

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

RECOGNIZING JINGWEN ZHANG
WINNING THE U.S. INSTITUTE OF
PEACE ESSAY CONTEST FOR
OHIO

HON. JOYCE BEATTY

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 24, 2013

Mrs. BEATTY. Mr. Speaker, today, I rise to recognize one of my constituents in Ohio's Third Congressional District, Jingwen Zhang. Jingwen Zhang is a junior at Thomas Worthington High School in Westerville, Ohio, who recently demonstrated outstanding academic achievement by becoming the state of Ohio winner of the U.S. Institute of Peace 2013 National Peace Essay Contest.

The annual National Peace Essay contest sponsored by the U.S. Institute of Peace engages our nation's youth in an educational essay contest relating to the topics of peacebuilding, conflict resolution, and international affairs. This year's topic was, "Gender, War, and Peacebuilding," and Jingwen Zhang's essay, "Gender Revolution: From Unjust Misogyny to Honorable Equality," earned her a place as one of the 50 high school students selected as the state-level contest winners.

The winners receive a \$1,000 academic scholarship and are invited to Washington D.C. to participate in a five day educational program where they will engage with practitioners and elected officials regarding foreign affairs.

On behalf of Ohio's Third Congressional District, I am honored to commend Jingwen Zhang on her winning essay and I wish her much continued success in her future endeavors.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of 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, June 25, 2013 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's record.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JUNE 26

10 a.m.

Committee on Finance

To hold hearings to examine health care quality, focusing on the path forward.

SD-215

Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine reducing red tape through smarter regulations.

SD-G50

10:30 a.m.

Committee on the Budget

To hold hearings to examine the impact of Federal budget decisions on children, focusing on investing in our future.

SD-608

2 p.m.

Special Committee on Aging

To hold hearings to examine respecting patients' wishes and advance care planning.

SD-124

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Armed Services

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces

To receive a closed briefing on the Defense Science Board Task Force Report, "Resilient Military Systems and the Advanced Cyber Threat".

SVC-217

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine advancing the science and standards of forensics.

SR-253

JUNE 27

10 a.m.

Committee on Appropriations

Business meeting to markup proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2014 for Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies and Energy and Water Development.

SD-106

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Melvin L. Watt, of North Carolina, to be Director of the Federal

Housing Finance Agency, Jason Furman, of New York, to be a Member and Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, Kara Marlene Stein, of Maryland, and Michael Sean Piwowar, of Virginia, both to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, and Richard T. Metsger, of Oregon, to be a Member of the National Credit Union Administration Board.

SD-538

Committee on Environment and Public Works

To hold an oversight hearing to examine Federal risk management and emergency planning programs to prevent and address chemical threats, including the events leading up to the explosions in West, Texas and Geismar, Louisiana.

SD-406

Committee on the Judiciary

Business meeting to consider the nominations of Byron Todd Jones, of Minnesota, to be Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives, and Stuart F. Delery, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, both of the Department of Justice.

SD-226

10:30 a.m.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Subcommittee on Financial and Contracting Oversight

To hold hearings to examine contract management by the Department of Energy.

SD-342

3 p.m.

Select Committee on Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

JULY 16

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

Subcommittee on Water and Power

To hold hearings to examine the Bureau of Reclamation's Colorado River Basin Water Supply and Demand Study.

SD-366

SEPTEMBER 11

10:30 a.m.

Committee on Appropriations

Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2014 for the Federal Communications Commission.

SD-138

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