

Saxton	Snyder	Udall (NM)
Schiff	Sodrel	Upton
Schmidt	Souder	Van Hollen
Schwartz (PA)	Spratt	Visclosky
Schwarz (MI)	Stearns	Walden (OR)
Scott (GA)	Stupak	Walsh
Sensenbrenner	Sullivan	Wamp
Sessions	Tancredo	Weldon (FL)
Shadegg	Tanner	Weldon (PA)
Shaw	Tauscher	Weller
Shays	Taylor (MS)	Westmoreland
Sherman	Taylor (NC)	Whitfield
Sherwood	Terry	Wicker
Shimkus	Thomas	Wilson (NM)
Shuster	Thompson (CA)	Wilson (SC)
Simmons	Thompson (MS)	Wolf
Simpson	Thornberry	Wu
Slaughter	Tiahrt	Wynn
Smith (NJ)	Tiberi	Young (AK)
Smith (TX)	Turner	Young (FL)
Smith (WA)	Udall (CO)	

NAYS—65

Abercrombie	Lee	Pelosi
Ackerman	Levin	Rangel
Baldwin	Lewis (GA)	Rothman
Capps	Lofgren, Zoe	Rush
Capuano	Maloney	Sánchez, Linda
Carson	Markey	T.
Conyers	McDermott	Sanders
DeGette	McGovern	Schakowsky
Delahunt	Meehan	Scott (VA)
DeLauro	Meeks (NY)	Serrano
Farr	Michaud	Solis
Frank (MA)	Miller, George	Stark
Grijalva	Moore (WI)	Tierney
Gutierrez	Moran (VA)	Towns
Hastings (FL)	Nadler	Velázquez
Hinchee	Napolitano	Waters
Holt	Neal (MA)	Watson
Honda	Olver	Waxman
Jackson (IL)	Owens	Weiner
Jackson-Lee	Pallone	Wexler
(TX)	Pascarell	Woolsey
Kucinich	Pastor	
Lantos	Payne	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—2

Green, Al	Watt
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NOT VOTING—18

Culberson	Filner	Skelton
Davis (FL)	Ford	Strickland
Davis (IL)	Fossella	Sweeney
Deal (GA)	Harris	Wasserman
Duncan	Kilpatrick (MI)	Schultz
Emerson	McKinney	
Evans	Radanovich	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. REHBERG) (during the vote). The Chair announces that the time for resumption of proceedings on House Concurrent Resolution 190 and on H.R. 4944 is re-designated as tomorrow. After completion of the electronic vote now in progress, no other votes are planned for today.

□ 1926

Ms. PELOSI and Ms. CARSON and Messrs. LANTOS, TOWNS, HASTINGS of Florida, DELAHUNT, ROTHMAN, MORAN of Virginia and RANGEL changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Ms. ESHOO and Messrs. MARSHALL, OBERSTAR, KENNEDY of Rhode Island, REYNOLDS and CROWLEY changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

Mr. CAPUANO changed his vote from "present" to "nay."

So (two-thirds of those voting having responded in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:
 Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, personal business requires my presence in the congressional district, and I am unable to be present for legislative business scheduled for today, Tuesday, March 14, 2006. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on H. Con. Res. 354, a resolution expressing the support of Congress for requiring an institution of higher education to provide military recruiters access to the institution's campus and students at least equal in quality and scope to that which is provided to any other employer in order to be eligible for the receipt of certain Federal funds (rollcall No. 39).

Mr. FILNER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 39, on H. Con. Res. 354, I was en route from my Congressional District on official business. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 4857

Mr. DICKS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to have my name withdrawn as a cosponsor of H.R. 4857.

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

There was no objection.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF INTENTION TO OFFER MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES ON H.R. 4297, TAX RELIEF EXTENSION RECONCILIATION ACT OF 2005

Mr. TANNER. Mr. Speaker, under rule XXII, clause 7(c), I hereby announce my intention to offer a motion to instruct on H.R. 4297, the tax reconciliation conference report.

The form of the motion is as follows:

I move that the managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the Senate amendment to the bill H.R. 4297 be instructed, to the maximum extent possible within the scope of conference, to insist on a conference report which will neither increase the Federal budget deficit nor increase the amount of the debt subject to the public debt limit.

REPUBLICAN RECORD ON NATIONAL SECURITY

(Ms. PRYCE of Ohio asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, as Members of Congress, our first responsibility is to protect our country from all of those who wish to harm us. House Republicans have built a record of action on national security issues, supporting our military, providing for a strong national defense, and aggressively prosecuting the war on terror.

The PATRIOT Act that the President signed last week will give our law enforcement personnel the tools that they really need to continue to keep our Nation safe from terrorist threats. This week, we will take up another very important national security bill, the supplemental appropriations bill to fund the war on terror.

This bill provides for essential tools for our troops, such as armored Humvees and tracking vehicles, training for Iraqi and Afghani security forces, and it has increased oversight of war expenditures to ensure that taxpayers' dollars are spent wisely.

House Republicans remain committed to giving our troops the resources they need and funding, fighting, and winning the war on terror. We will continue to meet our obligation to defend our Nation from every threat, at home and abroad.

□ 1930

NEW SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

(Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California. Mr. Speaker, today I rise to reintroduce the "Expand and Rebuild America's Schools Act," H.R. 4945.

This important piece of legislation would create a class of bonds that would provide for much-needed construction of new schools. The bonds will be targeted to help overcrowded, high growth rate schools that are struggling to provide a learning space for their students.

To be eligible to participate in this program, schools must be able to fulfill certain requirements: Schools must seek out more assistance from local, private businesses and corporations through public-private partnerships; they must demonstrate that programs to alleviate overcrowding have already been implemented; and they must have high growth rates and high teacher-to-student ratios.

My bill will help schools with limited financial resources combat their major overcrowding problems, and help stop the continuing infrastructure crisis in our schools.

If passed, this bill will provide local school districts with a real incentive to pass their own local school construction bonds. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this new school construction by cosponsoring the Expand and Rebuild America's Schools Act.

COMMENDING NORTH CAROLINA'S EIGHTH DISTRICT AMERICAN IDOL FINALISTS

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

Mr. HAYES. Mr. Speaker, I am proud to announce that not one but two talented individuals from the Eighth Congressional District of North Carolina have made it to the final 12 on the hit show "American Idol." Stanly County's Kellie Pickler and Richmond County's Bucky Covington are using their God-given talents to compete and make their dreams come true. Both Kellie and Bucky's communities are