Tony Spaulding is a Caseworker in the office, and has been a great liaison with Federal agencies and other organizations. Very impressively, Tony was named the NAACP Man of the Year in two consecutive years, due to his hard work on behalf of the organization. Having been raised in North Carolina's 8th District, he possesses the great ability of being able to relate to the issues of our district, allowing him to best serve the people.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Tony for his hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

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#### IN RECOGNITION OF SEAN DUGAN

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Sean Dugan has served as my Legislative Assistant for the past year. During this time, Sean has handled a portfolio of issues including health and taxes. Sean is very passionate about his work, and with that comes a great level of enthusiasm. Hailing from the state of Nebraska, he understands the challenges of a rural district, and that was evident in his work.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Sean for his hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF PAUL IRVING

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Paul Irving has served the people of our district as a Caseworker, and ultimately a Senior Caseworker. In his capacity within our office, Paul manages constituent casework pertaining to the Home Affordable Modification Program and the Home Affordable Refinance Program. He has helped more than 1,000 folks keep their homes. Paul is tenacious on behalf of the people of the 8th District of North Carolina.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Paul for his hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

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Leanne Powell has been a part of my team since before I took office, and has served as my Chief of Staff for the duration of my Congressional tenure. Tasked with managing the personnel of my Washington and District Offices, Leanne has assembled an extraordinary staff. Under her leadership, that staff has worked tirelessly on behalf of the people of our district, and our great nation. Leanne is an incredible leader who has helped guide, encourage, and advise me during my time in office. Having lived in the district most of her life, and having worked for former Congressman Bill Hefner before joining our team, she brought an unparalleled knowledge of North Carolina and its 8th District to our Congressional office. Leanne represents the best in public service. Her commitment to the people of our district, to this office, and to me personally, is truly invaluable.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Leanne for her hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish her continued success in her future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF KEVIN TANN

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Kevin Tann has served as our office's Defense Legislative Fellow for the past year. In this capacity, Kevin serves as a liaison to the United States military. In addition to this, Kevin is an active duty Army Major. It is an honor to have a service member as a part of my staff. Kevin was vital in so many facets of the office, including the organization of this year's 8th District Federal Contracting Symposium, which was a huge success.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Kevin for his hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, his service to the United States, and to wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF JOSHUA LOGELIN

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Joshua Logelin has filled many roles during his time in our office. Starting as an intern in the office, and being hired as a Press Assistant, Staff Assistant, and finally a Caseworker, Joshua has never been afraid of a challenge. Having been raised in North Carolina's 8th District, he possesses the great ability of being

able to relate to the issues of our district, allowing him to best serve the people.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Joshua for his hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF JARROD HALL

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Jarrod Hall has served as my Director of Outreach during his time in the office. In this capacity, he has brought our office to the communities of the 8th District. Jarrod has made sure that our office knows what is going on in each corner of the district. He is an exceptional young man who has been invaluable to keeping lines of communication open, and our office always accessible.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Jarrod for his hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish him continued success in his future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF GEORGIA LOZIER

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Georgia Lozier has served as Deputy District Director for Administration during her time in the office. She is tenacious, and has gone above and beyond to help get millions of dollars in retroactive benefits for our constituents. She is devoted to her job and has helped lead our team to serve the people of our area well.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Georgia for her hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish her continued success in her future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF EMMA LAMBETH

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Emma Lambeth has served as Deputy District Director for Oversight and Compliance during her time in the office. She has been a liaison with Federal agencies and other organizations. Having been raised in North Carolina's 8th District, she possesses the ability of being able to relate to the issues of our district, allowing her to help my team serve the people of our area well.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Emma for her hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish her continued success in her future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF ELENA DITRAGLIA

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Elena DiTraglia has been with me since before I took office. As our Director of Operations she was the person who made sure that all functions of the office, my schedule, and too many other things to list went smoothly. Elena, who is originally from Texas, has made the people of the 8th District of North Carolina her priority, and she has served them so well.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Elena for her hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish her continued success in her future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF ELIZABETH BONNER

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Elizabeth Bonner has served as my Press Assistant during her time in our office. Hailing from the great state of North Carolina, Elizabeth has been an excellent addition to the team. Assisting in all mediums of communication with our district, she has been instrumental in communicating with our constituents.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Elizabeth for her hard work on behalf of North Carolina's 8th District, and the United States, and to wish her continued success in her future endeavors.

IN RECOGNITION OF CHRISTOPHER SCHULER.

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