

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

RECOGNIZING NANCY W. SCHULZE

HON. GREGORY F. MURPHY

OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina. Madam Speaker, I rise to pay a heart-felt tribute to speaker, singer, activist, servant leader, forward thinker, and prayer warrior Nancy Schulze. Mrs. Schulze is an incredibly gifted individual who has spent her life using those gifts in service to others. Nancy's achievements and accomplishments are too numerous to catalog, but among them are performing in the Capitol Rotunda, as well as at Galas honoring First Ladies Barbara Bush, and Laura Bush. In 2008, she founded the Republican Congressional Wives Speakers in Washington and holds annual seminars for this group featuring top experts in the fields of speaking, media, training and thought leadership. She is cofounder of the American Prayer Initiative. She has spoken at the Global Pastors Wives Conference, the National Republican Women's Summit in Washington, the Christian Women in Media Association and the Inaugural Prayer Breakfast for the Governor of New York. She is a Colson Center Centurion, having completed a year-long intensive master's level course on world view in 2010. Nancy has spoken at the National Prayer Breakfast as well as events for Members of the U.S. Senate, House and Presidency. She is currently involved in many endeavors including Physicians for Reform to repair our broken healthcare system.

Given her list of accomplishments, the most astounding thing about Nancy Schulze is her seemingly unending energy and passion to work for the good of this nation. Her efforts would not be possible without her compassion and extraordinary commitment to excellence. Madam Speaker, please join me in honoring this patriot, public servant, faithful Christian, and my friend, Nancy Schulze.

CELEBRATING THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF KNX

HON. ADAM B. SCHIFF

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. SCHIFF. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor KNX News Radio (KNX) upon its one-hundredth anniversary.

KNX began humbly in the back bedroom of the home of founder Fred Christian, a former wireless operator and manager at one of the first radio supply stores in Los Angeles. On September 10, 1920, with parts from his store, Mr. Christian set up an amateur radio station with the call letters 6ADZ. At the time, the station was one of only two stations broadcasting music in Southern California. In 1922, Mr. Christian built a new 100-watt transmitter and

was given the call letters KNX, still used today. That year, the radio station started broadcasting a nightly newscast, one of the first heard in Los Angeles. The Los Angeles Times called the broadcast "one of the best in the land."

KNX quickly became known as "The Voice of Hollywood," an invaluable news resource for the community and the nation. KNX has a long and illustrious history in Southern California, predating the Hollywood Sign and the Rose Bowl stadium. In 1925, KNX provided what is thought to be the first accurate news coverage of the Santa Barbara earthquake. Five years later, in 1930, KNX became the first station to broadcast the Academy Awards. That timely, accurate reporting became its hallmark.

Over the last century, KNX has provided unwavering coverage of local and national news stories. In 1938, the station aired Orson Welles' infamous adaptation of "The War of the Worlds" from its new Columbia Square studio complex. That studio went on to host and record precedent-setting broadcasts, including performances by Lucille Ball, Frank Sinatra, and Bing Crosby. In 1968, a landmark year for KNX, the station provided comprehensive coverage of the Vietnam War protests and the assassination of Martin Luther King. The same year, KNX provided critical breaking news coverage of the assassination of Robert F. Kennedy, with live on-the-ground coverage from the Ambassador Hotel and Central Receiving Hospital.

Today, KNX, a national Edward R. Murrow award-winner for "Breaking News," continues its steadfast commitment to the community by providing instrumental coverage of local and national news stories, and in depth reporting and analysis on biggest issues facing all Southern Californians. That's why millions across Southern California tune in every day, whether they are just waking up or heading home from work, and everywhere in between.

The staff, from the producers to the reporters and anchors, who have worked tirelessly over the last century to serve their community deserve our thanks for their dedication and service for our community. KNX Radio Station is a pillar of Southern California, and I ask all Members to join me in congratulating KNX on the hundred-year anniversary of its founding.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE LIFE-SAVING SERVICE OF DR. LAURENT DUVERNAY-TARDIF, C.Q.

HON. EMANUEL CLEAVER

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. CLEAVER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the lifesaving service of Dr. Laurent Duvernay-Tardif. From his youth in Montreal to his football career in Kansas City, Dr. Duvernay-Tardif has proven himself to be

a hero in more ways than one. His story is timely; it is instructive; and it is extraordinary.

When Dr. Duvernay-Tardif helped bring the Lombardi Trophy back home to Kansas City after fifty long years, I did not think I could gain a deeper sense of admiration or gratitude for the Chiefs. Since then, however, that same sense of gratitude has grown even more profound. Today, it is my honor to join his teammates, Coach Andy Reid, and our great city in saying *Merci, Docteur Duvernay-Tardif*, for your vital and noble work fighting the deadly coronavirus pandemic on the frontlines.

From watching college lectures at half-speed with an English dictionary in hand, to working as an NFL lineman while earning a medical degree, Dr. Duvernay-Tardif has spent his whole life defying expectations. When he graduated from McGill University Faculty of Medicine in May 2018 with a doctorate in medicine and master's in surgery, it had already been four years since he was drafted into the NFL just after assisting an emergency C-section. Since joining the NFL, he has worked overnights at the hospital, slept in the locker room wearing his scrubs, and never stopped putting forth the utmost effort for his team—whether under stadium lights or fluorescent medical lamps. Moreover, he has stepped up to make football a safer sport with his presence on the NFL's Health and Safety Committee and given back to his community through the LDT Foundation. And, of course, he also helped deliver a historic win to a grateful city. As I consider Dr. Duvernay-Tardif's remarkable story, I see an athlete in the O.R. and a surgeon on the field. In both, I see an indomitable spirit.

And when the world called upon a new breed of soldier to fight an invisible threat, Dr. Duvernay-Tardif answered that call without hesitation. Even before securing a position at a healthcare facility, he was using his platform and expertise to inform and educate. Now, as an orderly at a long-term care facility, he is doing the unglamorous, lifesaving work of caring for and protecting those most vulnerable to this virus. Recently, in order to continue this critical work, he became the first professional football player to opt-out of the upcoming season. Like him, I support every player's personal decision on the matter. However, I must say that I see in his decision the same young man who, on a year-long sailing expedition, used to be summoned at midnight to take the helm while his family slept. He knows what it means to sail in the darkness of night, when there is nothing to guide you but your own radar.

As a Chiefs super-fan, as a citizen, as one of millions across the globe staring down this specter, it is my honor to express in this forum how proud Dr. Duvernay-Tardif continues to make all of us in Kansas City. He guarded Patrick Mahomes, and now, he is guarding all of us. Madam Speaker, please join me and my constituents in Missouri's 5th District in wishing Dr. Duvernay-Tardif safety, health, and good fortune as he serves his community during this pandemic. I also want to assure

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him and his colleagues across the country that I will do everything I can to be a voice for the urgent needs of the medical community in the halls of Congress. In fact, let us all join in that pledge. Heroes like Dr. Duvernay-Tardif are on the line, helmet-to-helmet with this threat, standing between us and total catastrophe. They are guarding us so that we can do our jobs. It is the end of the fourth quarter, we have no more time-outs, and our team has come to a standstill. We have had a play on the books since May, and it is time to put it in the field because time is running out. Dr. Duvernay-Tardif is fighting for our lives. It is time we had his back.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. MICHAEL K. SIMPSON

OF IDAHO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. SIMPSON. Madam Speaker, for personal reasons, I was unable to vote on September 14, 2020.

Had I been present, I would have voted yea on Roll Call No. 183, and yea on Roll Call No. 184.

HONORING MR. ROBERT REILLY

HON. MAX ROSE

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. ROSE of New York. Madam Speaker, I would like to acknowledge today the efforts of Robert Reilly, who throughout this turbulent year has gone out of his way to support his workforce at RTR Financial on Staten Island. It is well known within RTR Financial that when you work for Mr. Reilly you become part of the family; he often says that “family comes first.”

During the early months of pandemic, Mr. Reilly exemplified these values by ensuring that every single employee had their needs met. He became an early adopter of remote-work to keep his employees safe, and invested in his employees to make sure they were properly equipped for this new environment. Mr. Reilly's kindness did not stop there, for he continues to support his workplace family through the transition back to the office. Robert has consistently reassured his employees as well as keeping them informed about local testing initiatives.

Packages of sanitizer and other safety equipment are given to employees weekly, and Mr. Reilly has allowed many to continue their remote-work indefinitely. I want to thank him for setting a positive example and for proving that the best way for businesses to navigate these tough times is by investing in the safety and well-being of their employees.

HONORING THE SERVICE AND SACRIFICE OF SOUTH FLORIDA'S FIRST RESPONDERS

HON. THEODORE E. DEUTCH

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. DEUTCH. Madam Speaker, today, I rise to honor South Florida's first responders, as they continue to serve our communities through these unprecedented times.

As we all know too well, the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a global pandemic on March 11, 2020. In response, many states and municipalities imposed restrictions and closures on business and individual activities to reduce the spread of the virus. Despite taking these drastic, yet necessary, steps, the virus struck South Florida much harder than other areas of the state.

Putting themselves at great personal risk, our first responders have been the first line of defense for our communities during the COVID health crisis; even as they continued to fight fires, handle emergency health situations, and keep our communities safe.

That is why I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring our first responders, and their service and sacrifice to our communities. We owe them all a great debt of gratitude.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. TOM O' HALLERAN

OF ARIZONA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. O'HALLERAN. Madam Speaker, on September 14, 2020, I did not have a chance to cast my vote for two bills on the floor of the House of Representatives. I would have voted in favor of H.R. 4894, the Congressional Budget Justification Transparency Act of 2020, and S. 2193, the CHARGE Act.

CELEBRATING MR. ARLIN PATTERSON'S 95TH BIRTHDAY

HON. MO BROOKS

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mr. BROOKS of Alabama. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Arlin Patterson on the occasion of his 95th birthday.

Arlin Patterson, or Pat, as he is lovingly called, was born on November 28, 1925 in Memphis, Tennessee. At eighteen, he graduated from Messick High School and enrolled at Memphis State College. Shortly after, World War II interrupted his education and on January 7, 1944, Pat was drafted into the U.S. Navy.

Pat began his training as a signalman in Samson, New York. He went on to serve as the personal signalman to two Commodores on the USS *Flint* and served on the maiden voyage of the USS *Amsterdam*. While serving on the USS *Amsterdam*, he participated in the shelling of Tokyo, Honshu, Muroran, and Hokkaido. Finally, on September 2, 1945, the USS *Amsterdam* arrived in Tokyo Bay and

was moored next to the USS *Missouri*, where the surrender of Japan took place just the day before.

After the war, Pat returned to Memphis State College and, in 1950, graduated with honors in Business Administration. While there, Pat also served as the President to the Phi Kappa Alpha Fraternity and was nominated to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities—the highest honor that can be bestowed on a Memphis State College student.

After college, Pat worked as a salesman and actively served in The Exchange Club, Memphis Sales Managers Club, and the Children's Health Center. He went on to receive the Distinguished Service Award in 1951 and 1953. Later in his life, Pat opened his own business, Business Products, Incorporated, and in 2011, the Memphis City Council proclaimed April 16th the Mr. Pat Patterson Day in honor of his exemplary service during World War II.

Pat and his wife, Joyce, have always been active in their local church, where Pat served as an usher, Sunday School teacher, and financial leader of the church. In 2018, Pat and Joyce, moved to Huntsville, Alabama and became involved with Honored Legacies for Veterans. As a result, the Madison, Alabama Rotary Club presented Pat with the Veteran of the Week honor in the newspaper.

Madam Speaker, Pat Patterson's work ethic, mental and physical stamina, and passion for service embody the “greatest generation.”

I wish Pat and his entire family the very best as they celebrate Pat's 95th birthday.

IN RECOGNITION OF GEORGE CATHEY

HON. VICKY HARTZLER

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Mrs. HARTZLER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and commend George Cathey for his distinguishing and exemplar service during the Revolutionary War. George Cathey was a volunteer soldier that, like many of our soldiers today, embodied the courage and bravery that is reflected in our American spirit.

George Cathey served three times in the Revolutionary War; first as a Private, and later as both a Lieutenant and Captain. He fought in the skirmishes at Big Bear Town, Silver Creek and Ransoms Ford, and later in the battle of Cowpens.

When this Nation's freedom was secure, George Cathey was later granted a pension in 1833 while living in Cooper County, Missouri, with his wife Margaret and their ten children. George Cathey later died on December 14, 1840, at age 85. However, his legacy lives on through our enduring freedoms that we still maintain today.

As we approach our Nation's 250th Birthday, it is only fitting that we honor those who fought for our freedom. George Cathey is one of those soldiers and today, we honor his legacy of freedom we all enjoy.