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

HON. LARRY KISSELL

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Sunday, December 30, 2012

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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.

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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

HON. LARRY KISSELL

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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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Christopher Schuler has held many positions in our office, and provides invaluable counsel. As Communications Director he helped make sure our constituents were always informed, and that their concerns were always put foremost. In addition to being an excellent writer, he is also very knowledgeable about legislation and has also served as Legislative Assistant, and with his help we have been able to lead the "Buy American" effort.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Christopher 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 DAVID DEESE

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David Deese has served as my Outreach Assistant during his time in the office. In our office, David has brought help to those who may not be able to get to our office, through satellite office hours, community meetings, and chamber meetings. This has proved to be very useful for the folks of our district, and has helped to bring our office to the communities. His many years as a newspaper publisher and editor have made him an excellent liaison to the community.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking David 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 CHAZ OFFENBURG

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Chaz Offenburg has served as a Caseworker in our office for more than two and a half years. In that time, Chaz has helped the constituents of our district, and served as a liaison to Federal agencies. Chaz is the epitome of a team player, and was a great member of our office.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Chaz 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 CHRIS KELLEY

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Chris Kelley has served as my Legislative Director for the past year. In his time with the office, Chris has help to guide and implement the legislative agenda of the office. During his time in the office, Chris has covered issues including agriculture and environment. Chris cares deeply about the agriculture issues facing our nation. Having worked in the House for many years, Chris' commitment to the good of our nation is very evident.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing and thanking Chris 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.