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Adventure Theatre was founded by a group of women who believed that children deserve to experience outstanding theater. Over the next six decades, Adventure Theatre has become a nationally-recognized, state-of-the-art theater.

At its gala anniversary celebration that is being held tonight, the Past Presidents of the Board of Directors are being presented with the 2012 Spirit of Adventure Award. This award commends these leaders for their creative spirits and successful guidance of this extraordinary theater. I am delighted to express my appreciation to them for all that they have done to enhance and enrich our community.

I congratulate Adventure Theatre on its 60th anniversary and encourage my colleagues to bring family and friends to enjoy an Adventure Theatre production. You will have an experience that you will long remember.

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IN HONOR OF SUSAN A. McCLOUD

**HON. SAM FARR**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, April 16, 2012*

Mr. FARR. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the career of Susan A. McCloud, who retires as the longest-serving Mayor of Car-

mel-by-the-Sea, California, on April 17, 2012. Sue was born in Connecticut to Walter and Gladys McCloud. Her family moved to Carmel when she was in elementary school and she lives now in the same house her parents bought. We both shared the joys of growing up in Carmel, attending Sunset Elementary and Carmel High School. Sue earned her B.A. in Political Science at Stanford University, attended the Graduate Institute of International Studies in Geneva, Switzerland, and graduated from The National War College in Washington, D.C.

In the early 1960's Sue worked as the Special Assistant and interpreter to Richard C. Zellerbach, who was deaf, while he was Acting Chairman of the Board of the Crown Zellerbach Corporation and head of the Zellerbach family foundations. She also assisted with the organization of the family vineyard, Hanzell, in Sonoma, California. From 1963 to 1994 Sue served our nation with the Central Intelligence Agency in France, England, Japan, Switzerland and Sweden. She was named C.I.A. Chief of Station in two of those countries, and retired as a member of the Senior Intelligence Service.

While in the C.I.A. Sue worked with policy levels of foreign governments and served as an advisor to several U.S. Ambassadors, worked on task forces to address long-term planning for the post-Cold War C.I.A. and the greater U.S. Intelligence Community, and headed up the Aldrich Ames damage assessment team.

Upon retiring in 1994 she moved back to her roots, Carmel-by-the-Sea, and immediately got down to work. She was on the Board of Director of Monterey Institute of International Studies and chaired its Planning Committee, was a member of the Carmel Planning Commission and the Board of the Carmel Music Society. In 1998 Sue joined the Monterey Regional Waste Management District and also was elected to the Carmel City Council. She became Director of the M.R.W.M.D. and continues to this day as vice chair. She was elected Mayor of Carmel-by-the-Sea in 2000 and was re-elected four times, becoming the longest-serving Mayor of our town.

How can I begin to thank her for all her years of public service? She has won so many awards: the 2009 Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce Ruth Vreeland Memorial "Public Official of the Year", 2000 Lincoln Club of Northern California Ten Most Effective Women Legislators, C.I.A.'s Intelligence Medal of Merit, Donovan Award for Excellence (given in memory of the founder of the Office of Strategic Services.) I am always mindful of the talent that has come from our area, and she is one of our nation's best.

Mr. Speaker, I know I speak for the whole House as I commend Mayor Sue McCloud for all she has done and all she will undoubtedly continue to do. I extend my most sincere thanks and warmest wishes for her success and much happiness in her retirement.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, April 17, 2012 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED  
APRIL 18

9:30 a.m.  
Appropriations  
Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2013 for the United States Forest Service. SD-124

10 a.m.  
Environment and Public Works  
To hold an oversight hearing to examine the General Services Administration (GSA). SD-406

Foreign Relations  
To receive a closed briefing on an intelligence update on Iran and Syria. SVC-217

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold hearings to examine effective strategies for accelerated learning. SD-430

Judiciary  
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of James Xavier Dempsey, of California, Elisebeth Collins Cook, of Illinois, Rachel L. Brand, of Iowa, David Medine, of Maryland, to be Chairman, and Patricia M. Wald, of the District of Columbia, all to be a Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board. SD-226

Small Business and Entrepreneurship  
To hold hearings to examine perspectives from the entrepreneurial ecosystem, focusing on creating jobs and growing businesses through entrepreneurship. SR-428A

Commerce, Science, and Transportation  
Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety, and Security Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine protecting commuters, focusing on ensuring accountability and oversight in tolling. SR-253

10:30 a.m.  
Appropriations  
Department of Defense Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2013 for the Missile Defense Agency. SD-192

2 p.m.  
Budget  
Business meeting to consider the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2013. SD-608

Finance  
International Trade, Customs, and Global Competitiveness Subcommittee  
To hold a hearing to examine the Asia Pacific, focusing on trade opportunities for agriculture and food producers from the Great Plains to the Pacific Northwest. SD-215

Aging  
To hold hearings to examine the future of long-term care, focusing on saving money by serving seniors. SH-216

2:15 p.m.  
Foreign Relations  
African Affairs Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine the United States policy response to entrenched African leadership. SD-419

2:30 p.m.  
Appropriations  
Financial Service and General Government Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine the General Services Administration, focusing on a review of the recent Inspector General management deficiency report and an assessment of the fiscal year 2013 General Services Administration (GSA) funding request. SD-138

Armed Services  
Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine financial management and business transformation at the Department of Defense. SD-G50

Armed Services  
Strategic Forces Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine the National Security Administration management of its National Security Laboratories. SR-222

Intelligence  
To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters. SH-219

APRIL 19

9:30 a.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
To hold hearings to examine the impacts of sea level rise on domestic energy and water infrastructure. SD-366

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Joseph G. Jordan, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator for Federal Procurement Policy, Executive Office of the President. SD-342

Armed Services  
SeaPower Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine Navy shipbuilding programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program. SR-232A

10 a.m.  
Foreign Relations  
To hold hearings to examine Syria, focusing on United States policy options. SD-419

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold hearings to examine delays in OSHA's standard-setting process and the impact on worker safety. SD-430

Judiciary  
Business meeting to consider the nominations of William J. Kayatta, Jr., of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, John Thomas Fowlkes, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Tennessee, Kevin McNulty, and Michael A. Shipp, both to be a United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, Stephanie Marie Rose, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Iowa, Michael P. Shea, of Connecticut, to be United States District Judge for the District of Connecticut, Gonzalo P. Curiel, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, and Robert J. Shelby, of Utah, to be United States District Judge for the District of Utah. SD-226

2 p.m.  
Appropriations  
Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2013 for the Food and Drug Administration. SD-124

2:15 p.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine S. 1684, to amend the Indian Tribal Energy Development and Self-Determination Act of 2005. SD-628

APRIL 24

2:30 p.m.  
Armed Services  
Airland Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine tactical aircraft programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program. SR-232A

APRIL 25

10 a.m.  
Finance  
To hold hearings to examine tax reform, focusing on what it means for state and local tax and fiscal policy. SD-215

Veterans' Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine Veterans' Affairs mental health care, focusing on evaluating access and assessing care. SD-138

2 p.m.  
Armed Services  
Personnel Subcommittee  
To resume hearings to examine the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program. SD-106

2:30 p.m.  
Armed Services  
Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine current readiness of U.S. forces in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program. SR-232A