IN RECOGNITION OF DELLA O. WEBB

HON. MIKE ROGERS

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, November 15, 2010

Mr. ROGERS of Alabama. Madam Speaker, I would like to request the House's attention today to pay recognition to Della O. Webb who celebrated her 103rd birthday September 15th.

Ms. Webb was born into a family of eight brothers. Her father was a sharecropper. She was raised in Alexandria, Alabama where she helped pick cotton and walked three miles to school every day.

Della married the late Ira W. Webb on October 21, 1923, and raised four children: Donald, Margaret, Doris and Judy in Blue Mountain. Ira worked in the local pipe shop and Della worked at Blue Mountain Cotton Mill and later in the school lunch room.

She attended church at Edgewood Church in Blue Mountain, and later helped start Saks Baptist Church where she was active in her Sunday school class and the quilting group.

I wish Ms. Webb a very happy birthday and many more.

TRIBUTE TO JOSEPH N. DIVINCENZO, JR.

HON. BILL PASCRELL, JR.

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, November 15, 2010

Mr. PASCRELL. Madam Speaker, I would like to call to your attention the deeds of an outstanding individual, Mr. Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr., who will be recognized on October 23, 2010, by the Columbian Foundation for his many years of service working to reform Essex County's finances while improving its facilities

Joe first entered into public office in Essex County as a member of the Essex County Board of Chosen Freeholders, a position which he held for 13 years. For eight of those 13 years, Joe served as the President of the Board. In 2003, Joe took office as the fifth Essex County Executive, a position which he continues to hold after being re-elected in 2006

In the seven and one-half years since he took office, Joe has drastically changed the face of Essex County. He has successfully reduced government inefficiency by cutting expenditures and eliminating unnecessary contracts.

With the money that he has saved through these calculated spending cuts, Joe has been able to fund improvements to the community. He opened an Environmental Center, aided in the expansion and improvement of the Turtle Back Zoo, guided the restoration of the his-

toric Courthouse, and revamped the Government Complex.

In addition, Joe has worked to assist the community through the construction of a new correctional facility in Newark, a new psychiatric hospital center in Cedar Gfove and a new prosecutor's crime scene investigative headquarters.

Another commitment Joe has followed through on has been to clean up and expand the county's parks, playgrounds and preservation areas to improve the common space for all citizens.

Joe has also been dedicated to the issue of ethical reform. He established an Ethics Board and created the position of Inspector General to ensure that there is a high standard for ethical behavior in local government and businesses within Essex County.

Joe has been an outstanding leader in the community whose actions as an Essex County Executive have changed the county for the better. I know he will continue to strive for the same goals in the future.

The job of a United States Congressman involves much that is rewarding, yet nothing compares to working with and recognizing the efforts of dedicated community servants like Joseph DiVincenzo, Jr.

Madam Speaker, I ask that you join our colleagues, the residents of Essex County, the Columbian Foundation, Joe's family and friends, and me in recognizing Joe DiVincenzo's outstanding service to his community.

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, November 16, 2010 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED NOVEMBER 17

Time to be announced

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Business meeting to consider S. 3817, to amend the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act, the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act, the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment and Adoption Reform Act of 1978, and the Abandoned Infants Assistance Act of 1988 to reauthorize the Acts, S. 3199, to amend the Public Health Service Act regarding early detection, diagnosis, and treatment of hearing loss, S. 3036, to establish the Office of the National Alzheimer's Project, S. 1275, to establish a National Foundation on Physical Fitness and Sports to carry out activities to support and supplement the mission of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports, H.R. 5710, to amend and reauthorize the controlled substance monitoring program under section 3990 of the Public Health Service Act, H.R. 2941, to reauthorize and enhance Johanna's Law to increase public awareness and knowledge with respect to gynecologic cancers, S. 259, to establish a grant program to provide vision care to children, and the nominations of Anthony Bryk, of California, Robert Anacletus Underwood, of Guam, Beverly L. Hall, of Georgia, and Kris D. Gutierrez, of Colorado, all to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Na-

tional Board for Education Sciences.

Room to be announced

9:30 a.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Thomas R. Nides, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Secretary for Management and Resources, William R. Brownfield, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary for International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs, and Suzan D. Johnson Cook, of New York, to be Ambassador at Large for International Religious Freedom, all of the Department of State, and Paige Eve Alexander, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development.

10 a.m

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold an oversight hearing to examine
Transportation Security Administra-

SR-253

Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine Water Resources Development Act of 2010, focusing on legislative and policy proposals to benefit the economy, create jobs, protect public safety and maintain America's water resources infrastructure.

SD-406

Finance

To hold hearings to examine strengthening Medicare and Medicaid, focusing on taking steps to modernize America's health care system.

SD-219

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine Violence Against Women Act's (VAWA) transitional housing programs to victims of domestic and sexual violence.

SD-226

10:30 a.m.

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine securing critical infrastructure in the age of Stuxnet.

SD-342

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Communications and Technology Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine television viewers, retransmission consent, and the public interest.

SR-253

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Max Oliver Cogburn, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of North Carolina, Marco A. Hernandez, and Michael H. Simon, both to be United States District Judge for the District of Oregon. and Steve C. Jones, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, and Michele Marie Leonhart, of California, to be Administrator of Drug Enforcement, Patti B. Saris, of Massachusetts, to be a Member and Chair of the United States Sentencing Commission, and Stacia A. Hylton, of Virginia, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service, all of the Department of Justice.

SD-226

3:30 p.m.

Armed Services

To receive a briefing on the net assessment of Russian and United States strategic forces in support of the New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty.

SVC-217

NOVEMBER 18

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of General Claude R. Kehler, USAF, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, United States Strategic Command, and General Carter F. Ham, USA, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, United States Africa Command.

SH-2

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine United States global competitiveness and national economic security.

SD-419

Indian Affairs

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine H.R. 4347, to amend the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to provide further self-governance by Indian tribes.

SD-628

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings to examine transition

To hold hearings to examine transition and implementation, focusing on the NASA Authorization Act of 2010.

SR-253

Judiciary

Business meeting to consider S. 3675, to amend chapter 11 of title 11, United States Code, to address reorganization of small businesses, S. 2888, to amend section 205 of title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualifying law school students participating in legal clinics from the application of the general conflict of interest rules under such section, S. 3804, to combat online infringement, S. 3728, to amend title 17, United States Code, to extend protection to fashion design, S. 1598, to amend the National Child Protection Act of 1993 to establish a permanent background check system, and the nominations of Robert Neil Chatigny and Susan L. Carney, both of Connecticut, both to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Amy Totenberg, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, James Emanuel Boasberg and Amy Berman Jackson, both to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, James E. Shadid and Sue E. Myerscough, both to be United States District Judge for the Central District of Illinois, James E. Graves, Jr., of Mississippi, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit, Paul Kinloch Holmes, III, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Arkansas, Anthony J. Battaglia, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, Edward J. Davila, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, and Diana Saldana, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, and Frank Leon-Guerrero, to be United States Marshal for the District of Guam and concurrently United States Marshall for the District of the Northern Mariana Islands, Kenneth F. Bohac, to be United States Marshal for the Central District of Illinois for term of four years, William Conner Eldridge, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Arkansas, Charles Thomas Weeks II, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Oklahoma, Ripley Rand, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of North Carolina, and Charles M. Oberly III, to be United States Attorney for the District of Delaware, all of the Department of Justice, and Wilfredo Martinez, of Florida, Chase Theodora Rogers, of Connecticut, Marsha Ternus, of Iowa, and Isabel Framer, of Ohio, all to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute. Charles Thomas Weeks II, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Oklahoma, Ripley Rand, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of North Carolina, and Charles M.