protect them.

HONORING DR. WILLIAM CHUN- HOON

HON. JUDY CHU

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 30, 2019

Ms. JUDY CHU of California. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Dr. William Chun-Hoon, who passed away on October 1, 2019 at the age of 91. Dr. Chun-Hoon was a lifelong leader in his community, utilizing his role as the first Chinese-American principal in Los Angeles Unified School District to bring people of diverse backgrounds together.

Dr. Chun-Hoon was born in Honolulu on September 8, 1928 and grew up working in his parents' grocery stores before moving to Los Angeles to become a teacher. Initially, he served as a history and English teacher in East Los Angeles, before becoming an Assistant Principal for Counseling for two middle schools in the San Fernando Valley.

In 1973, Dr. Chun-Hoon was appointed as principal of Castelar Elementary School, a position he held for the next 19 years. As the first Chinese-American principal in Los Angeles Unified School District, he implemented a variety of initiatives to ensure that the school would be a center for community and engagement. At Castelar, Dr. Chun-Hoon spearheaded a pilot program that allowed students to study either a Chinese or Spanish bilingual curriculum, fostering an environment where students of diverse backgrounds could flourish and learn. At the same time, he provided adult classes for the parents and grandparents of these children, giving them an opportunity to improve their language skills. He allowed community organizations like the Chinese Historical Society and the Friends of the Chinese American Museum to use Castelar as a space where people living both inside and outside of Chinatown could meet, organize, and provide services to the community. Dr. Chun-Hoon also coordinated with other Chinatown leaders to establish the first public library in the community.

Dr. Chun-Hoon is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Marjorie; their children, Craig and Kristina; and their grandchildren, Sarah, Carly, James, and Scott. He leaves behind an enduring legacy of dedication, inclusion, and service to Los Angeles and the San Gabriel Valley. Dr. Chun-Hoon is an inspiration to all

who knew him, and it is my distinct honor to commemorate his life.

HONORING THE LIFE OF DONALD J. WINN

HON. JOHN KATKO

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 30, 2019

Mr. KATKO. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Donald J. Winn, who passed away on October 17, 2019, at the age of 90. A veteran, loving husband, father, and grandfather, Donald Winn will be dearly missed by his family and community.

A graduate of Searles High School in Massachusetts, Donald Winn enlisted in the U.S. Army following his graduation and proudly served his country in the Korean War. After the war, Donald Winn returned home and worked for the Friendly's Corporation for 32 years, eventually retiring as a District Manager.

Donald Winn was married to his wife Maurita for 60 years, and together, they have 5 children and 12 grandchildren. He was known for his commitment to his family and his love for family-time. An avid University of Connecticut Women's Basketball fan, Donald Winn would often take his grandchildren to games, even attending several NCAA Final Four contests. Additionally, Donald Winn treasured the beach, especially enjoying family vacations to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

Madam Speaker, I ask that my colleagues in the House join me in honoring the life of Donald J. Winn. A devoted family-man and veteran, Donald Winn's legacy will always be remembered and cherished. I encourage my colleagues to keep his family in their prayers during this truly difficult time.

OUTRAGEOUS LOCK AND DAM DECISION

HON. JOE WILSON

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 30, 2019

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Yesterday, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers announced their outrageous decision to continue with the removal of the New Savannah Bluff Lock and Dam and move forward with Alternative 2-6D, which was partially simulated in February of this year with catastrophic results.

Since the day the Corps announced their disastrous plans to remove the Lock and Dam, I have worked to fight for a positive decision. Senators LINDSEY GRAHAM, TIM SCOTT, JOHN NY ISAKSON, and DAVID PERDUE with Congressman RICK ALLEN representing the Central Savannah River Area have consistently argued that the clear legislative intent of Congress was to maintain the physical pool level at the date of enactment being 114.5 feet.

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