

Moore (NC)	Rutherford	Thompson (PA)
Moore (UT)	Salazar	Tiffany
Moore (WV)	Scalise	Timmons
Moran	Schmidt	Turner (OH)
Murphy	Schweikert	Valadao
Newhouse	Scott, Austin	Van Drew
Norman	Self	Van Dwyne
Nunn (IA)	Sessions	Van Orden
Obernolte	Shreve	Wagner
Ogles	Simpson	Walberg
Onder	Smith (MO)	Weber (TX)
Owens	Smith (NE)	Webster (FL)
Palmer	Smith (NJ)	Westerman
Perez	Smucker	Wied
Perry	Spartz	Williams (TX)
Pfleger	Stauber	Wilson (SC)
Reschenthaler	Steil	Wittman
Rogers (AL)	Steube	Womack
Rogers (KY)	Strong	Yakym
Rouzer	Stutzman	Zinke
Roy	Taylor	
Rulli	Tenney	

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Adams	Garcia (TX)	Pallone
Aguilar	Gillen	Panetta
Amo	Goldman (NY)	Pappas
Ansari	Gomez	Pelosi
Auchincloss	Goodlander	Peters
Balint	Gottheimer	Pingree
Barragán	Green, Al (TX)	Pocan
Bell	Harder (CA)	Pou
Bera	Hayes	Pressley
Beyer	Himes	Quigley
Bishop	Horsford	Ramirez
Bonamici	Houlihan	Randall
Boyle (PA)	Hoyer	Raskin
Brown	Hoyle (OR)	Riley (NY)
Brownley	Huffman	Rivas
Budzinski	Ivey	Ross
Bynum	Jackson (IL)	Ruiz
Carbajal	Jacobs	Ryan
Carson	Jayapal	Salinas
Carter (LA)	Jeffries	Sánchez
Casar	Johnson (GA)	Scanlon
Case	Johnson (TX)	Schakowsky
Casten	Kamlager-Dove	Schneider
Castor (FL)	Kaptur	Scholten
Castro (TX)	Keating	Schrier
Cherfilus-	Kelly (IL)	Scott (VA)
McCormick	Kennedy (NY)	Scott, David
Chu	Khanna	Sewell
Cisneros	Krishnamoorthi	Sherman
Clark (MA)	Landsman	Sherrill
Clarke (NY)	Larsen (WA)	Simon
Cleaver	Larson (CT)	Smith (WA)
Clyburn	Latimer	Sorensen
Cohen	Lee (NV)	Soto
Conaway	Lee (PA)	Stansbury
Connolly	Leger Fernandez	Stanton
Correa	Levin	Stevens
Costa	Liccardo	Strickland
Courtney	Lieu	Subramanyam
Craig	Lofgren	Suozzi
Crockett	Lynch	Swalwell
Crow	Magaziner	Sykes
Davids (KS)	Mannion	Takano
Davis (IL)	Matsui	Thanedar
Davis (NC)	McBath	Thompson (CA)
Dean (PA)	McBride	Thompson (MS)
DeGette	McClain Delaney	Titus
DeLauro	McClellan	Tlaib
DeBene	McCollum	Tokuda
Deluzio	McGarvey	Tonko
DeSaulnier	McGovern	Torres (CA)
Dexter	McIver	Torres (NY)
Dingell	Meeks	Trahan
Doggett	Menendez	Tran
Elfreth	Meng	Turner (TX)
Escobar	Mfume	Underwood
Espallat	Min	Vargas
Evans (PA)	Moore (WI)	Vasquez
Fields	Morelle	Veasey
Figures	Morrison	Velázquez
Fitzpatrick	Moskowitz	Vindman
Fletcher	Moulton	Wasserman
Foster	Mrvan	Schultz
Foushee	Nadler	Waters
Frankel, Lois	Neal	Watson Coleman
Friedman	Neguse	Whitesides
Frost	Norcross	Williams (GA)
Garamendi	Ocasio-Cortez	Wilson (FL)
Garcia (CA)	Olszewski	
Garcia (IL)	Omar	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

Beatty

NOT VOTING—6

Grijalva	Nehls	Rose
Mullin	Pettersen	Stefanik

□ 1643

Ms. TLAIB and Mr. VEASEY changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

So the joint resolution was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated against:

Mrs. BEATTY. Mr. Speaker, during Roll Call No. 52 and H.J. Res. 35, I mistakenly recorded my vote as present when I should have voted nay.

□ 1645

MOMENT OF SILENCE HONORING MARTIN SHIELDS, JR.

(Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Mr. Speaker, I am joined by my colleagues from Mississippi mourning the tragic loss of Mississippi's Hinds County Deputy Sheriff Martin Shields, Jr., a dedicated public servant who gave his life in the line of duty late Sunday night while responding to a domestic call.

Deputy Shields, just 37 years of age, devoted his career to protecting and serving the people of Mississippi.

Before joining the Hinds County Sheriff's Office, he served with distinction in the Jackson Police Department, Jackson State University Police Department, and the Ridgeland Police Department.

At every step, Deputy Shields wore his badge with dignity, courage, and a commitment to justice. Beyond the uniform, he was a husband, father, and friend, respected by his coworkers and his community.

Deputy Shields leaves behind a grieving wife and a 12-year-old daughter, who must now navigate life without him.

This tragic loss is a solemn reminder of the risks law enforcement officers take daily to protect us. We must continue to advocate for the resources, support, and protection needed to ensure that they can do their jobs safely.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that we now observe a moment of silence in honor of Deputy Martin Shields, Jr.

HOUR OF MEETING ON TOMORROW

Mr. McCORMICK. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HAMADEH of Arizona). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Georgia?

There was no objection.

HONORING NICOLE SCHMITT

(Mr. NUNN of Iowa asked and was given permission to address the House

for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. NUNN of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of the extraordinary work delivered by Nicole Schmitt, our director of operations and scheduler, where she directed a dynamic and highly effective professional team to help recruit and supervise our congressional team.

During her tenure, Nicole executed on a number of top-tier engagements, including meetings for foreign heads of state, national travel, and managing the 2025 Presidential inauguration event for approximately 500 Iowans who came to our Nation's Capital.

Further, Nicole provided pivotal help to our team as she worked across stakeholders at the State and the Federal levels, earning our office the top 10 most bipartisan team in Congress.

Equally, Nicole helped organize a series of after-hours Capitol tours where she joined me, having to suffer through not only the history of this place but adding her own insights.

I thank Nicole very much for teaching us about the chandelier on the Titanic now in the Senate Chambers.

I also want to express our sincere gratitude for leaders like Nicole who came from Iowa to serve in our Nation's Capitol. She serves not only as an inspiration but has been an intricate part of our team.

While we are sad to lose her, we are glad the Hawkeye State gets to have a little bit more time with Nicole.

From my family to hers, I thank her for all she does for our country. I really appreciate it.

FIRED BY PRESIDENT TRUMP

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

Ms. LOFGREN. Mr. Speaker, I rise to share the story of a Federal scientist, in their own words, who was fired by President Trump and Elon Musk.

I was a Laboratory Leadership Service, LLS, fellow. We are a group of 24 Ph.D. scientists in the LLS program at the CDC. Almost all of the fellows in our program were terminated. LLS fellows have been instrumental in the past by responding to combat public health outbreaks like Ebola. Likewise, my current fellows and I have helped protect the United States from new and emerging infections within the past year. This has directly affected our outbreak response work.

Really? We are firing the people who keep Ebola from the country?

These senseless firings have to stop. If you were fired from a Federal science agency, if your cutting-edge science research was destroyed and cut, we want to hear your story. You can share it at the website for the House Science Committee Democrats.

RECOGNIZING JUDIE KENT

(Mr. HARIDOPOLOS asked and was given permission to address the House

for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. HARIDOPOLOS. Mr. Speaker, I offer good news today. I rise to honor the extraordinary bravery of Judie Kent, a young woman and nurse from my district in Vero Beach, Florida.

This past week, Judie's quick thinking and courageous actions saved the life of a motorcyclist and father of five who was struck by a car on his way to work.

As she drove past the scene, Judie instinctively pulled over and used her incredible medical knowledge to administer critical aid. Her swift response stabilized his wounds, and she is credited with saving the man's leg and possibly even his life.

It is selfless acts like these that exemplify the best of our community, and I am honored to recognize Judie's heroism today.

Mr. Speaker, it is a privilege to share her story, and I thank her for her amazing service and resolve.

HONORING JOHN CROMAN

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

Ms. OMAR. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the distinguished career of John Croman, an extraordinary member of our community and a political reporter.

John retired from his role as chief political reporter for KARE 11 after nearly 27 years of dedicated service, bringing Minnesotans reliable, informative, and timely political news.

Those who worked closely with John admired his wealth of knowledge about Minnesota politics and history and refer to him as the contact, and the context, for every story.

John was praised for his commitment to reporting on policy over fleeting trends of the moment and also for his tireless commitment for reporting the truth. He also brought joy to his colleagues and injected it into his work every single day.

We will miss his reporting and wish him well in his retirement.

HONORING MARINE CORPS AIR STATION CHERRY POINT

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

Mr. MURPHY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor and recognize Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point in Havelock, North Carolina, for being named the Marine Corps Air Station of the Year.

This is the second year in the row they have received such an award, displaying their persistent and continuous excellence.

Established in 1942, Cherry Point has grown to be the largest Marine Corps air station in the United States, occu-

pying more than 29,000 acres of land in eastern North Carolina and controlling 9,000 square miles of airspace.

It is home to the 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing and Fleet Readiness Center East. Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point is one of the best all-weather jet bases in the world.

This prestigious award is a testament to the performance and dedication of our marines. I am grateful to our brave servicemembers and their families, who sacrifice so much to protect us and our great Nation.

It is my honor to represent Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point and its proud community.

Practice, persistence, and preparation is what safeguards our Nation's freedom.

I congratulate the marines for this well-deserved recognition. May God bless all of those serving at Cherry Point and all our servicemembers across the globe.

FIRED BY PRESIDENT TRUMP

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

Ms. RIVAS. Mr. Speaker, I rise to share the story of a Federal scientist from California who, in their words, was fired by President Trump and Elon Musk.

They wrote:

I was a Pathways student intern at the EPA. I was assisting and training under the ecotoxicology group studying the effects and bioaccumulation of PFAS. I am completely devastated and heartbroken.

The EPA Pathways Program creates a pathway to a career in the Federal Government for students and recent graduates. In this case, this is a student working on complex scientific issues involving PFAS, toxic chemicals that are all around us.

As the only Latino Member with a STEM background in Congress, I know how important it is to encourage our students and young professionals to pursue careers in STEM.

Firing our future STEM workforce just as they are getting started in their careers is shortsighted and irresponsible. These firings will decimate the future Federal STEM workforce that will keep American innovation competitive.

RECOGNIZING FLORIDA LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR JENNIFER CARROLL

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

Mr. BEAN of Florida. Mr. Speaker, we all know that when you are the best of all time, you belong in the hall of fame, like Dan Marino, Don Shula, and Jacksonville's own Tony Boselli.

Now there is another Floridian, Mr. Speaker, who has rightfully earned her

place in the Florida Veterans Hall of Fame. I am talking about Lieutenant Governor Jennifer Carroll.

Lieutenant Governor Carroll's journey began in the United States Navy as a jet mechanic, one of the very first African-American females to serve in that capacity.

Then, after her military service, Lieutenant Governor Carroll brought her leadership and unwavering service to the people of Florida. She was the first Black Republican female to serve in the Florida Legislature.

Then, Mr. Speaker, in 2010, she made history again by becoming the first Black woman ever in the Sunshine State to be elected statewide as Lieutenant Governor.

Her efforts to improve education and to ensure veterans receive the support they deserve has left a lasting legacy.

Her induction into the Veterans Hall of Fame recognizes her impact on the Sunshine State and our country. We are proud of her and her service.

Mr. Speaker, please join me in congratulating my friend Lieutenant Governor Jennifer Carroll on being inducted in the Florida Veterans Hall of Fame.

She is indeed one of the best of the best.

□ 1700

REMOVING ROADBLOCKS

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

Mr. MOULTON. Mr. Speaker, in President Trump's first term, facing a crowd of protesters, he asked our military: Can't you just shoot them? Just shoot them in the legs or something?

Thankfully, his former Secretary of Defense shot down that idea.

Today, the President seems to be choosing military leadership he believes will say yes. He is purging dedicated, capable leaders with no explanation other than removing roadblocks.

This is a blatant attempt to politicize our military, replacing loyalty to our Constitution with political loyalty to Trump.

Our Founding Fathers designed our military to be explicitly apolitical. They must be rolling in their graves today.

When I joined the Marines in 2001, I raised my right hand and swore an oath to defend the Constitution of the United States just like every other servicemember and veteran. That oath is sacred. We swear our lives, to kill and to die, if necessary, to the United States, not to the President.

The Trump administration must not be allowed to undermine that oath.

MEANING OF RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

(Mr. BURCHETT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1