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The House met at 10:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. TRONE).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
September 4, 2020.

I hereby appoint the Honorable DAVID J. TRONE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Patrick J. Conroy, offered the following prayer: Lord God, Father of us all, we thank You for giving us another day.

As the Nation enters into the Labor Day weekend, we give You thanks for

those whose labor has been in the addressing of the coronavirus plague. Bless and keep safe those who are on the front line of caring for the sick. Bless and inspire those who seek treatments and cure. Lord have mercy.

Keep all Americans safe this weekend. May we all do our part to be mindful of our neighbors. May we be kind and respectful to all whom we encounter. Give us the vision to see in them the presence of Your spirit. Lord have mercy.

And bless the Members of the people's House. Keep them safe and healthy, and empower them to seek and find the paths to addressing our Nation's most pressing needs.

May all that is done be for Your greater honor and glory.
Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(a) of House Resolution

967, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 967, the House stands adjourned until 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 8, 2020.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 32 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, September 8, 2020, at 9:30 a.m.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the first and second quarters of 2020, pursuant to Public Law 95-384, are as follows:

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN JAN. 1 AND MAR. 31, 2020

| Name of Member or employee | Date | | Country | Per diem ¹ | | Transportation | | Other purposes | | Total | |
|----------------------------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|--|
| | Arrival | Departure | | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² |

HOUSE COMMITTEES

Please Note: If there were no expenditures during the calendar quarter noted above, please check the box at right to so indicate and return. ☐

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

HON. RAÚL M. GRIJALVA, Aug. 7, 2020.

☐ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., ☐ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



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REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2020

| Name of Member or employee | Date | | Country | Per diem ¹ | | Transportation | | Other purposes | | Total | |
|----------------------------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|--|
| | Arrival | Departure | | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² |

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HON. RAÚL M. GRUALVA, Aug. 7, 2020.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2020

| Name of Member or employee | Date | | Country | Per diem ¹ | | Transportation | | Other purposes | | Total | |
|----------------------------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|--|
| | Arrival | Departure | | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² | Foreign currency | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ² |

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HON. ELIOT L. ENGEL, July 29, 2020.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

5168. A letter from the Congressional Assistant II, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule — Rules Regarding Availability of Information [Docket No.: R-1665] (RIN: 7100 AF-51) received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5169. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket ID: FEMA-2020-0005; Internal Agency Docket No.: FEMA-8635] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5170. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's interim final rule — Housing Counseling Program: Revision of the Certification Timeline [Docket No.: FR-6215-I-02] (RIN: 2502-ZA34) received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5171. A letter from the Program Specialist, Chief Counsel's Office, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's interim final rule — Assessment of Fees [Docket ID: OCC-2020-0024] (RIN: 1557-AE95) received August 3, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5172. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor for Regulatory Affairs, Office of Investment Security, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Definition of "Principal Place of Business"; Filing Fees for Notices of Certain Investments in the United States by Foreign Persons and Certain Transactions by Foreign Persons Involving Real Estate in the United States (RIN: 1505-AC63, 1505-AC64, 1505-AC65) received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5173. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Programs, Office of

Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final regulations — Indian Education Discretionary Grant Programs; Professional Development Program [Docket ID ED-2019-OESE-0068] (RIN: 1810-AB54) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

5174. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Services, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final priorities, requirements, definitions, and selection criteria — Indian Education Discretionary Grants Programs-Native American Language (NAL@ED) Program [Docket ID: ED-2019-OESE-0142] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

5175. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Services, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final regulations — Indian Education Discretionary Grant Programs; Demonstration Grants for Indian Children and Youth Program [Docket ID: ED-2019-OESE-0126] (RIN: 1810-AB54) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

5176. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's interim final rule — Revisions to 2 CFR Part 1500 [EPA-HQ-OMS-2020-0018; 10010-32-OMS] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5177. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Flupyradifurone; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2019-0460; FRL-10010-98] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5178. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Environmental Protection Agency Acquisition Regulation (EPAAR); Open Source Software [EPA-HQ-OARM-2018-0743; FRL-10011-94-OMS] received August 18,

2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5179. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Fludioxonil; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2019-0659; FRL-10012-03] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5180. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's direct final rule — New Source Performance Standards and National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants; Delegation of Authority to Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Air Quality Control Board [EPA-R06-OAR-2019-0615; FRL-10013-04-Region 6] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5181. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Use of Lead Free Pipes, Fittings, Fixtures, Solder, and Flux for Drinking Water [EPA-HQ-OW-2015-0680; FRL-10012-43-OW] (RIN: 2040-AF55) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5182. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Hazardous and Solid Waste Management System: Disposal of Coal Combustion Residuals from Electric Utilities; A Holistic Approach to Closure Part A: Deadline to Initiate Closure [EPA-HQ-OLEM-2019-0172 and EPA-HQ-OLEM-2018-0524; FRL-10013-20-OLEM] (RIN: 2050-AH10) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5183. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Final Determination to Approve Site Specific Flexibility for the Cocopah Landfill [EPA-R09-RCRA-2018-0568; FRL-10011-63-Region 9] received July 30, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5184. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau,

Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Wireless E911 Location Accuracy Requirements [PS Docket No.: 07-114] received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5185. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Postmarketing Safety Reports for Approved New Animal Drugs; Electronic Submission Requirements [Docket No.: FDA-2017-N-6381] (RIN: 0910-AH51) received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5186. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Food Additives Permitted in Feed and Drinking Water of Animals; Chromium Propionate [Docket No.: FDA-2018-F-3347] received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5187. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Standard Format and Content of License Applications for Receipt and Storage of Unirradiated Power Reactor Fuel and Associated Radioactive Material at a Nuclear Power Plant [Regulatory Guide 3.15, Revision 2] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5188. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Filing Requirement for Electric Utility Service Agreements, Electricity Market Transparency Provisions of Section 220 of the Federal Power Act, Revisions to Electric Quarterly Report Filing Process, Electric Quarterly Reports [Docket Nos.: RM01-8-000, RM10-12-000, RM12-3-000, ER02-2001-000] received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5189. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Rates for Interstate Inmate Calling Services [WC Docket No.: 12-375] received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5190. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-350, "New Hospital at St. Elizabeths Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5191. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-389, "Pregnancy as a Qualifying Event Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5192. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-388, "Hearing Aid Sales Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5193. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting

D.C. Act 23-387, "Access to Biosimilars Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5194. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-390, "Postpartum Coverage Expansion Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5195. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-386, "Window Blind and Drape Cord Safety Notification Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5196. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-391, "Black Lives Matter Plaza Designation Temporary Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5197. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-392, "Appraisal Management Company Regulation Temporary Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5198. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-394, "Investigating Maternal Mortalities Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5199. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-395, "Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board Membership Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5200. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-396, "Commercial Insurance Claim Tolling Temporary Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5201. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-397, "Adams Morgan BID Tax Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5202. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-398, "Standby Guardian Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5203. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-400, "Reunion Square Tax Increment Financing Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5204. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-401, "Business Support Grants Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5205. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-402, "Performing Arts Promotion Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5206. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-349, "Connected Transportation Network Temporary Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5207. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-408, "Fiscal Year 2021 Local Budget Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5208. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-393, "Criminal Justice Coordinating Council Information Sharing Temporary Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5209. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 23-407, "Fiscal Year 2021 Budget Support Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

5210. A letter from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Pier 45 Fire Cleanup and Potential Marine Debris, San Francisco Bay, San Francisco, CA [Docket Number: USCG-2020-0283] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5211. A letter from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Chelsea River, Chelsea, MA [Docket No.: USCG-2019-0809] (RIN: 1625-AA09) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5212. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting the Commission's Policy Statement — Policy Statement on Passenger Vessel Financial Responsibility [Docket No.: 20-13] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5213. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (OOREG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's interim final rule — Extension of Veterans' Group Life Insurance (VGLI) Application Period in Response to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency (RIN: 2900-AQ98) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5214. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (OOREG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance-Definition of Member's Stillborn Child for Purposes of Coverage (RIN: 2900-AQ49) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5215. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (OOREG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — VA Acquisition Regulation: Administrative and Information Matters; Publicizing Contract Actions; and Termination of Contracts (RIN: 2900-AQ77) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5216. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (OOREG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Veterans Employment Pay for Success Grant Program (RIN: 2900-AP72) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5217. A letter from the Program Specialist, Chief Counsel's Office, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Other Real Estate Owned and Technical Amendments [Docket ID: OCC-2019-0004] (RIN: 1557-AE91) received August 3, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5218. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — Guidance on Reporting Qualified Sick Leave Wages and Qualified Family Leave Wages Paid Pursuant to the Families First Coronavirus Response Act [Notice 2020-54] received August 4, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5219. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — Indexing adjustments for certain provisions under Sec. 36B of the Internal Revenue Service Code (Rev. Proc. 2020-36) received August 21, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5220. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — Additional Relief with Respect to Deadlines under Section 501(r)(3) Applicable to Hospital Organizations Affected by the Ongoing Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic [Notice 2020-56] received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5221. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Bank, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final regulations — Preparer Tax Identification Number (PTIN) User Fee Update [TD 9903] (RIN: 1545-BP43) received August 18, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5222. A letter from the Regulations Writer, Federal Register Liaison, Office of Regulations and Reports Clearance, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Extension of Expiration Dates for Three Body System Listings [Docket No.: SSA-2020-0016] (RIN: 0960-AI48) received August 3, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 90. A resolution authorizing the

use of the Capitol Grounds for the National Peace Officers Memorial Service and the National Honor Guard and Pipe Band Exhibition (Rept. 116-483). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1497. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize certain water pollution control programs, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-484). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2242. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to include certain services in the definition of critical services, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 116-485). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3779. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to allow the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to provide capitalization grants to eligible entities to establish revolving funds to provide assistance to reduce disaster risks, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-486). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 4470. A bill to rename the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation the Great Lakes St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation (Rept. 116-387). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 37. A resolution expressing support for designation of October 28 as "Honoring the Nation's First Responders Day" (Rept. 116-488). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. JOHNSON of Texas: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. H.R. 5760. A bill to provide for a comprehensive interdisciplinary research, development, and demonstration initiative to strengthen the capacity of the energy sector to prepare for and withstand cyber and physical attacks, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-489, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committee on Homeland Security discharged from further consideration. H.R. 5760 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mrs. RODGERS of Washington (for herself and Mr. LOEBACK):

H.R. 8158. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to waive budget neutrality for oxygen under the Medicare program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. WALDEN (for himself and Mr. PALLONE):

H.R. 8159. A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to review and report periodically on measures and recommendations to improve general management of the Department of Energy, to implement reforms to ensure continuous improvement in such management, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GREEN of Texas (for himself and Ms. WATERS):

H.R. 8160. A bill to amend the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act to require Federal banking regulators to include a diversity and inclusion component in the Uniform Financial Institutions Rating System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. BASS (for herself and Mr. RESCHENTHALER):

H.R. 8161. A bill to authorize implementation grants to community-based nonprofits to operate one-stop reentry centers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. WILD (for herself, Mr. VAN DREW, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. YOUNG, Ms. BONAMICI, and Mr. EVANS):

H.R. 8162. A bill to allow eligible entities under part B of title IV of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to use subgrant funds for certain activities carried out by community learning centers, regardless of whether such activities are conducted during nonschool hours or periods when school is not in session, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 8163. A bill to limit support for deals with Chinese state-owned enterprises, to increase the set-aside goal for the Program on China and Transformational Exports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 8164. A bill to establish a Higher Education Initiative in the Office of Private Sector of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CÁRDENAS (for himself and Ms. LEE of California):

H.R. 8165. A bill to direct the Secretary of Energy to establish a program to provide assistance for low-income solar projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. COX of California (for himself, Mr. COSTA, and Mr. GARAMENDI):

H.R. 8166. A bill to support surface and groundwater storage and supporting projects in Reclamation States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. CRIST:

H.R. 8167. A bill to amend the Paycheck Protection Program and Health Care Enhancement Act to expand the appropriations under the Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund to include the scale up of testing by veterinary and biotechnology company laboratories, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. DEMINGS (for herself and Mr. QUIGLEY):

H.R. 8168. A bill to require the guidance of the Food and Drug Administration on reducing the risk of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), hepatitis A, and hepatitis B transmission by blood and blood products (including the donor history questionnaire)

to be based on an individual risk assessment of sexual behaviors upon which all donors are evaluated equally, without regard to sexual orientation or gender identity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. GARCIA of Texas:

H.R. 8169. A bill to amend the Elder Abuse Prevention and Prosecution Act to authorize the Elder Justice Initiative, to require that online resources of such initiative are made available in Spanish, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LAMALFA (for himself and Mr. DESAULNIER):

H.R. 8170. A bill to require the Director of the Office of Personnel Management to create a classification that more accurately reflects the vital role of wildland firefighters; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself, Mr. NEAL, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. BEYER, Ms. MOORE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. HORSFORD, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. EVANS, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. KIND, Mr. COURTNEY, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. HIMES, Mrs. HAYES, and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama):

H.R. 8171. A bill to nullify certain executive actions to permit the delayed withholding and deposit of payroll taxes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. LURIA (for herself and Mr. BANKS):

H.R. 8172. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to use accredited commercial institutional review boards to review research proposal protocols of the Department, and to establish an Office of Research Reviews in the Department of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MCADAMS (for himself, Mr. CISNEROS, and Mr. TIPTON):

H.R. 8173. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to conduct a study on the connection between living at high altitude and suicide risk factors among veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. McEACHIN:

H.R. 8174. A bill to establish a cost of greenhouse gases for carbon dioxide, methane, and nitrous oxide to be used by Federal agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MCNERNEY:

H.R. 8175. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a tax on fossil fuels and to use the revenues for economic benefit; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, Science, Space, and Technology, Energy and Commerce, and Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MEEKS (for himself and Mr. GREEN of Texas):

H.R. 8176. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish qualified down payment savings programs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. O'HALLERAN (for himself, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. MULLIN):

H.R. 8177. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to remove from the list of drugs excluded from coverage under the Medicare prescription drug program pre-

scription oral vitamins and mineral products indicated for the treatment of iron deficiency anemia in individuals with chronic kidney disease; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. PRESSLEY (for herself and Ms. LEE of California):

H.R. 8178. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for public health research and investment into understanding and eliminating structural racism and police violence; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SCHRADER (for himself and Mr. GRIFFITH):

H.R. 8179. A bill to make hemp, cannabidiol derived from hemp, and any other ingredient derived from hemp lawful for use under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act as a dietary ingredient in a dietary supplement, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. TIFFANY (for himself and Mr. STAUBER):

H.R. 8180. A bill to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to exclude the gray wolf from the authority of such Act, to remove the gray wolf from the lists of threatened species and endangered species published pursuant to such Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself, Mr. NEAL, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. BEYER, Ms. MOORE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. HORSFORD, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. EVANS, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. KIND, Mr. COURTNEY, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. HIMES, Mrs. HAYES, and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama):

H.J. Res. 94. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval of the rule submitted by the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, relating to "Relief with Respect to Employment Tax Deadlines Applicable to Employers Affected by the On-going Coronavirus (COVID-19) Disease 2019 Pandemic"; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. CASTOR of Florida (for herself, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. NORTON, and Mrs. DINGELL):

H. Res. 1099. A resolution expressing support for the designation of September 22, 2020, as "National Voter Registration Day"; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Ms. TITUS (for herself, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. YOHIO, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina):

H. Res. 1100. A resolution reaffirming the strategic partnership between the United States and Mongolia and observing the 30th anniversary of democracy in Mongolia; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitu-

tion to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mrs. RODGERS of Washington:

H.R. 8158.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: clause 3 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution

By Mr. WALDEN:

H.R. 8159.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. GREEN of Texas:

H.R. 8160.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Taxing and Spending Clause: Article 1, Section 8, clause 1—provides Congress authority to, inter alia, enact spending legislation.

Commerce Clause: Article 1, Section 8, clause 3—provides Congress with the power to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the states, including the use of the channels of interstate commerce, the instrumentalities of interstate commerce, or persons or things in interstate commerce.

Necessary and Proper Clause: Article 1, Section 8, clause 18—allows Congress the power to make all laws that are necessary and proper for executing its enumerated powers and all other powers vested by the Constitution in the U.S. Government.

By Ms. BASS:

H.R. 8161.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section I

By Ms. WILD:

H.R. 8162.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

U.S. CON. STAT. Art. 1, Sec. 1

U.S. CON. STAT. Art. 1, Sec. 8, Clause 1

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 8163.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 8164.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CÁRDENAS:

H.R. 8165.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 1.

All legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

By Mr. COX of California:

H.R. 8166.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CRIST:

H.R. 8167.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. DEMINGS:

H.R. 8168.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Pursuant to Article I, Section 8.

By Ms. GARCIA of Texas:

H.R. 8169.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. LAMALFA:

H.R. 8170.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 8171.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I of the Constitution

By Mrs. LURIA:

H.R. 8172.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 9, Clauses 12 and 13, which grant Congress the power to establish a military, and Clause 18, which grants Congress the necessary and proper powers to carry out its other enumerated powers.

By Mr. McADAMS:

H.R. 8173.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. McEACHIN:

H.R. 8174.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. MCNERNEY:

H.R. 8175.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. MEEKS:

H.R. 8176.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1.

By Mr. O'HALLERAN:

H.R. 8177.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 18, section 8 of article 1 of the Constitution

By Ms. PRESSLEY:

H.R. 8178.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. SCHRADER:

H.R. 8179.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. TIFFANY:

H.R. 8180.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.J. Res. 94.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I of the Constitution

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 24: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 40: Mr. SUOZZI and Mr. TONKO.

H.R. 96: Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas.

H.R. 372: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 942: Mr. ROUDA.

H.R. 1139: Ms. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 1185: Mr. GOTTHEIMER and Ms. TITUS.

H.R. 1272: Mr. CASE.

H.R. 1299: Ms. ESCOBAR.

H.R. 1325: Mr. STEIL.

H.R. 1379: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 1407: Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Ms. FRANKEL, Ms. SPEIER, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. WESTERMAN, Mr. JEFFRIES, and Mr. YOHO.

H.R. 1450: Mr. ALLRED, Mr. CROW, and Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H.R. 1549: Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 1670: Ms. CLARKE of New York.

H.R. 2048: Ms. MUCARSEL-POWELL.

H.R. 2178: Mr. SCHNEIDER, Ms. WILD, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. LAMB, Mr. WESTERMAN, and Mr. PANETTA.

H.R. 2348: Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 2428: Mr. EVANS, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Ms. BARRAGAN, and Ms. FRANKEL.

H.R. 2433: Mrs. MCBATH.

H.R. 2435: Mr. YOUNG, Mr. SOTO, Mr. LANDEVIN, Mr. HUDSON, and Mrs. BUSTOS.

H.R. 2442: Mrs. LAWRENCE.

H.R. 2571: Mr. MOOLENAAR and Mr. TIFANY.

H.R. 2574: Mr. SOTO and Ms. LEE of California.

H.R. 2623: Mrs. MCBATH.

H.R. 2639: Ms. LEE of California, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Ms. HAALAND, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. WELCH, Ms. PRESSLEY, Mr. MALINOWSKI, Ms. DEAN, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. COOPER, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. LUJAN, Mr. RYAN, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. STEVENS, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. BASS, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. EVANS, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. SOTO, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. HASTINGS, Ms. MENG, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. VELA, Ms. DELAULO, Ms. SPEIER, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. CLEAVER, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mr. KILDEE, and Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 2694: Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. SAN NICOLAS, Ms. TORRES SMALL of New Mexico, Mr. CORREA, and Ms. SPANBERGER.

H.R. 2771: Mr. BALDERSON, Mr. LATTA, Mr. O'HALLERAN, and Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 2863: Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 2878: Mr. SAN NICOLAS.

H.R. 2896: Mr. SIRES.

H.R. 3019: Ms. SLOTKIN.

H.R. 3036: Mr. CARDENAS.

H.R. 3082: Ms. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 3092: Mr. DESAULNIER.

H.R. 3131: Mr. CARDENAS.

H.R. 3208: Mr. TONKO, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. LAMB, Mr. WELCH, and Ms. PINGREE.

H.R. 3499: Mr. PANETTA.

H.R. 3884: Mr. MOULTON, Mr. CRIST, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. SCOTT of Virginia.

H.R. 4092: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. KILMER, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CARDENAS, Mr. MOULTON, Ms. TLAB, Ms. SHALALA, Mr. EVANS, Ms. BASS, and Mr. LEVIN of Michigan.

H.R. 4104: Ms. FRANKEL, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Ms. MUCARSEL-POWELL, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. LEVIN of California, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. SCHNEIDER, and Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 4228: Ms. BASS, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 4309: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H.R. 4416: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 4507: Mr. MALINOWSKI.

H.R. 4540: Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 4547: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 4681: Ms. FUDGE, Mr. BURGESS, and Mr. WRIGHT.

H.R. 4823: Mr. SIRES and Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 4838: Mr. O'HALLERAN.

H.R. 5046: Mr. BYRNE.

H.R. 5053: Ms. LEE of California, Ms. NOR-TON, and Ms. BASS.

H.R. 5141: Ms. SPANBERGER, Ms. UNDERWOOD, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mrs. LAWRENCE, and Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 5204: Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. SAN NICOLAS, and Ms. WILSON of Florida.

H.R. 5297: Ms. DAVIDS of Kansas, Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, and Mr. SCHNEIDER.

H.R. 5311: Mr. SAN NICOLAS.

H.R. 5403: Ms. TORRES SMALL of New Mexico and Mrs. AXNE.

H.R. 5552: Mr. FOSTER.

H.R. 5569: Mrs. HAYES.

H.R. 5572: Ms. STEFANIK and Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire.

H.R. 5605: Mrs. LEE of Nevada.

H.R. 5621: Mr. FOSTER.

H.R. 5626: Ms. ESCOBAR.

H.R. 5701: Mrs. MCBATH and Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 5757: Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 5775: Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 5845: Mrs. LURIA.

H.R. 5857: Mr. ESPAILLAT and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 5867: Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 5924: Mr. YOHO.

H.R. 5957: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. SLOTKIN, and Mrs. LEE of Nevada.

H.R. 5990: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 5995: Mrs. LEE of Nevada.

H.R. 6003: Mrs. NAPOLITANO and Ms. SCANLON.

H.R. 6056: Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 6164: Ms. FINKENAUER.

H.R. 6183: Ms. NORTON, Mrs. HAYES, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. FOSTER, and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama.

H.R. 6431: Mrs. LEE of Nevada.

H.R. 6458: Mrs. FLETCHER.

H.R. 6495: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H.R. 6597: Mrs. MCBATH.

H.R. 6598: Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia.

H.R. 6623: Ms. BARRAGAN, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 6626: Mr. MALINOWSKI.

H.R. 6745: Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. BONAMICI, and Mr. KHANNA.

H.R. 6761: Ms. SCHRIER.

H.R. 6797: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Ms. TITUS, and Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 6813: Ms. SPEIER, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Ms. DEAN, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. WOMACK, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. VAN DREW, and Mr. TAYLOR.

H.R. 6829: Mr. WOMACK, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH.

H.R. 6926: Ms. HOULAHAN.

H.R. 6972: Mr. LANGEVIN.

H.R. 7057: Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. BERGMAN, Mr. CRIST, and Ms. LEE of California.

H.R. 7071: Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. BACON, Mr. KELLY of Mississippi, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. WENSTRUP, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Mr. GIANFORTE, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. CLAY, Mr. RASKIN, Ms. PINGREE, Ms. FRANKEL, Ms. DEAN, Mr. DUNN, Mrs. DEMINGS, Mr. MALINOWSKI, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mr. KILMER, Mr. AMODEI, Ms. MENG, Mr. KEVIN HERN of Oklahoma, Mr. ALLRED, and Ms. SPANBERGER.

H.R. 7073: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 7111: Mr. COOK.

H.R. 7227: Mr. HASTINGS.

H.R. 7253: Mr. PAYNE, Ms. CRAIG, and Mrs. HAYES.

H.R. 7286: Ms. JUDY CHU of California.

H.R. 7292: Mr. DELGADO.

H.R. 7308: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. HARDER of California, and Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 7324: Mr. CISNEROS.

H.R. 7387: Mr. MAST.

H.R. 7393: Mrs. LURIA and Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 7396: Mr. KEVIN HERN of Oklahoma.

H.R. 7410: Mr. BUCSHON.

H.R. 7428: Mr. RUSH, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, Mr. FOSTER, and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 7450: Mr. BUCHANAN.
H.R. 7474: Mr. TRONE, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. TURNER, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. CASE.
H.R. 7481: Mr. LUJÁN, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mrs. HAYES, Ms. DELBENE, and Ms. SANCHEZ.
H.R. 7485: Mr. FOSTER, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, and Mr. ENGEL.
H.R. 7495: Mr. PHILLIPS.
H.R. 7496: Mr. LYNCH, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.
H.R. 7504: Mrs. RADEWAGEN.
H.R. 7527: Ms. STEFANIK.
H.R. 7564: Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia and Mr. POSEY.
H.R. 7585: Mr. TAKANO and Mr. HUFFMAN.
H.R. 7630: Mr. LOEBSACK and Mr. LAMB.
H.R. 7640: Mrs. HAYES, Mr. DESAULNIER, and Ms. BONAMICI.
H.R. 7642: Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. ESTES, Mrs. TRAHAN, Mr. TONKO, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. COHEN, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. VAN DREW, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SOTO, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. COX of California, Mr. JOHN W. ROSE of Tennessee, Mr. MEUSER, Ms. SCANLON, and Mr. CÁRDENAS.
H.R. 7646: Mr. DUNCAN.
H.R. 7674: Ms. JOHNSON of Texas.
H.R. 7696: Mr. CLINE.
H.R. 7707: Mrs. LURIA.
H.R. 7708: Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Mr. RICE of South Carolina, and Mr. WILLIAMS.
H.R. 7782: Mr. VAN DREW.
H.R. 7809: Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio and Mr. MOOLENAAR.
H.R. 7830: Mr. FOSTER, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Ms. BLUNT ROCH-ESTER, and Mr. MCGOVERN.
H.R. 7835: Mr. FITZPATRICK and Mr. EVANS.
H.R. 7846: Mr. HUFFMAN and Mr. SMITH of Washington.
H.R. 7867: Mr. TED LIEU of California.
H.R. 7868: Ms. SHALALA and Mr. TRONE.
H.R. 7876: Ms. PORTER, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. EVANS, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Ms. HAALAND, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. NEGUSE, Mr. KHANNA, and Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 7886: Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. KATKO, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. LONG, Mr. SOTO, and Mr. TED LIEU of California.
H.R. 7887: Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. SCANLON, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. DEFazio, and Ms. WEXTON.
H.R. 7909: Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. PORTER, Mrs. HAYES, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.
H.R. 7916: Mr. PETERS.
H.R. 7927: Mr. LUCAS and Mr. CRIST.
H.R. 7947: Ms. BONAMICI.
H.R. 7961: Mr. MCGOVERN and Mr. DESAULNIER.
H.R. 7965: Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. SCHNEIDER.
H.R. 7970: Mr. CORREA, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. COOK, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. DESAULNIER.
H.R. 7971: Mr. MOULTON.
H.R. 7977: Ms. NORTON and Mr. HASTINGS.
H.R. 7993: Mr. FOSTER, Mr. LYNCH, and Mr. VARGAS.
H.R. 8017: Mr. DESAULNIER.
H.R. 8042: Ms. PINGREE and Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire.
H.R. 8053: Mr. SUOZZI.
H.R. 8069: Mr. LAMALFA.
H.R. 8073: Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. CÁRDENAS.
H.R. 8095: Ms. LEE of California, Ms. BASS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. LOWENTHAL.
H.R. 8108: Mr. ALLRED.
H.R. 8117: Mr. PERRY, Mr. STEUBE, and Mr. SMITH of Missouri.
H.R. 8125: Mr. FITZPATRICK.
H.R. 8144: Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. VEASEY, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. COHEN, Mr. COSTA, and Ms. HOULAHAN.
H.R. 8145: Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. VEASEY, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. COHEN, Mr. COSTA, and Ms. HOULAHAN.
H.R. 8147: Mr. RESCHENTHALER.
H. Con. Res. 100: Mr. SCHNEIDER.
H. Res. 109: Mr. GREEN of Texas.
H. Res. 114: Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. DESAULNIER, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. FLEISCHMANN,

Mr. KUSTOFF of Tennessee, Mr. MORELLE, Ms. HOULAHAN, and Mr. BABIN.
H. Res. 160: Mr. BILIRAKIS.
H. Res. 823: Mr. OLSON.
H. Res. 908: Mr. LUJÁN.
H. Res. 972: Mr. RYAN, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. LYNCH, and Mr. WOODALL.
H. Res. 1042: Mr. VEASEY and Mr. MCEACHIN.
H. Res. 1050: Mr. MOOLENAAR.
H. Res. 1076: Mr. HUFFMAN.
H. Res. 1077: Mr. MOOLENAAR.
H. Res. 1078: Ms. DELBENE.
H. Res. 1082: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MCNERNEY, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Ms. CASTOR of Florida.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

130. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Caddo Parish Commission, LA, relative to Resolution No. 48 of 2020, supporting the federal government's effort to rename military facilities named after Confederate soldiers and remove Confederate symbols from the Capitol through the National Defense Authorization Act and other means, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto; to the Committee on Armed Services.

131. Also, a petition of the Caddo Parish Commission, LA, relative to Resolution No. 49 of 2020, supporting the renaming of Fort Polk and to otherwise provide with respect thereto; to the Committee on Armed Services.

132. Also, a petition of the Caddo Parish Commission, LA, relative to Resolution No. 43 of 2020, supporting a bipartisan federal Justice In Policing Act of 2020 and to otherwise provide with respect thereto; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary, Armed Services, and Energy and Commerce.



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Senate

The Senate met at 10 and 1 second a.m. and was called to order by the Honorable DEB FISCHER, a Senator from the State of Nebraska.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mr. GRASSLEY).

The senior assistant legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, September 4, 2020.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable DEB FISCHER, a Senator from the State of Nebraska, to perform the duties of the Chair.

CHUCK GRASSLEY,
President pro tempore.

Mrs. FISCHER thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 8, 2020, AT 3 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 8, 2020.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 10 and 38 seconds a.m., adjourned until Tuesday, September 8, 2020, at 3 p.m.

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EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

IN HONOR OF TERRILL HAIGLER

HON. BRENDAN F. BOYLE

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, it is my honor to recognize Terrill Haigler, an essential worker in Philadelphia, before the United States House of Representatives. He has stepped up during the COVID-19 pandemic to not only perform his duties as a sanitation worker with high achievement, he has also been an advocate for his fellow frontline employees.

With atypically high demand for waste removal throughout this public health emergency, our sanitation workers have faced an unprecedented increase in their workload while simultaneously confronting the heightened risk of contracting coronavirus. They keep the City of Philadelphia safe and clean, putting their health on the line to serve their neighbors. Terrill Haigler has rejuvenated the sanitation department through his selfless actions that represent the very best of our community and the nation.

As trash began to pile up from strained resources at the sanitation department, morale among employees was low. A lack of sufficient personal protective equipment (PPE) made matters even worse. After gauging the needs of his coworkers, Mr. Haigler took it upon himself to uplift those around him.

He organized a comprehensive campaign through social media platforms to encapsulate the public, highlighting the accomplishments of his fellow trash collectors, encouraging public support and kindness for his colleagues, and accentuating the PPE shortfalls for essential workers. He then customized a shirt featuring a sanitation worker and his “@_YourFavTrashman” account handle to continue to raise awareness and funds for the cause.

All told, Mr. Haigler raised over \$30,000 for PPE to keep his fellow sanitation workers safe and united a community around the essential workers who continue to serve through harsh conditions. I am grateful for his efforts and his activism. Our essential workers are our local heroes; beyond our utmost gratitude and appreciation, they deserve just compensation and hazard pay.

Terrill Haigler embodies a commitment to public good. His efforts will remain a model for the patriotism and generosity that has kept America going through these difficult times. He has shown the nation what Philadelphia is made of.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in extending our sincerest appreciation to Terrill Haigler for his extraordinary work on behalf of our community.

HONORING RUTHIE MCCOY

HON. BENNIE G. THOMPSON

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor a tenacious and ambitious woman, Ms. Ruthie McCoy. Ruthie has shown what can be done through hard work, dedication, and a desire to serve others.

Ruthie is a Vicksburg native and graduate of Warren Central High School. After graduation, she started working as an armed security officer at the Army Corp of Engineers. Ruthie knew this job was a segue to the career she dreamed about as a 9-year-old girl.

She joined the Yazoo Police Department and later enrolled at the state police academy where she graduated with the Basic class of 263 officers. She is also a part of the Domestic Violence Taskforce.

McCoy is a mother of three who look at her as their “hero.”

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing Ms. Ruthie McCoy for her passion and dedication to serving Yazoo City and desire to make a difference in the community.

HONORING VALLE DEL SOL

HON. GREG STANTON

OF ARIZONA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. STANTON. Madam Speaker, I rise to recognize Valle del Sol for 50 years of excellence in serving Arizona through its world-class healthcare services and programs. Since 1970, Valle del Sol has touched the lives of thousands of Arizonans, inspired transformational change, and provided meaningful support to families in our communities across the Valley. Its incredible work is a model in the greater Phoenix area and will continue to help many live healthy and fulfilling lives.

Ever since its inaugural year, Valle del Sol has invested in quality and affordable healthcare services for people of all backgrounds, especially our Hispanic and Latino neighbors. They have helped lead the way in treating those struggling with substance abuse and brought behavioral health to the forefront of our community by establishing the first Latino centered methadone treatment program in the Phoenix area.

Valle del Sol has built bridges for five decades and continues to spotlight the best and brightest in our community. Above and beyond healthcare and human services, its team has enriched the social, cultural, and economic fabric of Arizona. Its Hispanic Leadership Institute has brought together an extraordinary, diverse network of leaders who will continue to make our state a better place to work and live. Over the past few decades, the program has

produced leaders who have carried out positive change in healthcare, government, business, and the non-profit sector—all of who lead with a stronger understanding of their commitment to the people they serve.

I thank Valle del Sol, its community partners, and everyone involved in this grassroots movement to make it the gold standard for healthcare and human services in the southwest. Congratulations on 50 years of serving our children and families in Arizona. I am confident their passion and service will continue to leave a lasting impression for the next 50 years and beyond.

HONORING THE MEMORY OF ALMA
G. STALLWORTH

HON. RASHIDA TLAIB

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Ms. TLAIB. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the memory of the late former Michigan State Representative Alma G. Stallworth, who passed away in August 2020.

Alma Stallworth was born in Little Rock, Arkansas, and eventually made her home in Detroit, Michigan, where she attended Wayne State University. She went on to pursue public office, serving her first term as State Representative from 1971 until 1974 and again, serving from 1983 until 1996. As a legislator, Alma Stallworth broke ground in her work in the civil rights movement, as well as crafting policy solutions to improve the quality of life for Michigan's children and working families. Her example blazed the trail for countless women of color to pursue careers in public service.

In 1985, Alma Stallworth founded the Black Caucus Foundation of Michigan, a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the lives of African-American communities across Michigan. Ms. Stallworth created the Black Caucus Foundation of Michigan's Legislative Internship Program to allow African-Americans interested in public policy careers to gain invaluable experience while also earning college credit. Her work with the Black Caucus Foundation has created a critical link for policy, communities, and businesses.

Alma Stallworth was a true paragon of public service. Please join me in honoring her legacy.

TRIBUTE TO KATHLEEN
BAUSHKE—CALIFORNIA'S 24TH
CONGRESSIONAL WOMEN OF THE
YEAR

HON. SALUD O. CARBAJAL

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. CARBAJAL. Madam Speaker, each year, through the Women of the Year Award,

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my office extends special recognition to women on the Central Coast who have made a difference in our community. I would like to recognize one outstanding Women of the Year Award recipient, Kathleen Baushke from Santa Barbara, California.

Kathleen has had an immeasurable impact on our community through her work addressing our community's ongoing problem with family homelessness. She is the longtime Executive Director of Transition House, a multifaceted shelter, housing, and education nonprofit based in Santa Barbara. Under her leadership, Transition House assists more than 400 people every year. Approximately 70 percent of the families who work through Transition House's multi-stage programs move into permanent housing: a success rate of which few similar agencies can boast.

Beyond her work within Transition House, Kathleen has consistently reached outside the agency to provide logistical support, program advising, and financial expertise to other organizations assisting those experiencing homelessness. For example, Kathleen helped create the Landlord Liaison Program, within Transition House, that works with local landlords to house mainly homeless veterans and children.

Kathleen has served on the boards of other related nonprofits in Santa Barbara, including the St. Francis Foundation and Second Story, as well as on the advisory board of Storyteller Children's Center. She is also a founding member of the advocacy group National Coalition for Homelessness Solutions. She appears regularly in the media, at political events, and at community informational gatherings to advocate for compassionate, thoughtful, positive help for families and children experiencing crisis. As many as half of the homeless people in America are families with children, and Kathleen has brought immense relief to this vulnerable population, leading her agency, its amazing staff, and hundreds of community volunteers toward ongoing solutions.

She is a worthy candidate for this honor and a role model for community leaders of all kinds. I am honored to recognize Kathleen for her continued commitment to improving our community and the residents of Santa Barbara county. I ask all Members to join me today in honoring an exceptional woman of California's 24th Congressional District, Kathleen Baushke, for her incredible service to her community.

RECOGNIZING DR. BRUCE AMUNDSON ON HIS SERVICE TO THE WASHINGTON CHAPTER OF PHYSICIANS FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

HON. ADAM SMITH

OF WASHINGTON

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. SMITH of Washington. Madam Speaker, it is my privilege to rise to honor Dr. Bruce Amundson on the incredible work he has done while serving on the Board of the Washington Chapter of Physicians for Social Responsibility (WPSR) and congratulate him on his retirement.

Dr. Amundson was a member of the chapter for 40 years and served as president in 2014. As president he brought a much-needed re-

surgence of energy to the chapter. Through tireless effort and countless hours working with staff, contacting members, recruiting partners, and securing financial support, Bruce succeeded in bringing the chapter back to life, with a revitalized purpose for the health-based advocacy community. Under Bruce's leadership he grew the chapter to nearly 1,000 members, making it one of the most productive and successful in the country.

Bruce was vital in bringing a voice to the most critical public health issues of our time including nuclear proliferation, climate change, and more. Bruce was integral in helping establish the largest anti-nuclear coalition of its kind in the country, the Washington Against Nuclear Weapons Coalition. His dedication to community health advocacy was unmatched and his expertise, passion, and efforts will be deeply missed by the entire community. The state of Washington is lucky to have had such a thoughtful voice working for the greater good.

Madam Speaker, I thank Dr. Amundson for his dedicated service to the Washington Chapter of Physicians for Social Responsibility where he never stopped working to bring the most pressing public health issues of our time to light, and I wish him a happy retirement.

HONORING EDDIE PAYTON

HON. BENNIE G. THOMPSON

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor a remarkable community servant, Mr. Eddie Payton.

Eddie Payton, a native of Columbia, MS, is a 1973 graduate of Jackson State University. While at Jackson State, Eddie was a four-year letterman, three-year all SWAC player, SWAC Offensive Player of the Year, Ebony All American, and NAIA All American.

Eddie was an NFL running back and kick returner who played five seasons in the NFL from 1977 to 1982. He played for the Cleveland Browns, Detroit Lions, Kansas City Chiefs, and Minnesota Vikings. In 1980, he led the NFL with 53 kickoff returns for 1,184 yards. Eddie is one of three Detroit Lions to register two touchdowns off returns in a single game. His 98 yard kickoff return for a touchdown is the fifth longest in Detroit history, and his 87 yard punt return stands as the third longest in franchise history. Eddie also played in the CFL for two seasons with the Ottawa Rough Riders and Toronto Argonauts and was the first player signed in franchise history with the Memphis Showboats of the WFL.

After retiring from the NFL, Eddie returned to Jackson State to take the helm of the men's golf program. In 1995 he started the women's golf program. During his 30 years at Jackson State, his men's golf team won 25 conference championships and his women's team won 16 conference championships. Additionally, his men's team won 8 National Minority Championships and his women's team won 4 National Minority Championships. Eddie was named SWAC Coach of the year 25 times and National Minority Coach of the Year 6 times. Eddie's teams made history by becoming the first teams from an HBCU to compete in the NCAA Men's and Women's Golf Champion-

ships. He has also had seven players to compete professionally. Eddie finished his career as the winningest coach in SWAC history.

Eddie has been inducted into the Marion County Sports Hall of Fame, Jackson State University Sports Hall of Fame, SWAC Hall of Fame, National Black Golfers Hall of Fame, and the African American Golf Association Hall of Fame.

Eddie is the Executive Director of the Payton Family Foundation, which has awarded 92 scholarships totaling over 3.1 million dollars. He is also a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. and a member of the Mississippi Athletic Commission.

Since his retirement, Eddie does his favorite past-times and can be found on the golf course, fishing or hunting.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing Mr. Eddie Payton for his dedication and tenacity to serving the community and the desire to be an example for all.

IN CELEBRATION OF THE 100TH BIRTHDAY OF PATRICIA LEZOTTE QUICK

HON. DEBBIE DINGELL

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mrs. DINGELL. Madam Speaker, I rise today to offer my heartfelt congratulations to Patricia Lezotte Quick as she celebrates her 100th birthday. This significant milestone is worthy of commendation.

Over the course of her lifetime, Patricia Quick has become a pillar of Rockwood. Patricia was born in the city on August 15, 1920, and remained in Rockwood for the next 96 years. As the only child of Edith and Eugene Lezotte, Patricia had a happy childhood playing with neighborhood friends, seeing movies, canoeing the Huron River, and taking the inter-urban trolley from Rockwood to downtown Detroit. After receiving her license at the age of 12, Patricia enjoyed driving her 1924 Hudson Super 6 to Detroit to shop at her favorite stores and occasionally treat herself to a famous Sander's hot fudge cream puff. Throughout her youth, Patricia attended Rockwood Elementary School, St. Mary's Catholic School, and Rockwood High School, where she sang in choir, played basketball, and studied Latin. She also took ballet lesson, and continued dancing throughout her 20s. At the age of 18, Patricia began working at the Rockwood Post Office. She rose to the position of assistant postmistress, and then served as superintendent of postal operations until retiring in 1981. In 1940, she also worked as a U.S. Census worker throughout Rockwood, Brandon Township, and Romulus.

In 1943, Patricia married her husband, John Quick, and the two had an adventurous marriage for 73 years before John's passing in 2015. Together, they visited all 50 states, every Mexican state, and each Canadian province. Patricia is known for her optimistic attitude, love for nature and animals, and compassion for all. She has been active in animal rescue, her church, community service, and other civic organizations. Thanks to her immense knowledge of the city and love of history, Patricia was one of the founders of the Rockwood Area Historical Society in 1973 and

continues to be a historian for the City of Rockwood. Throughout her 100 years, Patricia has demonstrated a true passion for our community and all those in it. Her impact has transformed the city, and we will forever be grateful for her years of dedicated service.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in celebrating Patricia Lezotte Quick on her 100th birthday. I join with Patricia's friends in extending my best and warmest wishes to her on this special day. I am proud to honor her life, her accomplishments, and her invaluable contributions to our community.

RECOGNIZING THE CONFIRMATION
OF REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
FARMER-BUTTERFIELD TO THE
NORTH CAROLINA EMPLOYMENT
SECURITY BOARD OF REVIEW

HON. G.K. BUTTERFIELD

OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. BUTTERFIELD. Madam Speaker, I rise to recognize and celebrate the confirmation of Representative Jean Farmer-Butterfield to the North Carolina Employment Security Board of Review.

Representative Farmer-Butterfield proudly represented Wilson County for nearly two decades in the North Carolina House of Representatives. During that time, she distinguished herself as a committed public servant and advocate for the people of Wilson County. Farmer-Butterfield was celebrated by her peers on both sides of the aisle for her powerful skills in negotiation and ability to find compromise amongst her colleagues. In her time serving in the North Carolina General Assembly, she rightly developed a reputation as a lawmaker capable of achieving goals through bipartisan agreement.

As a Representative, she was a champion of mental health and substance abuse issues, public schools and early childhood education, and economic development in Wilson County and throughout eastern North Carolina. For nine consecutive terms, Wilson County residents voiced their approval of Farmer-Butterfield's zealous and impactful advocacy for them and demonstrated their appreciation and confidence in her through their votes.

Now, she will continue her long career of public service on the Board of Review where her intellect and work ethic will benefit many across North Carolina. I commend Governor Cooper for his nomination of Representative Farmer-Butterfield and the General Assembly for confirming her appointment.

On behalf of the residents of the First Congressional District of North Carolina and especially those in Wilson County, I thank Representative Farmer-Butterfield for her many years of dedicated service in the North Carolina House of Representatives and wish her continued success on the North Carolina Employment Security Board of Review.

Congratulations, Jean.

AUGUST VETERAN OF THE
MONTH: ROB MILLER

HON. KEVIN HERN

OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. KEVIN HERN of Oklahoma. Madam Speaker, I rise to honor the First District of Oklahoma's August Veteran of the Month, Major Rob Miller.

An Artillery Officer in the United States Marine Corps, Major Rob Miller honorably served our nation from 1983 to 1995. Major Miller is a combat veteran who served during Operation Desert Storm. Upon returning home from service, Major Miller followed his passion for service and has dedicated his life to public education.

Major Miller is currently serving as the Superintendent of Bixby Public Schools. Previously, Rob Miller served at Sand Springs Public Schools and Jenks Public Schools. Throughout his twenty-eight years in education, Rob Miller has earned numerous awards. In 2015, he was the Oklahoma Middle School Principal of the Year. He is also a National Association of Secondary School Principals National Finalist. Rob Miller's remarkable commitment to serving the students and families in our district is commendable.

In addition to working as the Superintendent of Bixby Public Schools, Miller is involved with the local veteran community. He has hosted ceremonies honoring veterans for many consecutive years on Veterans Day, and he has regularly participated in marathons honoring veterans. Miller is active in his community, where he is involved with his local church and is a member of the Bixby Rotary Club. Rob Miller answered the call to defend freedom across the globe and sacrificed whatever was necessary in the name of that noble cause. He continues to serve our country, community, and his fellow veterans. It is my honor to recognize Major Rob Miller as the First Congressional District of Oklahoma's August Veteran of the Month.

TRIBUTE TO DR. ANNE RODRIGUEZ—CALIFORNIA'S 24TH CONGRESSIONAL WOMEN OF THE YEAR

HON. SALUD O. CARBAJAL

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. CARBAJAL. Madam Speaker, each year, my office extends special recognition to women on the Central Coast who have made a difference in our community through the Women of the Year Award. I would like to recognize one outstanding Women of the Year Award Recipient, Dr. Anne Rodriguez from Santa Barbara, California.

Anne deserves to be recognized for her dedication and service to our community. As one of only two gynecologic oncology surgeons that serve Santa Barbara and the surrounding communities, she has dedicated her entire professional life to surgery and care of women with gynecologic and breast cancer. When patients are in Dr. Rodriguez's care, they receive immense compassion, hope, and expertise.

Outside of her medical practice, Anne serves our community in a variety of other ways. For the last four years, she has served on the Board of Directors of the Cottage Health System, is the Chair of the Department of Surgery at Cottage Hospital and sits on the Board of the Santa Barbara Breast Care Alliance. She was a founding Board member of the local chapter of Boys Team Charity, a philanthropic organization that teaches young men from 7th to 12th grade about the importance of giving back to the community through volunteering. Anne has volunteered with numerous local organizations, including the Goleta Public Library, Teen Court, Art from Scrap, the Santa Barbara Rescue Mission, Santa Barbara Bike Coalition, the Santa Barbara Zoo, Santa Barbara Wildlife Care Network, Montessori Center School, and the MAD Academy at Santa Barbara High School.

Anne is humble about the extent of the commitments she juggles and her importance to the lives of her patients; she will always step up to help the community or a patient in need. That incredible work ethic and spirit of service has made Anne a beloved resident of the Central Coast.

I ask all Members to join me today in honoring an exceptional woman of California's 24th Congressional District, Dr. Anne Rodriguez, for her incredible service to her community.

HONORING RATOYA GILMER

HON. BENNIE G. THOMPSON

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor a remarkable public servant. Attorney RaToya Gilmer was born and raised in Edwards, Mississippi, and still currently resides there. She earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science from Tougaloo College. Attorney Gilmer graduated from the University of Mississippi School of Law in May 2013. She was admitted to practice law in the state of Mississippi in September 2013. She is currently the managing partner at Gilmer and Green Legal Group, PLLC where the firm focuses on family law and personal injury cases. She is currently the President of the Magnolia Bar Association where she served as the community service committee co-chair and President of the organization.

She is currently a member of the Mississippi Bar Association, the Mississippi Association for Justice, the Metro Jackson Black Women Lawyers' Association, the Mississippi Women Lawyers' Association, Women for Progress, and a member of the 33rd Class of Leadership Greater Jackson.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing Attorney RaToya Gilmer.

IN RECOGNITION OF CHARLES
EZRA FERRELL

HON. RASHIDA TLAIB

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Ms. TLAIB. Madam Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Charles Ezra Ferrell and his

work on behalf of non-profit and charitable organizations, including Detroit's Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History.

Mr. Ferrell began as a volunteer at the Charles H. Wright Museum, where he proved himself to be engaged and enthusiastic in taking on new tasks and responsibilities. He was hired and rose through the ranks, ultimately serving as the museum's Vice-President for Public Programs and Community Engagement. Mr. Ferrell worked on a number of projects and founded the museum's Liberation Film Series, which comprises film screenings, panel discussions, book readings and signings, and lectures to promote awareness, critical thinking, and informed activism. In short, during his tenure at the Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History, Charles Ferrell has done an outstanding job of fostering cultural exchange.

Over the years, Mr. Ferrell has worked tirelessly to educate the community by creating awareness about the countless achievements and contributions of African-Americans. Please join me in recognizing his fine example.

REMEMBERING THE LIFE AND
CONTRIBUTIONS OF JOHN J.
DOYLE OF ARDMORE, PENNSYLVANIA

HON. MARY GAY SCANLON

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Ms. SCANLON. Madam Speaker, I rise to celebrate the life of John J. Doyle, a constituent of mine from Ardmore, Pennsylvania, who passed away suddenly earlier this month. Mr. Doyle was a devoted and loving husband of Maura, father to Kerry and Erin; and grandfather to Vivian, Rowan, Eve, Peter and Annie; and brother to Elaine O'Malley, Bernice Ayers, Mary Doyle, and Barry Doyle. John served his country as an officer in the Navy and was a community and business leader who will be sorely missed by his family, friends, neighbors, and all who knew him.

John was an accomplished business executive who was on the leadership team of the international nonprofit, the Project Management Institute (PMI). At PMI, John developed the accreditation institute's important relationship with China, promoting high standards for business and project management around the world. John's work at PMI capped off a long and distinguished career, including work with Biological Abstracts and the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

John served his community as Chairman of the Advisory Board of St. Barnabas School, a primary school, providing high quality and low-cost education to students of all faiths in Philadelphia. He earned his Bachelor's degree from St. Joseph's University and his MBA from the University of Notre Dame.

John had a life well lived and was taken from this world too soon. He will be missed.

RECOGNIZING DEBORAH WRIGLEY
AND HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO
AMERICA AND THE HOUSTON
METROPOLITAN AREA OVER
FOUR DECADES AS A LEADING
AND INFLUENTIAL JOURNALIST
FOR TELEVISION STATION KTRK

HON. SHEILA JACKSON LEE

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Ms. JACKSON LEE. Madam Speaker, I rise to honor Deborah Wrigley for the unparalleled service she has rendered to the residents of the Houston metropolitan area over the past 40 years as one of the area's leading journalists and to commend her example to young reporters on the fiduciary responsibility of all members of the Fourth Estate to understand and faithfully execute the responsibilities of civic education and governmental accountability reposed in them by the drafters of the First Amendment.

Deborah Wrigley will be retiring this month after the completion of a 42-year career in journalism, most recently with television station KTRK-TV.

Deborah Wrigley graduated from the University of Houston with a degree from its prestigious English department initially did not plan a career in television but it is not surprising that she finally did given that her father was a leading Hollywood cinematographer and her mother loved literature.

Deborah Wrigley was hired by KTRK-TV as a minority trainee in 1978 and over the next 42 years reported on important events affecting or occurring in the Houston area as the city grew to become the largest city in Texas and the fourth largest in the nation.

Deborah Wrigley reported live from Galveston, Texas throughout the night when Hurricane Alicia hit, risking driving off the Galveston seawall at the height of the storm to get the stories back to the station.

Deborah Wrigley loved covering politics, from City Hall to the Texas Legislature, national stories and neighborhood issues, hurricanes and other natural disasters, including the Mexico City earthquake in 1985 for which she received a Headliner Club award.

Deborah Wrigley never forgot or lost sight of the fact that another important role of the print and electronic media is to serve the people, to illuminate their struggles and problems and achievements; she knows Houston because she always listened to its people and their concerns and tirelessly worked to bring attention to the need to find solutions.

Deborah Wrigley's final stories involved the work on the frontlines of fighting the COVID-19 pandemic, such as efforts to bring testing to underserved communities, which she understood would save thousands of lives.

Not only was Deborah Wrigley an eye-witness to many historic events, she made history of her own by becoming the longest-serving female television news reporter ever in Houston and one of the longest serving in the history of the country.

Deborah Wrigley has often expressed how grateful she is to those who helped her through it all, from the people she interviewed to the audiences who watched and trusted her to deliver the news fairly and accurately.

Madam Speaker, I take great pride in recognizing and honoring Deborah Wrigley whose

extraordinary career and commitment to serving her community through delivering the news fully and fairly has helped make our nation better on its inexorable march toward becoming a more perfect union.

HONORING DR. THOMAS
CAMPBELL

HON. VAN TAYLOR

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. TAYLOR. Madam Speaker, today, I rise to recognize Dr. Thomas Campbell, a respected leading researcher in the area of speech and language skills and the longtime Executive Director of the Callier Center for Communication Disorders at the University of Texas at Dallas (UTD) in Texas' Third Congressional District.

Tom Campbell earned his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. After spending several years at the Glenrose Rehabilitation Hospital in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada where he conducted studies of the speech and language skills of children recovering from traumatic brain injuries, Dr. Campbell's work took him to the University of Pittsburgh where he served as a faculty member in the Department of Communication Science and Disorders.

Following his later service as Director of Audiology and Communication Disorders at the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, in 2006 Dr. Campbell was named the Executive Director of the Callier Center for Communication Disorders in Dallas, Texas.

For the past fourteen years, Dr. Campbell has built a successful education and research enterprise leading to UTD's undisputed reputation as a national model for the study of communication disorders. Due to his steadfast leadership, the Callier Center is consistently ranked in the top ten of graduate programs nationwide in the areas of audiology and speech-language pathology.

Among his many achievements, Dr. Campbell is credited with the establishment of the Callier postdoctoral program, the creation of both the Callier Prize in Communication Disorders and the Ruth and Ken Altshuler Callier Care Award. He is also credited with the 2016 construction of the new Callier building on the UTD Richardson campus.

Dr. Campbell's most lasting legacy lies in the many lives he has influenced through his work. Known as a "humble teacher and terrific role model" it is evident respect for this consummate servant leader runs deep among all who have interacted with him, patients and peers alike.

As Dr. Campbell prepares to begin a new season of life, along his wife, Dr. Christine Dollaghan, I ask my colleagues in the United States House of Representatives to join me in recognizing him for his selfless and dedicated efforts as the Executive Director of the Callier Center at the University of Texas at Dallas and to wish him well in his future endeavors.

HONORING THE LIFE OF EDWARD
M. COURSE JR.

HON. BENNIE G. THOMPSON

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of a remarkable individual, Edward McCoy Course Jr.

Mr. Course, 68, died Tuesday, July 7, 2020, in Greenwood, Mississippi. He was the longest-serving deacon at Providence Missionary Baptist Church and the church secretary. Mr. Course was also a life member of the Mississippi Valley State University National Alumni Association and past president of its Leflore County chapter. He served as chairman of the Leflore County Election Commission for 41 years and worked for the Mississippi State Department of Health for 30 Years, serving as district supervisor of environmental quality.

Working in the civil rights movement at an early age, he marched as a boy and later worked within the NAACP for a short time. Mr. Course displayed a willingness to give back to the community, to work, and asked for very little in return. He spent all his life at Providence and was beloved by many.

As chairman of the election commission, he would help with voter registration drives, going to local high schools, and MVSU to ensure people understood the processes and volunteering to make sure everything was run smoothly. He was able to offer a wealth of knowledge to all those around him.

Mr. Course is survived by his wife of 43 years, Mrs. Linda Course of Greenwood; a special niece, Jakayla Rayford of Greenwood; six sisters, Marjorie Course of Houston, Texas, Joyce Ann Course and Sandra Course, both of Greenwood, Katie Course and Denise (Thad) Johnson, both of Jackson, and Gail (Lucious) Lewis of Clinton; and two brothers, Ervin Course of Greenwood and Terrence Course (Celdrick) of Carrollton.

Mrs. Course said that her husband lived by a simple sentiment that she feels personifies the message they wanted to share to the world: "Never lose faith or give up."

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring the life of Mr. Edward McCoy Course Jr., in which he was a faithful community leader, worker, and motivator.

TRIBUTE TO TRACY BEARD—CALIFORNIA'S 24TH CONGRESSIONAL WOMEN OF THE YEAR

HON. SALUD O. CARBAJAL

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. CARBAJAL. Madam Speaker, each year, through the Women of the Year Award, my office extends special recognition to women on the Central Coast who have made a difference in our community. I would like to recognize one outstanding Women of the Year Award recipient, Tracy Beard of Solvang, California.

Tracy Beard currently serves as Executive Director of the Solvang Chamber of Commerce, the President of the Association of Re-

gional Councils, and served as board member, treasurer, and vice president of the Michigan Chapter of the American Planning Association. Lomako was president of the Heat and Warmth Fund, and has also sat on the boards of Inforum, the Urban Land Institute, and the Michigan Society of Association Executives. In addition, Lomako has been a fierce advocate for women, serving as a board member and officer with the Women's Economic Club and a board member with the Michigan Chapter of Women in Transportation.

Without a doubt, Kathleen Lomako has devoted her career to serving Michigan and has worked tirelessly to ensure it remains a fruitful, safe, and prosperous place. Across all capacities, Lomako has been recognized as a dedicated, compassionate, and humble leader who strives to make a meaningful difference. She has been the voice of reason in challenging times and has encouraged all to work together to better our state. Her efforts have transformed Michigan, and her impact will forever be remembered.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in celebrating the retirement of Kathleen Lomako. I am proud to honor her work, accomplishments, and significant community impact. We thank her for her outstanding service and wish her the best of luck in her future endeavors.

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IN RECOGNITION OF KATHLEEN LOMAKO FOR A DISTINGUISHED CAREER WITH THE SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

HON. DEBBIE DINGELL

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mrs. DINGELL. Madam Speaker, I rise today to offer my heartfelt congratulations to Kathleen Lomako as she celebrates her retirement and recognize her many years of distinguished service with the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments. Her contributions to Michigan are worthy of commendation.

Kathleen Lomako has dedicated much of her professional career to working in various positions at the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG). She joined SEMCOG in 1979, and quickly became a pillar of the organization. Since 2014, Lomako has served as executive director, where she has overseen a staff of 66 and has led SEMCOG's efforts to address a variety of multi-community, regional issues such as transportation, water quality, air quality, solid waste, land use, community and economic development, and data analysis. Beyond SEMCOG, Lomako has also been president of the Metropolitan Affairs Coalition (MAC), a nonprofit public/private partnership dedicated to enhancing the economic vitality and quality of life in Southeast Michigan.

Kathleen Lomako has held several other leadership positions and is known throughout the community as a passionate leader who effects change. She was vice chair of the Michigan Infrastructure Council, chair of the Executive Director Council at the Association of Re-

V-J DAY

HON. KEVIN HERN

OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. KEVIN HERN of Oklahoma. Madam Speaker, I rise to honor the veterans of the First District of Oklahoma, who served in the Pacific Theater of the Second World War, in remembrance of Victory over Japan Day, commonly known as V-J Day.

Following the surrender of Japanese forces on August 15, 1945, President Harry Truman proclaimed, "This is a victory of more than arms alone. This is a victory of liberty over tyranny." The dark years of fighting had finally come to an end, through the bravery and sacrifice of a generation of Americans.

As we stand here seventy-five years later, their legacy reminds us of God's grace, the true meaning of honor, and the unimaginable blessing bestowed on each and every one of us to live in the United States of America.

Today, I honor some of the bravest warriors on the face of the earth—heroes who were willing to venture into unknown territories to meet an uncertain fate, who weathered unimaginable circumstances.

When their nation called, men and women left their families, spouses, and children to go to a foreign place stricken with war and savagery, all because they knew the United States of America was the last great hope on earth. Those who served not only saved our nation and our world from tyranny, but they changed the course of history forever.

As the news of the war ending spread around the world, we can only now imagine the thrill of emotions that spread like fire through country sides and city squares across America. Millions of people took to the streets, many of which were covered with blizzards of confetti, and citizens crowded into churches to

thank God for this victory and for the beginning of a new era of peace.

Yet, seventy-five years later, we are still reminded of the true cost of that peace. Our current generation has also witnessed the sacrifice of American lives in the name of freedom. While our nation always attempts to protect American lives through any diplomatic tools available, human history reveals the sad reality that sometimes the liberty of all must be defended by a brave few. As Winston Churchill is often attributed as stating, "We sleep soundly in our beds because rough men stand ready in the night to visit violence on those who would do us harm."

As a society, we must remember and educate our children to ensure that future generations never forget the heroes that saved our world from tyranny and destruction. Americans gather on V-J day to do just that: celebrate the greatest generation—those who came back home and those who laid down their lives on the field of battle.

With the utmost humility, I recognize and honor those who served in the Second World War throughout the Pacific Theater and beyond. It is the greatest honor to live in a country with such valiant men and women, much less to represent so many of them in Congress.

Victory over Japan Day is a necessary reminder of not only the enormous sacrifice and triumph of American warfighters over tyrannical empires, but ultimately, it exhibits the capacity of the American spirit to overcome all obstacles in order to complete the task at hand. I pray that we now, as Americans, face today's tests and trials with the same resolve, unity, and honor as those brave patriots who shed their blood from the beaches of Normandy to the islands of Okinawa. May we, too, find victory in our day.

HONORING RUBY MONTGOMERY

HON. BENNIE G. THOMPSON

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, September 4, 2020

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Ruby Montgomery.

"Mama Ruby has faith" . . . her faith enabled the love she has shared with others—others who have grown now share her faith and believe her acts of kindness to be pre-

cious gifts—gifts that touch people's hearts and are rooted right here in the Mississippi Delta.

In fact, Ruby Montgomery, described by her children as, "a dedicated child of God", is a woman who shapes the lives of others and continues to dedicate her life to serve her children and neighbors while being led by the Holy Spirit.

As we learned, it is Ruby's faith, her confident belief and trust in The Lord, which has kept her going all these years. In addition, her testimony reveals that even from a very young age, Ruby was taught to practice kindness and humility, two ideals her parents, the late Rev. Rollie Lee and teacher Daisy Bell Lee of Lambert, Mississippi, taught her well.

Ruby, the wife of the late TSGT William Henry Montgomery of Marks, Mississippi, who with her became proud parents of Deborah A. Simpson, Rhonda L. Montgomery, and Roderrick L. Montgomery. The pair also managed to care for their granddaughter, Tashunda Montgomery-Vaughn; great granddaughter, Ja'Brea Joiner; and four other grandchildren: Lacambrise, Ahbrae, Andre, and Desiree.

But did the couple stop there? Of course not. They also committed to raise five foster children: Linda, Shelia, Patricia, Pamela, and Stephanie. And as a result, she inherited several more grandchildren: Markus, Kim, Melanie, Teon, Nekeveonia, Herbert Jr., Altrevia, and Corderio. Onward, she inherited several more children: Joel, Anthony, Stephanie Reeder, Yolanda, Yameka, Lorraine, April, and their children. Now that is a big family and makes this author wonder just how Mama Ruby had time for anything else.

Questions come to mind: How does the first teacher teach in an integrated school system in Quitman County, raise dozens of kids, and go to work helping other children learn all day? Where did her energy and money come from when times were hard? Ruby credits The Lord.

People whose lives have been touched by Mama Ruby know that she is a person who can be trusted. She is seen by so many as an inspiration to those around her and a living example of how faith can impact the lives of those she has helped. Ruby is the person people come to with their problems, the one who comforts those in need, and the mother who cares for the sick in the body or in the spirit.

By making time to mentor countless of children in the community of Marks over the years, she unknowingly stepped into the per-

manent role of "Mama Ruby" for generation after generation, gaining the respect of the community and the trust of its members.

For example, as a teacher in the Quitman County public school system for over 40 years, retiring in 1993, Ruby gained the trust of her students, many of whom she opened the doors of her home to and also offered rides to church on Sunday. Many of these students grew up and had their own children, who were also taught by Ruby—allowing her to impact one generation after another.

However, the teaching did not stop in the classroom. In fact, at church, Ruby was also a teacher who shared the Bible with young minds. She serves as both a Sunday school and Bible study teacher. Even after teaching for over forty years, she does not tire of spending her energy toward young children's education. Education, as we all know, is not limited to just the classroom.

Ruby likes to educate teenagers as well. She and her husband always helped out the youth in the community who wished to work by hiring them to help around the store and teaching them the value of a dollar.

You would think with all of this teaching going on there would not be room for much else in Mama Ruby's life, but Ruby gives her time freely to community activities and outreach ministries. Ruby is currently serving as an active, committed, and dedicated member of Les-Grandes Soeurs Social Club of Lambert, Marks, and Crenshaw, Mississippi, as well as in Memphis, TN. Here she serves on the planning committee in Marks, MS. The purpose of Les-Grandes Soeurs Social Club is to serve as big sisters in time of need, to provide training, recreational, social, and cultural activities for the community, and provide educational support through scholarship. Mama Ruby is a board member of Trinity Community Center and the Quitman County Development Organization of Marks, MS. She also served as chairman for the 2019 Annual September Song Festival. These experiences are not all that make Ruby an amazing person. Ruby believes this path was chosen for her, not by her. By following this path, Ruby has excelled at every stage in her life. Mama Ruby "got faith" . . . faith found because of God's love for her is the love she has shared with others.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing Ruby Montgomery for her dedication to serving her community and this great state.

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate met at 10:00:08 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 10:00:38 a.m. until 3 p.m., on Tuesday, September 8, 2020.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 8158–8180; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 94; and H. Res. 1099–1100, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Con. Res. 90, authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the National Peace Officers Memorial Service and the National Honor Guard and Pipe Band Exhibition (H. Rept. 116–483);

H.R. 1497, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize certain water pollution control programs, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–484);

H.R. 2242, to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to include certain services in the definition of critical services, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 116–485);

H.R. 3779, to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to allow the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to provide capitalization grants to eligible entities to establish revolving funds to provide assistance to reduce disaster risks, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–486);

H.R. 4470, to rename the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation the Great Lakes St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation (H. Rept. 116–487);

H. Con. Res. 37, expressing support for designation of October 28 as “Honoring the Nation’s First Responders Day” (H. Rept. 116–488); and

H.R. 5760, to provide for a comprehensive interdisciplinary research, development, and demonstration initiative to strengthen the capacity of the energy sector to prepare for and withstand cyber and physical attacks, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–489, Part 1). **Page H4324**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Trone to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H4321**

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no yea-and-nay votes, and there were no recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 10:32 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Diversity and Inclusion, hearing entitled “Holding Financial

Regulators Accountable for Diversity and Inclusion: Perspectives from the Offices of Minority and Women Inclusion”, 12 p.m., Webex.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

3 p.m., Tuesday, September 8

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Brett H. Ludwig, of Wisconsin, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, with a vote on the motion to invoke cloture at 5:30 p.m.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9:30 a.m., Tuesday, September 8

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: House will meet in Pro Forma session at 9:30 a.m.

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