the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure has acted on such legislation.

I would appreciate your response to this letter, confirming this understanding, and would ask that a copy of our exchange of letters on this matter be included in the Congressional Record during Floor consideration.

Sincerely,

JOHN L. MICA, Chairman.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE,
Washington, DC, June 18, 2011.
Hon. JOHN L. MICA,

Chairman, Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR CHAIRMAN MICA: Thank you for your letter regarding H.R. 1938, the North American-Made Energy Security Act. The Committee on Energy and Commerce recognizes that the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure has primary jurisdiction over H.R. 1938, and I appreciate your effort to facilitate consideration of this bill.

I concur with you that foregoing action on H.R. 1938 does not in any way prejudice the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure with respect to its jurisdictional prerogatives on this bill or similar legislation in the future, and I will support your effort to seek appointment of an appropriate number of conferees to any House-Senate conference involving this or related legislation

I also concur with you that the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure is the Committee of primary jurisdiction on legislation to reauthorize the federal pipeline safety programs and agree to not take action before September 20, 2011 at full committee on such legislation, allowing the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure to take action on such legislation.

I appreciate your cooperation regarding this legislation and I will include our letters on H.R. 1938 in the Congressional Record during House floor consideration of the bill.

Sincerely,

FRED UPTON, Chairman.

House of Representatives, Committee on Natural Resources, Washington, DC, July 8, 2011.

Hon. FRED UPTON,

Chairman, Committee on Energy and Commerce, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR CHAIRMAN UPTON: I write concerning H.R. 1938, the North American-Made Energy Security Act.

As you know, the Committee on Natural Resources received an original referral of H.R. 1938 when it was introduced on May 23, 2011. I recognize and appreciate your desire to bring this legislation before the House of Representatives in an expeditious manner, and accordingly, the Committee will forego action on the bill.

The Committee on Natural Resources takes this action with our mutual understanding that by foregoing consideration of H.R. 1938 at this time, we do not waive any jurisdiction over the subject matter contained in this or similar legislation. Further, I request your support for the appointment of conferees from the Committee on Natural

Resources during any House-Senate conference convened on this or related legislation

I would appreciate your response to this letter, confirming this understanding, and would ask that a copy of our exchange of letters on this matter be included in the Congressional Record during floor consideration. Sincerely.

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Doc Hastings,} \\ \textit{Chairman.} \end{array}$ 

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

# HON. GARY L. ACKERMAN

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, July 27, 2011

Mr. ACKERMAN. Mr. Speaker, on Tuesday, July 26, 2011, I inadvertently voted "aye" on rollcall No. 650. I intended to vote "no."

FAA JOBS LOST AND STOP WORK ORDERS

# HON. CORRINE BROWN

OF FLORIDA

In the house of representatives We dnesday, July 27, 2011

Ms. BROWN of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I submit the following information regarding loss of FAA Jobs:

#### FAA NON-EXCEPTED EMPLOYEES BY CITY

[As of 7-29, 10AM]

	[As of 7-29, 10AM]				
	APPN Desc				
State	City	AIP	F&E PCB & T	RE&D	Grand Total
ALASKA	ANCHORAGE	17	62		79
ALASKA Total		17	62	79	1
ARIZONA	PHOENIX		1		1
ARIZONA Total			1		1
CALIFORNIA	BURLINGGAME FULLERTON HAWTHORNE		2 136		17 2 168
	LOS ANGELES MOFFETT FIELD OAKLAND PALMDALE SACRAMENTO		4 3 5	1	2 1 4 3 5
	SAN DIEGO San Francisco Upland	1	1		2 1 1
CALIFORNIA Total			155	1	206
COLORADO	COLORADO SPGS DENVER LONGMONT WATKINS	1	1 3 6 3		1 4 6 16
COLORADO Total		14	13		27
CONNECTICUT	WINDSOR LOCKS		1		1
CONNECTICUT Total			1		1
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	WASHINGTON	95	860	61	1016
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Total		95	860	61	1016
FLORIDA	HILLIARD MELBOURNE MIAMI ORLANDO		1 4 3		1 4 3 19
FLORIDA Total		19	8		27
GEORGIA	ATLANTA COLLEGE PARK EAST POINT FULTON COUNTY HAMPTON	27	4 10 287 1 4	1	7 37 287 1 4
GEORGIA Total		29	306	1	336
HAWAII	HONOLULU	5			5

# CONGRESSIONAL RECORD — Extensions of Remarks

# FAA NON-EXCEPTED EMPLOYEES BY CITY—Continued [As of 7-29, 10AM]

	APPN Desc				
State	City	AIP	F&E PCB & T	RE&D	Grand Total
HAWAII Total		5		5	
IDAHO			1		
IDNIG T. I	TWIN FALLS		1		1
IDAHO Total			2		2
ILLINOIS	CHICAGO		3		5
	DES PLAINESELK GROVE VILLAGE		103 4		133 4
ILLINOIS Total		30	115		145
INDIANA	FORT WAYNE INDIANAPOLIS		1		1
INDIANA Total			7		7
KANSAS			14		14
	SHAWNEE		i		i
KANSAS Total			15		15
MARYLAND	BALTIMORE GAITHERSBURG		1 2		1
	HAGERSTOWN ROCKVILLE		1 2		2 1 2
	SALISBURY		1		1
MARYLAND Total			7		7
MASSACHUSETTS	BURLINGTON	18	2 34		2 52
	CAMBRIDGE		1		1
MASSACHUSETTS Total		18			55
MICHIGAN	BATTLE CREEK	1	4		4
	ROMULUS SAGINAW		1 1		4 1
	WATERFORDWAYNE COUNTY		2		2 10
MICHIGAN Total			8		22
MINNESOTA	FARMINGTON		3		3
	MINNEAPOLIS	-			15
MINNESOTA Total					18
MISSISSIPPI					10
					10
MISSOURI	INDEPENDENCE				11 69
MISSOURI Total		24	56		80
MONTANA	HELENA	3			3
MONTANA Total		-			3
NEVADA	LAS VEGAS		1		1
NEDAVA Total			1		1
NEW HAMPSHIRE	NASHUA		42		42
NEW HAMPSHIRE Total			42		42
NEW JERSEY			497	118	639
	MORRISTOWN NEWARK		5		5
	NEWTONVILLE POMONA		1		1
NEW JEDOEV T I	TRENTON		- 4		4
NEW JERSEY Total			509	118	651
NEW MEXICO					4
NEW MEXICO Total			4		4
NEW YORK	ISLIP		6		16 6
	ithaca New York		1		1
	NEW YORK-QUEENS QUEENS COUNTY	2	80 6		93 8
	ROMESYRACUSE		1 1		1 1
NEW YORK Total			96		127
NORTH DAKOTA	BISMARK	6			6
	GRAND FORKS	·			1
NORTH DAKOTA Total					7
OHIO	COLUMBUS		1 4		1 4
OHIO Total			5		5
OKLAHOMA			46	84	133
			-70	04	

# CONGRESSIONAL RECORD — Extensions of Remarks

# FAA NON-EXCEPTED EMPLOYEES BY CITY—Continued [As of 7-29, 10AM]

State	City	AIP	F&E PCB & T	RE&D	Grand Total
OKLAHOMA Total		3	46	84	1;
PENNSYLVANIA	ALLENTOWN		1		
	ALTOONAAVOCA		1 2		
	CAMP HILLCORAOPOLIS		6		
	DU BOIS		1		
	LESTER	1	1		
	SCRANTON		4		
PENNSYLVANIA Total		9	16		
JERTO RICO	SAN JUAN		3		
PUERTO RICO Total			3		
OUTH DAKOTA	HURON		1		
	SIOUX FALLS		î		
SOUTH DAKOTA Total			2		
NNESSEE	MEMPHIS	9	4		
TENNESSEE Total		9	4		
XAS	DALLAS		1		
	EULESSFORT WORTH	42	1 216		2
	HOUSTON		7		
TEXAS Total		42	225		2
TAH	SALT LAKE CITY		5		
UTAH Total			5		
RGINIA					
	DULLES AIRPORTHAMPTON		1	1	
	HERNDON		6		
	LEESBURGLOUDOUN COUNTY		1		
	NORFOLKVIRGINIA BEACH		2		
VIRGINIA Total		9	19	1	
		-	13		
ASHINGTON	AUBURN		3 1		
	RENTONSEATTLE	29	177		2
WASHINGTON Total			186		
EST VIRGINIA					
LOI TINUINA	BECKLEY	1			
WEST VIRGINIA Total		3			
Grand Total		506	2822	266	35

# HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP JEOPARDIZES MORE THAN 90,000 AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION AND FAA EMPLOYEE JOBS

	Airport Construc- tion Funding Lost	Airport Construc- tion Jobs Lost	FAA Employee Jobs Lost	Total Jobs Lost
Alabama	\$32,400,000	1,127		1,127
Alaska	69,700,000	2,424	79	2,503
Arizona	35,100,000	1.221	1	1.221
Arkansas	25,900,000	901		901
California	131,500,000	4.573	206	4.779
Colorado	34,200,000	1.189	27	1,216
Connecticut	4,700,000	163	-1	164
Delaware	800,000	28	-	28
District of Columbia	300,000	10	1.016	1.026
Florida	88.000,000	3.061	27	3,088
Georgia	67,100,000	2.334	336	2,670
Hawaii	21,300,000	741	5	746
ldaho	17.500,000	609	2	611
Illinois	90.300.000	3.141	145	3.286
Indiana	19.400.000	675	7	682
lowa	41.100.000	1.429		1,429
Kansas	41.900.000	1.457	15	1.472
Kentucky	18,700,000	650		650
Louisiana	33.500.000	1.165		1.165
Maine	12.700.000	442		442
Maryland	9.100.000	316	7	323
Massachusetts	17.900.000	623	55	678
Michigan	36.400.000	1 266	22	1.288
Minnesota	36.200.000	1 259	18	1.277
Mississippi	34.600.000	1 203	10	1.213
Missouri	24.600.000	856	80	936
Montana	18.700.000	650	3	653
Nebraska Nebraska	21.900.000	762		762
Nevada Nevada	36.000.000	1.252	1	1.253
New Hampshire	3.700.000	129	42	171
New Jersey	44.700.000	1.555	651	2.206
New Mexico	25.400.000	883	031	887
Naw York	62,600,000	2.177	127	2.304
New York	45.600.000	1.586		1,586
NOITH CAUMINA	22.800.000	793	7	800
North Dakota	38.900.000	1.353	,	1.358
	54.800.000	1,906	133	2.039
Oklahoma	16.500.000	574		2,035 574
Oregon		984	25	1.009
Pennsylvania	20,300,000	964	25	1,009

HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP JEOPARDIZES MORE THAN 90,000 AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION AND FAA EMPLOYEE JOBS—Continued

	Airport Construc- tion Funding Lost	Airport Construc- tion Jobs Lost	FAA Employee Jobs Lost	Total Jobs Lost
Rhode Island South Carolina South Dakota Tennessee Texas Utah Vermont Virginia Washington West Virginia Wisconsin Wyoming Puerto Rico Other Territories Discretionary Grants	1,100,000 30,700,000 25,700,000 34,700,000 72,100,000 4,800,000 40,500,000 37,900,000 10,800,000 25,300,000 15,900,000 9,900,000	38 1,068 894 1,207 2,508 351 167 1,409 1,318 376 880 553 354 427,823	2 13 267 5 29 215 3	38 1,068 896 1,220 2,775 356 167 1,438 1,533 379 880 553 553 344 27,823
TOTAL	\$2,500,200,000	86,954	3,594	90,548

Note: This table was prepared by Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure Democratic Staff based on technical assistance from the Federal Aviation Administration. The Airport Construction Jobs Lost column is based on the 2007 Federal-aid Highway Administration model on the correlation between infrastructure investment and employment: \$1 billion of Federal-aid Highway investment creates or sustains 34,779 jobs over a seven-year period.

## FAA STOP-WORK ORDERS THAT HAVE BEEN ISSUED

Name of the contractor	Project location(s)	Type of work	Value of the contract
Jacobs Engineering	California, Oregon, Texas, Puerto Rico, Hawaii, D.C., Florida, Minnesota, Illinois, Virginia.	Architect & engineering, construction for en route centers and combined en route and	\$370,000,000
Reliant Contractors		approach facilities. Construction of remote communications air-ground facility	97.500
Flintco, Inc	Gulf Port, MS	Tower construction	11,845,620
Daniel J. Keating Co		Tower construction	14,721,356
Paul J. Scariano Inc		Demolition of LGA tower	6,324,387 363,000
Sheckler Contracting, IncNationwide Construction Group	Leesburg, VA	Roof replacement at en route center	718,000
M&M Enterprises	Dulles, VA	Fence construction	56,000
Jones Morgan Inc	Rochester, NY	Construction	346,000
Boykin Contracting Inc	Greenwood, MS	Construction	56,000
KOBO Utility & Electric	Hyannis, MA	Construction of Precision Approach Path Indicator lights	37,000
Flintco, Inc	Memphis, TN	Tower construction	55,953,326 237,000
Patriot Electric Inc	Providence, RI	Fire alarm, construction	18,000
Corinthian		Construction of new Command Center	24,338,718
6K Systems Inc	Burlington, MA	Computer services	234 000
Chappy Corp	Baltimore, MD	Computer services	2,279,576
AKAL Security Inc		BWI ASDE-X	91,500
Limbach Co. Inc		Boiler, construction	205,000
Construction and Service Solutions		Roof construction	316,000
Peachtree Mechanical Inc		Construction at Washington en route center	631,000 155,000
Sheckler Contracting Inc S&E Services, Inc	NY	Construct a catwalk in NY TRACON	1,781,000
Limbach Company LLC	Pittsburgh, PA	Plumbing, construction	175,000
CUSA Consulting Corp	Erie. PA	Fire life safety, construction	112,000
Postier & Jaeckle Inc	Rochester, NY	Construction	27,000
Petersen-Dean Inc	Jacksonville, FL	Construction at Jacksonville en route center	55,000
Marathon Electric Inc	Memphis, TN	Construction at Memphis en route center	88,500
Moulison North Corp		Electrical project	9,000
Cornerstone Construction Services	Lawrence, MA	Roof construction	47,000
Pine Tree Elevator	Portland, ME	Elevator project Seismic upgrade	163,000 488.000
CGMC Building Corp ProwaC <sup>TM</sup> ess Construction Corp		Facility modernization Construction	123,700
Atlantic Defense Contractor		Seismic upgrade	935,000
Synthesis Inc		Drain project	10.000
McKercher Corp	Miami, FL	Electric project, construction	133,900
Synthesis Inc	Ronkonkoma, NY	Construction upgrade	256,700
CMGC Building Corp	Nashua, NH	Mechanical room construction	88,500
LVI Services Security	New York, NY	Construction	1,100,000
Construction Services		Construction, attic rehab.	4,670,000
Peachtree Specialty Group	Atlanta, GA	Construction at Atlanta en route center	133,900
Louis Berger & Associates	New York	Asbestos removal, construction	168,500
Swinterton Builders	19 Terminal Doppler Weather Radar facilities	HVAC renovations	1,030,000 14,229,775
Devon Construction, Inc	Oakland, CA	Construction of tower	31,000,304
Cobalt Construct		Construction (86% complete), modernization of 2d floor of automation wing and con-	12,146,449
B If	0	trol floor, attic.	750 567
Bara Infoware		Replace roof and visitor entrance wall panels at Tracon	759,567
Abtro Engineering Services IIC		2d floor automation wing	2,294,220 843,816
Ahtna Engineering Services LLC Archer Western Contractors		Construction of new tower	43,429,116
Archer Western Contractors		Construction of new tower	15,722,800
Archer Western Contractors		Construction of new tower	11,062,093
Archer Western Contractors		2nd floor modernization construction, attic at en route center	2,399,970
Archer Western Contractors		Construction build out at en route center	1,984,002
Imperial Construction Weatherford TX		Construction of replacement TRACON	25,085,257
Imperial Construction Weatherford TX		Parking lot replacement at en route center	1,500,000
Skanska	Kalamazoo, MI	Construct new tower	14,422,975
SkanskaSkanska		Install new radio transmitter receiver	848,500 587,000
Concept Solutions, LLC		Business Management Support for Joint Planning and Development Office	1,447,999
Allied Technology Group		Program Management Technical Support Services for ATO Finance	1,174,421
CGH Technologies, Inc	Washington, DC	Various projects per Work Order. Support for Aeronautical Information Management (AIM) Obstruction Evaluation.	129,184,768.00
CGH Technologies, Inc	• ,	Various projects per Work Order. Support for Aeronautical Information Management (AIM) Obstruction Evaluation. Various projects per Work Order. Current WO for development support for airports Geo-	54,075,701.00 54.075.701.00
CGH Technologies, Inc Network Designs Inc. (NDI)	Vienna, VA	graphic Information System.  Security Engineering Support for FAA's Alaska Flight Service Modernization (AFSM) Pro-	914,961.54
-		gram. Program Management Support for ATO Technical Operations	233,000
Lockheed MartinAST Eng		ERAM support services will be halted at all locations except Seattle and Salt Lake City	3.5M
Science Applications International		Engineering support for runway status lights	37M
Sensis Corp	Las Vegas, Minneapolis, Dulles, Charlotte, Chicago, O'Hare, Ft. Lau- derdale, Newark, LaGuardia, Phoenix, Houston, Seattle, Los Angeles.	Runway Status Lights	214M
JVN		Flight Information Regions	2.3M
Sensis	Multiple locations	ASDE-X	390M
SAIC	Multiple locations	ASDE—X Program Management Office (PMO) Support	104M
Arcon Corporation	Multiple locations	Terminal Automation IV&V	14.1M 31.8M
Boeing		Future Air Navigation System Interoperability Team (FIT) Program	200k
Lockheed Martin** Lockheed Martin**	Multiple locations	En Route Communications Gateway	151M

# FAA STOP-WORK ORDERS THAT HAVE BEEN ISSUED-Continued

Name of the contractor	Project location(s)	Type of work	Value of the contrac
L3 Communications**			57.5M
TASC**	Multiple locations		
pptis** ICR**	Multiple locations	ATO-Terminal Support Services	
ASC/NG^^	Multiple locations	ATO-T Support Services	21.8M
NC** T**	Multiple locations	ATO-T Support Services	21.1M 34.3M
chnology Service Corp**	Multiple locations		
3**	Multiple locations	ATO-T Support Sérvices	3.7M
nterprise** &K**	Multiple locations		2M 2.9M
IA Group	Multiple locations	Support to Aeronautical Information Management (AIM) Office	3M
SC Corporation	Rockville, MD	Traffic Flow Management Software System	593M
VA Groupcobs Facilities Group, Inc.	Alexandria, VAZOA Modernize		6.2M 5.838.000
cobs Facilities Group, Inc.	ZHU Admin Wing	Administration Wing Renovation	6,960,000
cobs Facilities Group, Inc	San Juan CERAP	Seismic Upgrade	11,500,000
cobs Facilities Group, Inc	ZJX Curtain WallZDC Curtain Wall	Curtain Wall Replacement	1,770,000
cobs Facilities Group, Inc	ZAU Curtain Wall	Curtain Wall Replacement Curtain Wall Replacement	2,200,000
cobs Facilities Group, Inc	ZMP Major Mechanical	Major Mechanical Upgrade	6,230,000
cobs Project Mgmt Co	LiHue AŤCT, HI Livermore ATCT, CA	Seismic Modernization Upgrade	3,700,000
cobs Project Mgmt Cocobs Project Mgmt Co	Palo Alto ATCT, CA	Seismic Modernization Seismic Modernization	479.000
cobs Project Mgmt Co	Santa Maria ATCT, CA	Seismic Modernization	497,000
obs Project Mgmt Co	Anchorage, ATCT, AK	Seismic Modernization	563,000 340,000
obs Project Mgmt Coobs Project Mgmt Co	Salem ATCT, ORHillsboro ATCT, OR	Seismic Modernization Seismic Modernization	140,000
cobs Engineering Group	BACNet Upgrade	BACNet Upgrade	900,000
e Matthews Group	ARTCC Miami	Major Mechanical & Seismic Upgrade	4,200,000
gineering Group	ARTCC Jacksonville	NextGen Facilities Design and Prototype	9,800,000
Armstrong	San Juan CERAP	Major Mechanical	4,200,000
rton Constructionrton Construction	ARTCC Denver	Piping Upgrade FY12 Consolidated Projects	250,000 700,000
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Abilene, TX	Work Release 156—ABI LOC	386,000
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Abilene, TX	Work Release160—NEXCOM Radio Replacement	1,007,032
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Abilene, TXAbilene, TX	Work Release 164—ABQ FAA Telecommunications Infrastructure (1,11)/Microwave Links Work Release 179—Abilene ATCT	235,600 430,000
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Abilene, TX	Work Release 194—NEXCOM Abilene RTR Relocation	210,000
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Dallas Fort Worth	Work Release 167—NEXCOM Radio Replacement	1,096,066
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Hobby Field Houston, TX	Work Release 1762C" Hobby Remote Transmitter/Receiver (RTR)	268,987 1,000,000
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Alamogordo, TX	Work Release 185—NEXCOM	325,927
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Alamorgordo, TX	Work Release 187—Fiber Optics Transmission System (FOTS) Engineering	400,018
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	San Antonio, TX	tions Systems to Stinson Field (SSE) DTD	
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	San Antonio, TX	Work Release 193—NEXCOM  Work Release 199—NEXCOM Beaumont RTR	103,127
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Beaumont, TX	Work Release 199—NEXCOM Beaumont RTR	68,664
arsons Infrastructure & Technology Group arsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Woodford, CT	Work Release CT-11-0128 HVAC Modifications F Mills	1,003,784 78,121
arsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Palm Springs, CA	Work Release 348, ARRA Palm Springs, ATCT	545,000
rsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Oakland, CA	Work Release 353, ARRA Oakland ATCT	985,300
arsons Infrastructure & Technology Group arsons Infrastructure & Technology Group	Northern, AZ Chicago, IL	Work Release 361, Northern AZ Airspace Project	91,998 38,645
Communications	Atlantic City, NJ	All the engoing System Engineering (SE) and Information System Security (ISS) tech	19.6M
		nical activities for System Wide Information Management (SWIM), DataComm, Aero- nautical Message Handling System (AMHS), Enroute Radar Intelligent Tool (ERIT), and NextGen Network Enabled Weather (NNEW) would cease. All major milestones	
		nautical Message Handling System (AMHS), Enroute Radar Intelligent 1001 (ERII),	
		for these programs will be impacted and may not be met.	
eneral Dynamics	Fairfax, VA		17M
		cate Of Authorization (COA) Support and support for the IPDO office	
igility Corp	Atlantic City, NJ	cate Of Authorization (COA) Support and support for the JPDO office.  Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast Ground	5.7M
sic Commerce & Industries, Inc	Atlantic City, NJ	Autoffact Dependent Swienlander-Broadcast Glotin  AWOTES—" Reduce Weather Impact (RWI), NextGen Network Enabled Weather (NNEW), NextGen Weather Processor (NWP), legacy fielded weather systems support, technical support for Program Office and weather technology in the cockpit. Local Area Augmentation System—" Technical Support for Ground-Based Augmentation System SIAM and Surface Trajectory Based Operations (STBO).	14.5M
		Nextuen Weatner Processor (NWP), legacy fielded Weatner Systems Support, technical support for Program Office and weather technology in the cocknit	
gility Corp	Atlantic City NJ	Local Area Augmentation System—" Technical Support for Ground-Based Augmenta-	1.1M
-114-0	All-selic Oile. NII	tion System SIAM and Surface Trajectory Based Operations (STBO).	1.54
gility Corp neral Dynamics	Atlantic City, NJFairfax, VA	DADSB— Broadcast Airdorne	1.5M 18M
gital Ibíz	Atlantic City, NJ	Engineering & Maintenance Oceanic Integration and Interoperability Facility lab	1M
gility Corp	Atlantic City, NJ		7.9M
ur Winds Services, Inc	Atlantic City, NJ	Lab (RDHFL). Aircraft Maintenance	5.4M
Sun	Atlantic City, NJ	FASTER pavement test facility/AVGAS	3.6M
S Management Services A	Atlantic City, NJ		5.3M 57M
Tec Systems	Atlantic City, NJ	Safety Assessment of NSA and Unmanned Aircraft Systems	2M
erokee, CRC	Atlantic City, NJ	Terminal Area Safety Support	5M
marknark	Atlantic City, NJ	Safety assessment of National Airspace System	5.1M
пагк .bry Riddle Aeronautical Univ	Daytona Beach, FL	General Aviation Research	
MI <sup>*</sup>	Atlantic City, NJ	Fire Safety Testing	9.4M
Technology, IncFAR Services, LLC	Atlantic City, NJ		7.9M 700K
gility Corp	Atlantic City, NJ	Navigation Services	
§ Management Services	Atlantic City, NJ	ATC Voice Communications	4.5M
Gsic Commerce & Industries, Inc	Atlantic City, NJ		9.7M 5.4M
sic Commerce & Industries, Incsic Commerce & Industries, Inc	Atlantic City, NJ	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network (ATN) Software Development and Engineering	7.5M
,		Support.	
neywell	Conn rapids, MN	Local Area Augmentation System (LAAS)—Modification of Global Navigation Satellite Systems (GNSS) landing system Test Bed.	5.3M
neywell	Memphis, TN and Houston, TX	Ground Based Augmentation System relocation from Memphis to Houston	650K
nithers Quality	Atlantic City, NJ	ISO Certification Services for Technical Center Labs	95K
SI	Atlantic City, NJ		4.9M 1.7B
eing Aerospace Systems***	Washington, DC Washington, DC	Research, concept development, and prototyping of NextGen technologies	1.7B 1.4B
tron Aviation**	Washington, DC	Research, concept development, and prototyping of NextGen technologies	1.14B
oz Allen Hamilton	Washington, DC	Task Order Request Package (TORP) 1073—Systems Tool Application Support	250K
oz Allen Hamiltonoz Allen Hamilton	Washington, DC Washington, DC	TORP 1184—Enterprise Architecture and Engineering Support Systems Engineering for the National Airspace System	1M 650K
neral Dynamics**	Washington, DC	Research, concept development, and prototyping of NextGen technologies	1.18B
I INC	Washington, DC and remote from FL	Contract Support work for the National Airspace Implementation Support Contract	6.1M
		(NISC) office.	
oologe, LLC	Washington, DC	Contract Support for Power Services	680K

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2012

SPEECH OF

### HON. SANFORD D. BISHOP. JR.

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, July 21, 2011

The House in Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union had under consideration the bill (H.R. 2551) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, and for other purposes:

Mr. BISHOP of Georgia. Mr. Chair, I rise today to urge all of my colleagues to support the Bishop amendment to H.R. 2551, the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2012. This amendment would restore \$1 million in funding to the Capitol Police to proide support for security upgrades to Congressional District offices as recommended by the House Sergeant of Arms earlier this year.

Most members, particularly members from rural districts with more than one district office, will undertake a variety of "security" upgrades and improvements to their local offices as a result of the tragic shooting of Rep. Gabrielle Giffords and related security threats.

Coupled with the costs of these new upgrades are reductions in the Members' Representational Allowance MRA for the second year in a row. This includes the 5 percent reduction in MRA in place for Fiscal Year 2011 and the proposed 6.4 percent reduction in MRA proposed in the Fiscal Year 2012 Legislative Branch Appropriations bill, which will be considered on the floor this week. The Fiscal Year 2012 proposed reduction in MRA will result in an average hit of approximately \$95,000 per office, which will likely pose a severe strain on Member budgets. Additionally, you should know that security upgrades and improvements to Senate District offices will not be paid through MRA's.

My amendment would simply provide an additional \$1 million in funding via the Capitol Police for security improvements for those offices impacted by new House security policy. The proposed offset comes from the "Transition Activities" account, which essentially provides funding for furniture and related equipment for Freshman members, which of course, should be minimal in Fiscal Year 2012.

Mr. Chair, it would be our intent, that if this amendment is accepted by this House, that the Sergeant at Arms, Capitol Police, members of our Legislative Branch Appropriations Subcommittee and other pertinent House personnel, would work together to devise an effective plan and strategy for the use, approval and disbursement of these funds for district office security purposes.

The pressure and demands which we already have in managing our MRA's are great, and will be more difficult in the coming year. So it is vitally important that we provide Members of this body some financial relief for the costs of district office security improvements.

While the Legislative Branch Appropriations Subcommittee has the smallest budget of the thirteen Appropriations Subcommittees, and some would say that it is the least glamorous, its work is of vital importance to the entire nation

As most of you know, the Subcommittee is responsible for the protection and preservation

of the treasures in the U.S. Capitol and the Library of Congress, the publishing and dissemination of government information by the Government Printing Office, the objective analysis of our budget and economic decisions by the Congressional Budget Office, and the resources with which we provide representation to our constituents.

However, our collective effectiveness in representing our constituents is potentially at risk given the proposed reductions in our MRA's.

And I would like to remind my colleagues on both sides of the aisle, that after the tragic shootings in Tucson, Members were "strongly encouraged" to provide additional security for themselves, their staff and their constituents in the district—to be paid out of Members' accounts, with possibly some help from the Sergeant at Arms.

With this bill's cut of 6.4 percent in Members' Representational Allowance, combined with the 10 percent in the Sergeant at Arms budget, these improvements in security will be difficult.

Finally, if the Capitol Police are going to assess more threats against Members and take a more active role in district security, then their budget should also reflect these increased demands instead of being frozen.

Mr. Chair, I would also like to enter into the RECORD, a copy of an article that ran in Roll Call, highlighting the need for enhanced safety advancements for Members of Congress, their staffs, and constituencies.

I would ask that you support this important amendment. Thank you for your consideration.

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CUTS TO SERGEANT-AT-ARMS RAISE CONCERNS
FOR SOME

#### (By Daniel Newhauser)

After the shooting of Rep. Gabrielle Giffords (D-Ariz.) in January, Members began looking into ways to secure their district offices. Now, some Democrats are questioning whether House leaders will give them enough money to do so.

Members' Representational Allowances and the House Sergeant-at-Arms office face budget cuts, while House appropriators have proposed flat funding for the Capitol Police.

At a Rules Committee hearing Wednesday to set parameters for this week's floor debate on the legislative branch spending bill, Rep. Jared Polis—who said he received threats as recently as last week—singled out those cuts as his main concern.

"Security is hardly a luxury," the Colorado Democrat said. "How can you justify cutting the Sergeant-at-Arms by 10 percent?"

Although the Sergeant-at-Arms' budget appears larger than it was last Congress, the increase actually comes because it was combined with the Office of Emergency Management, which was created after 9/11 to assist in emergency planning. That office was flatfunded, while the Sergeant-at-Arms received an \$890,000 cut.

Rep. Ander Crenshaw, chairman of the Appropriations Subcommittee on the Legislative Branch, assured Polis that the reduction would not affect security. In an interview before the hearing, the Florida Republican said administrative employees and equipment purchases would most likely take the hit.

"We made sure that none of the cuts to this office were going to affect any kind of safety issues," he said.

After the Giffords shooting, the Sergeantat-Arms offered Members free ADT Security assessments in the district offices. The House Administration Committee also authorized Members to use their MRAs to pay for suggested security enhancements.

But between the 5 percent MRA cut of last fiscal year and the 6.4 percent cut proposed for fiscal 2012—a reduction that would average about \$80,000 per office—Members might be put in a situation where they have to choose to fire one employee in order to afford to protect the rest, some Democrats argued

"We are told that we need to secure our district offices more—for our safety, the safety of our staff and, most importantly, the safety of our constituents," said Rep. Mike Honda (D-Calif.), the subcommittee's ranking member, in a statement. "How are we supposed to pay for that?"

Rep. G.K. Butterfield said he had planned to install bulletproof glass and a digital combination keypad lock at his North Carolina district office, but now he's not so sure.

"That was the plan. Now that we've got this dramatic cut, I don't know what we're going to do," the Democrat said.

Rep. Sanford Bishop said he's skeptical Members will be left with enough money in their MRAs to pay for the upgrades. He was advised to improve lighting and create a barrier between his Georgia offices' public and work areas.

"The security assessments that the Sergeant-at-Arms paid for for all of our offices were very, very telling. But to implement the recommendations for the safety of our constituents and Members and staffs, it's going to cost some funds," the Democrat said. "The MRA is not sufficient."

Bishop has proposed an amendment to the legislative branch bill that would reassign \$1 million from a fund used to assist freshmen in procuring furniture to create a fund within the Capitol Police to assist in paying for district security upgrades.

Sergeant-at-Arms spokeswoman Kern Hanley said that no matter where the budget ends up, the agency would "be able to fully execute our security mission" and that they will help Members efficiently spend their money.

"We will coordinate the provision of professional security assistance to Members by conducting surveys and reviewing office selection options, security systems and policies to aid them in achieving the best value for their security dollars spent," Hanley said in an email.

Republicans said that is the real lesson of the budget cut: Do more with less.

Rep. Michael Grimm, a former FBI agent, said Members can mitigate the security impact of the cuts by raising their awareness when they are at home.

"We have to be a little more efficient but also a little more diligent so the Capitol Police has less work," the New York Republican said. "None of that costs money."

CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND SERVICE OF EDWARD LEITNER ON HIS 100TH BIRTHDAY

# HON. JOE COURTNEY

OF CONNECTICUT

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Wednesday, July 27, 2011

Mr. COURTNEY. Mr. Speaker, it is with great joy and honor that I rise to wish Edward Leitner a very happy birthday as he turns 100 years old today. Edward, a resident of Westbrook, Connecticut, is a veteran of World War II and a shining example of this country's Greatest Generation. I had the opportunity to meet Edward last month at a barbeque culminating Wounded Warriors week—an important,