

THE RECOGNITION OF 25 YEARS OF SERVICE AWARDS FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HON. ROBERT A. BRADY

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 18, 2007

Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate and recognize outstanding employees of the Officers of the U.S. House of Representatives (Clerk of the House, Chief Administrative Officer, Inspector General, and Sergeant at Arms) who have completed 25 years or more of service to the U.S. House of Representatives.

In any organization, the most important resource is its dedicated employees, and without these employees, failure is certain. The employees we recognize today are acknowledged and commended for their hard work, contributions, and support of House Members, their staffs and constituents, and the overall operations of the House. These people have accomplished a great many things in a wide range of activities, and the House of Representatives, Members, staff, and the general public are better served because of them. The individuals we honor today have collectively provided 3,896 years of service to the U.S. House of Representatives:

Employee, officer, years of service: Maura P. Kelly, Clerk of the House, 50; Doris Boyd, Sergeant at Arms, 42; Ben J. Vann, Chief Administrative Officer, 40; Jerry L. Gallegos, Chief Administrative Officer, 40; Christine Stewart, Chief Administrative Officer, 38; Patricia A. Madson, Clerk of the House, 38; Gerald E. Bennett, Chief Administrative Officer, 38; James L. Newsome, Chief Administrative Officer, 37; Sue E. Dean, Clerk of the House, 36; Rodric J. Myers, Sergeant at Arms, 35; Deborah A. Bates, Chief Administrative Officer, 35; Janice L. Glosson, Clerk of the House, 35; Dane Stalbaum, Chief Administrative Officer, 35; Donna G. Downs, Clerk of the House, 34; Paul F. Lozito, Chief Administrative Officer, 34.

Bobby R. Small, Chief Administrative Officer, 34; H.D. Engel, Sergeant at Arms, 34; Lea Fowlie, Chief Administrative Officer, 33; Donald W. Reedy, Chief Administrative Officer, 33; Gloria J. Washington, Chief Administrative Officer, 33; Flora A. Posey, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; Caroline Klemp, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; Richard R. Villa, Sergeant at Arms, 32; Elliot C. Chabot, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; Elaine Comer, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; David J. First, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; Eric C. King, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; Daniel H. Ertel, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; William P. Sims, Sergeant at Arms, 32; George R. Cannon, Chief Administrative Officer, 32.

Karen F. Forriest, Sergeant at Arms, 32; Marion M. Pacic, Chief Administrative Officer, 32; Kelly D. Patrick, Sergeant at Arms, 32; Marie E. Higgs, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Alice B. Bridges, Clerk of the House, 31; Sharyn B. Alexander, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Charles R. McCall, Jr., Clerk of the House, 31; Richard N. Hughes, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Stanton Sechler, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Wendell E. Twombly, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Donald T.

Kellaher, Sergeant at Arms, 31; Robert L. Stallings, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Bridget A. Cox, Chief Administrative Officer, 31; Deborah M. Spriggs, Clerk of the House, 30; Vincent L. Marcum, Jr., Chief Administrative Officer, 30.

Charles D. Roche, Sergeant at Arms, 30; Stefan L. Rusnak, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; James M. Garrott, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Joe D. Berg, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Frank H. Jones, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Newton B. Pendergraph, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; John P. Mooney, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Trevera R. Jackson, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Mark D. O'Sullivan, Clerk of the House, 30; Alessandro Cusati, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Cathy J. Kell, Chief Administrative Officer, 30; Michael J. Arceneaux, Clerk of the House, 30; Peyton J. Jackson, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Peggy C. Sampson, Clerk of the House, 29; John F. Kelliher, Sergeant at Arms, 29.

Jaqueline L. Hurda, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Carnelius Thomas, Clerk of the House, 29; Michael K. Allen, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Frederick J. Masheter, Jr., Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Arden Moser, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Robert W. Warnick, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; John T. Lewis, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Douglas C. Toms, Clerk of the House, 29; Ronny K. VanDyke, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; John T. Whitmyer, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; William M. Cox, Clerk of the House, 29; Pearl J. Mangrum, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Lois A. Cortese, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Thomas K. Hanrahan, Clerk of the House, 29; Stephen E. Pingeton, Clerk of the House, 29.

Joseph P. Coppa, Chief Administrative Officer, 29; Joseph A. Lee, Sergeant at Arms, 29; Matthew F. Cizek, Clerk of the House, 28; Patricia N. Smith, Clerk of the House, 28; Willie M. Roane, Chief Administrative Officer, 28; Teresa A. Rowe, Chief Administrative Officer, 28; Alfreda L. Horton, Chief Administrative Officer, 28; Cookie Clark-Henry, Sergeant at Arms, 28; Peter Shipman, Chief Administrative Officer, 28; Patrick H. Pettis, Sergeant at Arms, 28; Timothy A. Claggett, Chief Administrative Officer, 28; Horace E. Hamlin, Sergeant at Arms, 28; Russell A. Malone, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Edwarda P. Moore, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Alvin C. Thompson, Chief Administrative Officer, 27.

Lorraine C. Miller, Clerk of the House, 27; Louis A. Constantino, Sergeant at Arms, 27; Alfred R. Powers, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Stephen P. Mathis, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Ted Daniel, Sergeant at Arms, 27; Sheila L. Roscoe, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; David W. Roth, Clerk of the House, 27; Thomas D'Amico, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; John P. Long, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Mary K. Niland, Clerk of the House, 27; Melissa K. Franger, Sergeant at Arms, 27; Patricia C. Nuzzo, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Ronnie W. Reed, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Nicarsia K. Mayes, Sergeant at Arms, 27; George D. Moore, Jr., Chief Administrative Officer, 27.

Willie C. Williams, Sergeant at Arms, 27; Sandra M. Rubio-Marrero, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Kevin N. Chambers, Chief Administrative Officer, 27; Charles M. McGee, Clerk of the House, 26; Helene M. Flanagan, Chief Administrative Officer, 26; Frederick H.

Bowles, Jr., Chief Administrative Officer, 26; Philip Melvin, Chief Administrative Officer, 26; Sandra F. Durham, Chief Administrative Officer, 26; Gail P. Davis, Chief Administrative Officer, 26; Anthony A. Thompson, Chief Administrative Officer, 26; Timothy W. Babcock, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; John M. Wright, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Lewis L. Maiden III, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; John L. Carter, Jr., Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Jeanne M. Mershon, Sergeant at Arms, 25.

Roland S. Janifer, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Janet H. DiMatteo, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Bernestine Kea, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Leslie D. Henderson, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Floyd M. Johnson, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Andrew W. Straughan, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Thomas K. McGarry, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Annette G. Brown, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Su-Hwa Chang, Chief Administrative Officer, 25; Standley Brady, Sergeant at Arms, 25.

On behalf of the entire House community, I extend congratulations and once again recognize and thank these employees for their commitment to the U.S. House of Representatives as a whole, and to their respective House Officers in particular. Their long hours and hard work are invaluable, and they have set an example for other employees to share in their dedication and commitment, and to follow in their footsteps. I celebrate our honorees and celebrate the importance of their public service.

RECOGNIZING REVEREND DOCTOR WALLACE S. HARTSFIELD

HON. EMANUEL CLEAVER

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, September 18, 2007

Mr. CLEAVER. Madam Speaker, I proudly rise today in recognition of the great accomplishments of Reverend Doctor Wallace S. Hartsfield, Sr., a minister, dedicated community activist, civil servant, compassionate role model, and a member of the Fifth District of Missouri which I am deeply honored to represent. Reverend Hartsfield retires as Senior Pastor of the Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church on January 1, 2008 after more than 40 years of service to Metropolitan and more than 55 years as a minister of God. He will be succeeded by his son, Dr. Wallace S. Hartsfield II.

Our community also rises on this occasion to honor his civic contribution in the renaming of the Parkway Post Office in an area he serves. This is a fitting tribute to Reverend Hartsfield whose legacy continues in his ministry, teachings, and goodwill. The Post Office building, whose new designation will officially bear his name, will celebrate Reverend Hartsfield's spirit and leadership at 4320 Blue Parkway, Kansas City, Missouri 64130.

Reverend Hartsfield was an only child, born to the late Ruby Morrisette in Atlanta, Georgia, on November 12, 1929. He served a 3-year tour of duty with the United States Army before receiving a bachelor of arts degree from Clark College in Atlanta, now Clark Atlanta University, in 1954. He went on to earn a master of divinity degree from Gammon