

West. It shall be his duty to erect suitable buildings to be used as a museum in which shall be preserved literature applying to such settlement and agricultural implements used in bringing the western plains to its present state of high civilization, and to use the said tract of land for such other objects and purposes as in his judgment may perpetuate the history of this country mainly developed by the homestead law."

Clearly, this authorizing legislation sets some lofty goals. I believe that the establishment of the "Homestead Heritage Center" would begin the process of realizing these goals.

In closing, Mr. Speaker, this Member urges his colleagues to support passage of the conference report on H.R. 4578.

Mr. JONES of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to protest the funding levels for the National Endowment for the Arts.

Last week my colleague from Indiana stood in this well to discuss the play called "Corpus Christi" a play that depicts all the Apostles as the homosexual lovers of Christ.

While the Government did not directly fund the play, the American taxpayer funded the theater through the National Endowment for the Arts. Last year, this theater received two grants, \$50,000 apiece.

Many of us in this Chamber believe that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior. It is immoral and reprehensible to us that we must fund a theater that would stage this depraved production that some government bureaucrat considered art.

In the name of art, many on the other side of the aisle will suggest this issue be about freedom of speech. But, once again the National Endowment for the Arts has shown it has little responsibility or accountability to the taxpayers.

Does freedom of speech not come with a modicum of responsibility? Not if you're the National Endowment for the Arts. The NEA has developed a pattern, continuing to this day, of throwing dollars to organizations so that they may promote religious bigotry and pornography.

Now, I'm not against the arts. I believe there is an important role for arts in society. But let's have a standard for what should be publicly funded.

This chamber agreed to a freeze, to cap the funds for the National endowment for the Arts. But again, I see we're increasing funding for this program with little or no accountability to the taxpayer to the tune of \$105 million next year. I'm a music lover but this tune sounds flat to me.

I am offended that this program allows obscene, pornographic, immoral and blasphemous theaters to be funded with our tax dollars. Let the theater or the production company find the funding for that. From someplace other than the American taxpayer.

Mr. REGULA. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the conference report.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the conference report.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote on the

motion to suspend the rules on which the yeas and nays were postponed earlier today.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 348, nays 69, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 507]

YEAS—348

Abercrombie	Doyle	Larson
Ackerman	Dreier	Latham
Aderholt	Edwards	LaTourette
Allen	Ehlers	Leach
Andrews	Ehrlich	Lee
Armey	Engel	Levin
Bachus	English	Lewis (CA)
Baird	Etheridge	Lewis (GA)
Baker	Evans	Lewis (KY)
Baldacci	Everett	Linder
Baldwin	Ewing	Lipinski
Ballenger	Farr	LoBiondo
Barcia	Fattah	Lofgren
Barrett (NE)	Filner	Lowey
Barrett (WI)	Fletcher	Lucas (KY)
Bartlett	Foley	Lucas (OK)
Bass	Forbes	Luther
Becerra	Ford	Maloney (CT)
Bentsen	Fossella	Maloney (NY)
Bereuter	Fowler	Manzullo
Berkley	Frank (MA)	Markey
Berman	Frelinghuysen	Mascara
Biggert	Frost	Matsui
Bilbray	Galgely	McCarthy (MO)
Bilirakis	Ganske	McCarthy (NY)
Bishop	Gejdenson	McCrery
Blagojevich	Gekas	McDermott
Bliley	Gephardt	McGovern
Blumenauer	Gilchrest	McHugh
Boehlert	Gillmor	McInnis
Boehner	Gilman	McIntyre
Bonilla	Gonzalez	McKeon
Bonior	Goodlatte	McKinney
Bono	Goodling	McNulty
Borski	Gordon	Meehan
Boswell	Goss	Meek (FL)
Boucher	Granger	Meeks (NY)
Boyd	Green (TX)	Menendez
Brady (PA)	Greenwood	Mica
Brown (FL)	Gutierrez	Millender-
Brown (OH)	Hall (OH)	McDonald
Buyer	Hastings (WA)	Miller (FL)
Callahan	Hayes	Miller, George
Calvert	Herger	Minge
Camp	Hill (IN)	Mink
Campbell	Hill (MT)	Moakley
Canady	Hilleary	Mollohan
Capps	Hilliard	Moore
Capuano	Hinchey	Moran (KS)
Cardin	Hinojosa	Moran (VA)
Carson	Hobson	Morella
Castle	Hoeffel	Murtha
Clay	Holden	Nadler
Clayton	Holt	Napolitano
Clement	Hooley	Neal
Clyburn	Horn	Nethercutt
Coble	Houghton	Ney
Collins	Hoyer	Northup
Condit	Hunter	Norwood
Conyers	Hyde	Nussle
Cook	Inslee	Oberstar
Cooksey	Isakson	Obey
Costello	Jackson (IL)	Olver
Coyne	Jackson-Lee	Ortiz
Cramer	(TX)	Ose
Crowley	Jenkins	Owens
Cubin	Johnson (CT)	Oxley
Cummings	Johnson, E.B.	Packard
Cunningham	Jones (OH)	Pallone
Danner	Kanjorski	Pascarell
Davis (FL)	Kaptur	Pastor
Davis (IL)	Kasich	Payne
Davis (VA)	Kelly	Pease
Deal	Kennedy	Pelosi
DeFazio	Kildee	Peterson (PA)
DeGette	Kilpatrick	Phelps
DeLauro	Kind (WI)	Pickett
DeLay	Kingston	Pomeroy
Deutsch	Klecza	Porter
Diaz-Balart	Klink	Portman
Dickey	Knollenberg	Price (NC)
Dicks	Kolbe	Pryce (OH)
Dingell	Kucinich	Quinn
Dixon	Kuykendall	Radanovich
Doggett	LaFalce	Rahall
Dooley	LaHood	Rangel
Doolittle	Lampson	Regula
	Lantos	Reyes

Reynolds	Skeen	Turner
Rivers	Skelton	Udall (CO)
Rodriguez	Slaughter	Udall (NM)
Roemer	Smith (NJ)	Upton
Rogan	Smith (TX)	Velazquez
Rogers	Smith (WA)	Visclosky
Ros-Lehtinen	Snyder	Walden
Rothman	Spence	Walsh
Roukema	Spratt	Wamp
Roybal-Allard	Stabenow	Waters
Rush	Stark	Watkins
Sabo	Stenholm	Watt (NC)
Sanchez	Strickland	Watts (OK)
Sanders	Stump	Waxman
Sandlin	Sununu	Weiner
Sawyer	Sweeney	Weldon (FL)
Saxton	Tanner	Weldon (PA)
Schakowsky	Tauscher	Weller
Scott	Taylor (MS)	Weygand
Serrano	Taylor (NC)	Whitfield
Shaw	Terry	Wicker
Shays	Thomas	Wilson
Sherman	Thompson (CA)	Wise
Sherwood	Thompson (MS)	Wolf
Shimkus	Thune	Woolsey
Shows	Thurman	Wu
Shuster	Tierney	Wynn
Simpson	Towns	Young (FL)
Sisisky	Trafigant	

NAYS—69

Archer	Green (WI)	Ramstad
Barr	Gutknecht	Rohrabacher
Barton	Hall (TX)	Royce
Berry	Hansen	Ryan (WI)
Blunt	Hayworth	Ryun (KS)
Brady (TX)	Hoekstra	Salmon
Bryant	Hostettler	Sanford
Burr	Hulshof	Scarborough
Burton	Hutchinson	Schaffer
Cannon	Istook	Sensenbrenner
Chabot	Jefferson	Sessions
Chambliss	John	Shadegg
Chenoweth-Hage	Johnson, Sam	Smith (MI)
Coburn	Jones (NC)	Stearns
Combest	Largent	Stupak
Cox	Metcalf	Talent
Crane	Miller, Gary	Tancredo
DeMint	Myrick	Tauzin
Duncan	Peterson (MN)	Thornberry
Emerson	Petri	Tiahrt
Gibbons	Pickering	Toomey
Goode	Pitts	Vitter
Graham	Pombo	Young (AK)

NOT VOTING—16

Baca	King (NY)	Riley
Dunn	Lazio	Souder
Eshoo	Martinez	Vento
Franks (NJ)	McCollum	Wexler
Hastings (FL)	McIntosh	
Hefley	Paul	

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Messrs. METCALF, HUTCHINSON, SCARBOROUGH, PETRI, BURTON of Indiana, TANCREDO and PICKERING changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Ms. SCHAKOWSKY and Mr. FOSSSELLA changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the conference report was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

SENSE OF HOUSE REGARDING FIGHT AGAINST BREAST CANCER

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 278.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Oklahoma (Mr.

COBURN) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 278, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5 minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 420, nays 0, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 508]

YEAS—420

Abercrombie	Danner	Hooley
Ackerman	Davis (FL)	Horn
Aderholt	Davis (IL)	Hostettler
Allen	Davis (VA)	Houghton
Andrews	Hoyer	Deal
Archer	DeFazio	Hulshof
Armey	DeGette	Hunter
Baca	Delahunt	Hutchinson
Bachus	DeLauro	Hyde
Baird	DeLay	Inslee
Baker	DeMint	Isakson
Baldacci	Deutsch	Istook
Baldwin	Diaz-Balart	Jackson (IL)
Ballenger	Dickey	Jackson-Lee
Barcia	Dicks	(TX)
Barr	Dingell	Jefferson
Barrett (NE)	Dixon	Jenkins
Barrett (WI)	Doggett	John
Bartlett	Dooley	Johnson (CT)
Barton	Doolittle	Johnson, E. B.
Bass	Doyle	Johnson, Sam
Becerra	Dreier	Jones (NC)
Bentsen	Duncan	Jones (OH)
Bereuter	Edwards	Kanjorski
Berkley	Ehlers	Kaptur
Berman	Ehrlich	Kasich
Berry	Emerson	Kelly
Biggert	Engel	Kennedy
Bilbray	English	Kildee
Bilirakis	Etheridge	Kilpatrick
Bishop	Evans	Kind (WI)
Blagojevich	Everett	Kingston
Bliley	Ewing	Klecza
Blumenauer	Farr	Klink
Blunt	Fattah	Knollensberg
Boehlert	Filner	Kolbe
Boehner	Fletcher	Kucinich
Bonilla	Foley	Kuykendall
Bonior	Forbes	LaFalce
Bono	Ford	LaHood
Borski	Fossella	Lampson
Boswell	Fowler	Lantos
Boucher	Frank (MA)	Largent
Boyd	Frelinghuysen	Larson
Brady (PA)	Frost	Latham
Brady (TX)	Gallegly	LaTourette
Brown (FL)	Ganske	Leach
Brown (OH)	Gejdenson	Lee
Bryant	Gekas	Levin
Burr	Gephardt	Lewis (CA)
Burton	Gibbons	Lewis (GA)
Buyer	Gilchrest	Lewis (KY)
Callahan	Gillmor	Linder
Calvert	Gilman	Lipinski
Camp	Gonzalez	LoBiondo
Campbell	Goode	Lofgren
Canady	Goodlatte	Lowe
Cannon	Goodling	Lucas (KY)
Capps	Gordon	Lucas (OK)
Capuano	Goss	Luther
Cardin	Graham	Maloney (CT)
Carson	Granger	Maloney (NY)
Castle	Green (TX)	Manzullo
Chabot	Green (WI)	Markey
Chambliss	Greenwood	Martinez
Chenoweth-Hage	Gutierrez	Mascara
Clay	Gutknecht	Matsui
Clayton	Hall (OH)	McCarthy (MO)
Clement	Hall (TX)	McCarthy (NY)
Clyburn	Hansen	McCrery
Coble	Hastert	McDermott
Collins	Hastings (WA)	McGovern
Combest	Hayes	McHugh
Condit	Hayworth	McInnis
Conyers	Herger	McIntyre
Cook	Hill (IN)	McKeon
Cooksey	Hill (MT)	McKinney
Costello	Hilleary	McNulty
Cox	Hilliard	Meehan
Coyne	Hinchey	Meek (FL)
Cramer	Hinojosa	Meeks (NY)
Crane	Hobson	Menendez
Crowley	Hoefel	Metcalfe
Cubin	Hoekstra	Mica
Cummings	Holden	Millender-
Cunningham	Holt	McDonald

Miller (FL)	Reynolds	Strickland
Miller, Gary	Rivers	Stump
Miller, George	Rodriguez	Stupak
Minge	Roemer	Sununu
Mink	Rogan	Sweeney
Moakley	Rogers	Talent
Mollohan	Rohrabacher	Tancredo
Moore	Ros-Lehtinen	Tanner
Moran (KS)	Rothman	Tauscher
Moran (VA)	Roukema	Tauzin
Morella	Roybal-Allard	Taylor (MS)
Murtha	Royce	Taylor (NC)
Myrick	Rush	Terry
Nadler	Ryan (WI)	Thomas
Napolitano	Ryun (KS)	Thompson (CA)
Neal	Sabo	Thompson (MS)
Nethercutt	Salmon	Thornberry
Ney	Sanchez	Thune
Northup	Sanders	Thurman
Norwood	Sandlin	Tiahrt
Nussle	Sanford	Tierney
Oberstar	Sawyer	Toomey
Obey	Saxton	Towns
Olver	Scarborough	Traficant
Ortiz	Schaffer	Turner
Ose	Schakowsky	Udall (CO)
Owens	Scott	Udall (NM)
Oxley	Sensenbrenner	Upton
Packard	Serrano	Velazquez
Pallone	Sessions	Visclosky
Pascarell	Shadegg	Vitter
Pastor	Shaw	Walden
Payne	Shays	Walsh
Pease	Sherman	Wamp
Pelosi	Sherwood	Waters
Peterson (MN)	Shimkus	Watkins
Peterson (PA)	Shows	Watt (NC)
Petri	Shuster	Watts (OK)
Phelps	Simpson	Waxman
Pickering	Sisisky	Weiner
Pickett	Skeen	Weldon (FL)
Pitts	Skelton	Weldon (PA)
Pombo	Slaughter	Weller
Pomeroy	Smith (MI)	Weygand
Porter	Smith (NJ)	Whitfield
Portman	Smith (TX)	Wicker
Price (NC)	Smith (WA)	Wilson
Pryce (OH)	Snyder	Wise
Quinn	Souder	Wolf
Radanovich	Spence	Woolsey
Rahall	Spratt	Wu
Ramstad	Stabenow	Wynn
Rangel	Stark	Young (AK)
Regula	Stearns	Young (FL)
Reyes	Stenholm	

NOT VOTING—14

Coburn	Hefley	Paul
Dunn	King (NY)	Riley
Eshoo	Lazio	Vento
Franks (NJ)	McCollum	Wexler
Hastings (FL)	McIntosh	

□ 1441

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 110, FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001

Mr. LINDER. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 604 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 604

Resolved, That upon adoption of this resolution it shall be in order without intervention of any point of order to consider in the House the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 110) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, and for other purposes. The joint resolution shall be consid-

ered as read for amendment. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the joint resolution to final passage without intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations; and (2) one motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Georgia (Mr. LINDER) is recognized for 1 hour.

Mr. LINDER. Mr. Speaker, for the purpose of debate only, I yield the customary 30 minutes to the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. MOAKLEY), pending which I yield myself such time as I may consume. During consideration of this resolution, all time yielded is for the purpose of debate only.

Mr. Speaker, House Resolution 604 is a closed rule providing for consideration of H.J. Res. 110, a resolution making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2001.

H. Res. 604 provides for one hour of debate, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, as is the right of the minority.

□ 1445

Mr. Speaker, as my colleagues know, the current continuing resolution expires at the end of the day on Friday, and a further continuing resolution is necessary to keep the government operating while Congress completes consideration of the remaining appropriations bills. H.J. Res. 110 is a clean continuing resolution that simply extends the provisions included in the H.J. Res. 109 through October 14.

Mr. Speaker, it takes a lot of hard work and tough decision-making to fund the Federal Government. We have been working hard to overcome the hurdles in our path and complete the appropriations process as soon as possible. However, honest disagreement exists between the majority and the minority on many of the appropriations bills. This fair, clean, continuing resolution will give us the time we need to resolve these differences and complete the remaining fiscal year 2001 appropriations bills.

This rule was unanimously approved by the Committee on Rules yesterday, and I urge my colleagues to support it so we may proceed with the general debate and consideration of this bill.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. MOAKLEY. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I thank my colleague, the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. LINDER) for yielding me the customary half hour.

Mr. Speaker, this is the second continuing resolution and it should come as no surprise to anyone. The 1974 Budget Act requires us to finish 13 appropriation bills before October 1, so this is really nothing new.