

our health care workers are doing even more with less.

We must remember that no one is born a superhero. Our health care workers are ordinary people called upon to do extraordinary things. The work they are doing reminds me of President Roosevelt's quote, which goes "Courage is not the absence of fear, but rather the assessment that something else is more important than fear." Our health care workforce is putting the health and wellbeing of their communities first.

Madam Speaker, Iowans are humble and we rarely brag or boast, so please allow me

to boast on their behalf. Our health care workers across Iowa are among the best in the nation, and they are at work protecting the health of our communities. When I speak with our health care workers, they tell me they are "just doing their job," but that is exactly what makes them special.

I ask the House to join me in honoring Iowa's health care workers as my Iowans of the Week. I couldn't be more proud of these men and women for their selfless service during this time.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. BAIRD. Madam Speaker, due to unforeseen circumstances related to COVID-19, I was unable to cast my votes on Thursday, April 23. I would like to reflect my intended NAY vote for H. Res. 938, and my intentions of voting YEA in support of H.R. 266.