

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Illinois?

There was no objection.

MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR EMPLOYEES AT MOLSON COORS

(Ms. MOORE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. MOORE. Madam Speaker, I want to thank the members of the Wisconsin delegation for joining me at this very difficult moment.

Madam Speaker, I really wish that I did not have to make the request that I am about to make, but I am asking Members to join me and indulge me in this undertaking.

Two days ago, the employees at Molson Coors in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, went to work in my district, and, unfortunately, five of them did not go home. Now their families are gathering to put them to rest.

I want my colleagues to know their names:

Jesus Valle Jr. of Milwaukee was an employee since 2014 and was only 33 years old.

Gennady "Gene" Levshetz, 61, of Mequon, was an employee since 2008. I have known Gene personally since 1992, and his wonderful wife, Alina; his daughters, Tanya and Becca.

I was so inspired by his story of having emigrated from the former Soviet Union to Mequon in the early 1990s. He worked like a dog.

Gene will be remembered for being the best husband, the best dad, and the best grandfather. I can attest to that.

Trevor Wetselaar, 33, of Milwaukee was married and a 2009 graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He was an employee since 2018.

Mr. Dana Walk of Delafield was an employee since 2004. He had been married to Dori for 35 years. His three children, Andy, Melanie, and Michelle are left to grieve his loss. He was a graduate of Kettle Moraine High School.

Dale "Huddy" Hudson of Waukesha was an employee since 2008.

Madam Speaker, I would ask that all Members and guests in the gallery rise for a moment of silence and reflect on these souls.

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SUPPORT DEMOCRATS' INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN

(Ms. JOHNSON of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. JOHNSON of Texas. Madam Speaker, I rise to highlight the critical need to rebuild and strengthen our infrastructure in the United States.

This is why I support the Democrats' Moving Forward Infrastructure Plan to create an estimated 10 million jobs by investing \$760 billion over 5 years in the Nation's roads, bridges, transit systems, railways, airports, ports, inland

waterways, wastewater and drinking water systems, brownfields, and broadband.

Building our Nation's 21st century infrastructure also presents a unique opportunity for us to create a more inclusive technical workforce. The high-skilled jobs of the future can be accessed by our communities if support is provided for technical training and learning skills. A skilled technical workforce that reflects the diversity of our Nation is critical to our continued growth and advancement.

It is no secret that our basic infrastructure is in crisis. This framework would bolster the Federal role in order to help communities around the country undertake transformative projects that are smarter, safer, and made to last.

COMMEMORATING CENTENNIAL OF ADVANCE CTE

(Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, as co-chair of the bipartisan House Career and Technical Education Caucus, I rise to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of Advance CTE: State Leaders Connecting Learning to Work.

Advance CTE was founded in 1920 and is the longest standing national non-profit that represents State career and technical education directors and leaders responsible for secondary, postsecondary, and adult career and technical education across the Nation.

Each year, CTE provides 12 million learners with the tools to succeed in a skills-based career of their choice. With more than 7 million jobs available in the United States, CTE learners are helping close our Nation's skills gap.

Advance CTE is committed to supporting States for another 100 years to ensure high-quality CTE programs are available to all individuals, no matter their age, background, or ZIP Code.

Earlier this week, I introduced a resolution with my friend and colleague, JIM LANGEVIN, to recognize February as CTE month. In the same spirit, I ask my colleagues to please join me in celebrating 100 years of Advance CTE and all that they do to promote skills-based education and opportunity in life.

ADJOURNMENT FROM FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2020, TO MONDAY, MARCH 2, 2020

Mr. PAYNE. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Monday next, when it shall convene at noon for morning-hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Ms. DAVIDS of Kansas). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New Jersey?

There was no objection.

HONORING HENRY HAMILTON

(Mr. PAYNE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. PAYNE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Henry Hamilton to close Black History Month.

Mr. Hamilton is the principal of the Whitney E. Houston Academy in East Orange, New Jersey. He has been a teacher, administrator, and principal at the school for 50 years of his 57 years in education.

His dedication to his students is shown every single day. He chats with them in the halls. He eats meals with them during lunch. He encourages them when they are having a bad day. He even carries peppermint treats to reward students for good grades.

He loves teaching so much that he never missed a day of work for his first 33 years of service.

Madam Speaker, I celebrated his work and legacy during my special Black History Month celebration on February 21. He is an asset to my district, a revered public servant, and a great, great man. He deserves all these accolades and many more.

HONORING JOHN HAROLD JOHNSON

(Mr. HILL of Arkansas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. HILL of Arkansas. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor an American icon and celebrated Arkansan, John Harold Johnson.

Born in Arkansas City, Arkansas, in 1918, Mr. Johnson persevered through poverty and graduated high school with honors before attending the University of Chicago and Northwestern University.

In 1942, he founded the Johnson Publishing Company, which published *Ebony* and *Jet*, two of the defining magazines of the late 20th century. Mr. Johnson's *Ebony* coverage of the Little Rock Nine in 1957 projected the crisis into the public eye, making him a critical figure in the civil rights movement.

A member of the Forbes 400, Mr. Johnson was a terrific entrepreneur and executive. In 1996, he received the Presidential Medal of Freedom from President Bill Clinton for his work toward achieving equality.

This Black History Month, I am proud to honor Mr. Johnson's enduring legacy and indelible impact on the State of Arkansas.

RECOGNIZING MERCY-DOUGLASS NURSES

(Ms. SCANLON asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)