

Hensarling	McMorris	Ruiz	Simpson	Swalwell (CA)	Waters
Herrera Beutler	Rodgers	Runyan	Slaughter	Tierney	Watt
Himes	McNerney	Ruppersberger	Smith (TX)	Tonko	Welch
Hinojosa	Meadows	Ryan (WI)	Speier	Tsongas	Westmoreland
Holding	Meehan	Sanchez, Loretta	Stockman	Vargas	Wilson (FL)
Horsford	Meng	Scalise	Stutzman	Velázquez	Yarmuth
Hoyer	Messer	Schiff			
Hudson	Mica	Schneider			
Huffman	Michaud	Schock	Amodi	Miller, George	Wasserman
Huizenga (MI)	Miller (FL)	Schwartz	Engel		Schultz
Hunter	Miller (MI)	Schweikert			
Hurt	Miller, Gary	Scott (VA)			
Israel	Moore	Scott, Austin			
Issa	Moran	Scott, David			
Jenkins	Mullin	Sensenbrenner			
Johnson (GA)	Mulvaney	Sessions			
Johnson (OH)	Murphy (FL)	Sewell (AL)			
Johnson, E. B.	Murphy (PA)	Shea-Porter			
Johnson, Sam	Negrete McLeod	Sherman			
Jordan	Neugebauer	Shimkus			
Joyce	Noem	Shuster			
Kaptur	Nugent	Sinema			
Keating	Nunes	Sires			
Kelly	Nunnelee	Smith (NE)			
Kilmer	O'Rourke	Smith (NJ)			
Kind	Olson	Smith (WA)			
King (IA)	Owens	Southerland			
King (NY)	Palazzo	Stewart			
Kinzinger (IL)	Pastor (AZ)	Stivers			
Kirkpatrick	Paulsen	Takano			
Kline	Payne	Terry			
Kuster	Pearce	Thompson (CA)			
Labrador	Pelosi	Thompson (MS)			
LaMalfa	Perry	Thompson (PA)			
Lamborn	Peters (CA)	Thornberry			
Lance	Peterson	Tiberi			
Langevin	Petri	Tipton			
Lankford	Pittenger	Titus			
Larsen (WA)	Pitts	Turner			
Latham	Poe (TX)	Upton			
Latta	Polis	Valadao			
Levin	Pompeo	Van Hollen			
Lipinski	Price (GA)	Veasey			
LoBiondo	Price (NC)	Vela			
Loeb sack	Quigley	Visclosky			
Long	Rahall	Wagner			
Lowenthal	Reed	Walberg			
Lowe	Reichert	Walden			
Lucas	Renacci	Walorski			
Luetkemeyer	Ribble	Walz			
Lujan Grisham	Rice (SC)	Waxman			
(NM)	Rigell	Weber (TX)			
Maffei	Roby	Webster (FL)			
Maloney,	Roe (TN)	Wenstrup			
Carolyn	Rogers (AL)	Whitfield			
Maloney, Sean	Rogers (KY)	Williams			
Marchant	Rogers (MI)	Wilson (SC)			
Marino	Rohrabacher	Wittman			
Matheson	Rokita	Wolf			
McCarthy (CA)	Rooney	Womack			
McCarthy (NY)	Ros-Lehtinen	Woodall			
McCaul	Roskam	Yoder			
McHenry	Ross	Yoho			
McIntyre	Rothfus	Young (AK)			
McKeon	Royce	Young (FL)			
McKinley		Young (IN)			

## NAYS—109

Amash	Fleming	Markey
Bachmann	Fudge	Massie
Bass	Garamendi	Matsui
Becerra	Gingrey (GA)	McClintock
Bishop (NY)	Gohmert	McCollum
Braley (IA)	Grayson	McDermott
Bridenstine	Grijalva	McGovern
Broun (GA)	Hahn	Meeks
Capuano	Hall	Nadler
Cárdenas	Hanabusa	Napolitano
Cartwright	Hastings (FL)	Neal
Castor (FL)	Hastings (WA)	Nolan
Chu	Higgins	Pallone
Cicilline	Holt	Pascarell
Clarke	Honda	Perlmutter
Cohen	Huelskamp	Peters (MI)
Connolly	Hultgren	Pingree (ME)
Conyers	Jackson Lee	Pocan
Crawford	Jeffries	Posey
Crowley	Jones	Rangel
Davis, Danny	Kennedy	Richmond
DeGette	Kildee	Roybal-Allard
DeLauro	Kingston	Rush
DeSantis	Larson (CT)	Ryan (OH)
DesJarlais	Lee (CA)	Salmon
Deutch	Lewis	Sánchez, Linda
Doggett	Lofgren	T.
Doyle	Luján, Ben Ray	Sarbanes
Duncan (TN)	(NM)	Schakowsky
Ellison	Lummis	Schrader
Farr	Lynch	Serrano

## NOT VOTING—4

□ 1054

Ms. WATERS and Mr. CROWLEY changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Mr. GUTIERREZ changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the motion to concur was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. CAMPBELL). The unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, which the Chair will put de novo.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

ADJOURNMENT TO MONDAY,  
MARCH 25, 2013

Mr. WESTMORELAND. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 10 a.m. on Monday, March 25, 2013.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Georgia?

There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER TO  
SERVE AS CO-CHAIR OF THE  
TOM LANTOS HUMAN RIGHTS  
COMMISSION

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to section 4(c) of House Resolution 5, 113th Congress, of the following Member to serve as co-chair of the Tom Lantos Human Rights Commission:

Mr. WOLF, Virginia

□ 1100

## ENERGY INDEPENDENCE

(Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, the Congressional Research Service, the nonpartisan research arm of Congress, recently issued a report confirming a startling trend over the last 5 years: the amount of oil and natural gas being produced in this country is down on Federal lands and up dramatically on private and State lands.

The 1.1 million barrels per day increase in oil production from 2007 to 2012 that continues to make national headlines did not come from our national Federal lands. The boom in shale gas production that's providing unprecedented economic opportunities across my district and continues to make national headlines did not come from Federal lands. In fact, Mr. Speaker, natural gas production climbed 40 percent on State and private lands, while falling about 33 percent on Federal lands.

America's energy resurgence is before us today due to the innovation of our private sector, hardworking American men and women from all walks of life, but their efforts are hindered by the actions of this White House, as demonstrated by these figures.

With what has been accomplished by private individuals on privately held lands, just think how much sooner America can be energy independent if this administration joins this effort.

INSPIRING SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH  
AND INNOVATION ACT

(Ms. SCHWARTZ asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. SCHWARTZ. The National Institutes of Health faces significant cuts to basic scientific research funding this fiscal year. These cuts threaten America's capacity to cure diseases, treat chronic and acute conditions, and find new technologies that advance the health of people worldwide.

That is why I am introducing the Inspiring Scientific Research and Innovation Act. It will restore and supplement this funding by appropriating \$3 billion for the remainder of fiscal 2013.

NIH is the single largest source of biomedical research. It funds research efforts at the NIH campus here in Bethesda, at medical centers, cancer centers, and universities across the Nation. The agency generated \$57.8 billion in economic output nationwide in 2012 alone. This work often takes years and affects every family in America touched by serious health conditions and chronic disease. Failure to adequately and consistently fund this research means lost lives, lost science, and lost economic opportunity.

The funding I propose will not increase the Federal deficit. It is paid for by eliminating tax breaks for corporate jets. We must be clear about our priorities and our values as a Nation.

So the choice is clear: scientific advancement and curing disease or taxpayer support for corporate jets. Choose NIH.

## MONTANA'S TIMBER INDUSTRY

(Mr. DAINES asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DAINES. Montana is well known for its millions of acres of forestland.

As a result, acreage that would normally be privately owned and generating tax revenue to help fund local services is instead locked away by the Federal Government.

In 1908, President Teddy Roosevelt signed legislation ensuring that impacted communities will receive 25 percent of the receipts for timber harvests occurring on Forest Service lands. Because Montana has some of the most abundant forests, this commitment to robust timber harvesting also helped to provide jobs for thousands of families in my home State.

Sadly, timber harvests have plummeted by 90 percent in many areas due to out-of-balance Federal policies. Montana was previously home to 30 mills. It is now home to just seven. This means far fewer jobs for Montanans.

The Secure Rural Schools program has provided short-term relief, but revitalizing our timber industry is the only permanent solution to the problem President Roosevelt recognized 100 years ago. This is my number one priority as a member of the Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands. I look forward to championing this issue.

#### CONGRATULATING THE STUDENTS RUN L.A. PROGRAM

(Mr. CÁRDENAS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. CÁRDENAS. Mr. Speaker, I just want to literally take a minute to congratulate all of the runners and the families and the supporters of the Los Angeles Marathon. But the unique and beautiful thing about the Los Angeles Marathon is that close to 3,000 young people on this past Sunday finished 26.2 miles—26.2 miles. In preparing to do that, millions of miles were walked and run by the children of Los Angeles.

I'd just like to say thank you to the Students Run L.A. program because they literally got my daughter off the couch last October. And Alina Cárdenas ran her first marathon, and never before had she run a marathon or been a runner; so did her little cousin, Kyle Herrera, as well.

So I just want to congratulate and thank all of those young leaders for doing a wonderful job and all of those men and women who helped them get there.

#### COMMEMORATING THE LIFE OF ANDY ATHENS

(Mr. BILIRAKIS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BILIRAKIS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to commemorate the life of a great American and a dear friend, Mr. Andy Athens, who passed away last week at the age of 91.

Since coming to Congress, Andy's counsel and wisdom have been invaluable to me in my role as cochair of the

Hellenic Caucus. His presence will be greatly missed by my colleagues and me on Capitol Hill.

Andy was a veteran of World War II, the chairman of Metron Steel, the first and longest tenured president of the World Council of Hellenes Abroad, and the founder of Orthodox Christian Charities.

Andy's contributions to the Greek Orthodox Church must also not be overlooked. He was a tireless advocate for the Ecumenical Patriarchate, and his devotion was an inspiration for all of us in the Orthodox Church. He was truly an example of how Christ instructed us to live.

Mr. Speaker, the Hellenic and Orthodox communities have lost an unparalleled leader, but we can rest assured his dedication and love for America, Greece, Cyprus, and the Orthodox Church will continue in the many lives he touched. May his memory be eternal.

#### CELEBRATING THE HONORABLE LORETTA L. WOOTTEN

(Mr. CARNEY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CARNEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the many life achievements of the Honorable Loretta L. Wootten, one of Delaware's most devoted public servants. This March as we celebrate the remarkable contributions women have made throughout our Nation's history, I'm proud to recognize Loretta, someone who has broken ground for women in Delaware.

Loretta emerged as a strong leader early in her political career by helping Delaware's own JOE BIDEN win his first bid for the United States Senate in 1972. Since then, she has been a trusted adviser for many Delaware leaders.

In 1986, Loretta became the first woman elected as Register in Chancery in Delaware, a position which she held for four consecutive terms. After retiring in 2000, she once again answered the call of her community by serving as Kent County Clerk of the Peace, which she continues to this day.

In addition to her numerous professional accomplishments, Loretta is a devoted wife to her husband of 51 years and a loving mother and grandmother. She is someone who has earned the respect of everyone in our community and helped make Delaware a better place for future generations. It's a privilege for me to call her a friend and work with her.

□ 1110

#### BALANCING THE BUDGET

(Mr. HARRIS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. HARRIS. Mr. Speaker, the American people saw today that their House

of Representatives is serious in dealing with our crushing debt and deficit.

We took some big steps toward that today. Just minutes ago, we passed a budget that balances within 10 years and yesterday rejected plans that were offered that would never balance a budget. Just minutes ago, we approved a spending plan for the rest of the year that puts us on a path toward balancing that budget.

Mr. Speaker, American families for the past few years had to tighten their belts. Since the beginning of the year, they had to tighten their belts an extra 2 percent with that payroll tax increase in January, and it's about time we did the same belt-tightening in Washington. That's what we did today.

#### IN RECOGNITION OF ERIN DIMEGLIO

(Ms. FRANKEL of Florida asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. FRANKEL of Florida. Mr. Speaker, 4 years ago, Erin DiMeglio was a freshman at South Plantation High School. She was a manager, a water girl, and a trainer's assistant for the varsity football team.

Last spring, Erin was invited off season to work out and earned a spot on the varsity football team. Then something historic happened. Erin's number was called, and she became the first girl in Florida to ever play quarterback in a regular-season varsity high school game.

She's been featured on TV and radio shows all over the country, but that's not all. Erin, who was a senior in high school, received the Florida Achievement Award from the National Commission on the Status of Women, a designation meant to empower and recognize women statewide for their achievements.

Erin is breaking barriers and inspiring girls and a new generation of trail-blazing women. She said that she's trying to prove that girls can do anything that guys can do. She's right. If you want to do something, go and chase your dream, follow your passion and work hard.

On this Women's History Month, I want to recognize Erin and the strides that women have made.

#### END GOVERNMENT INTERFERENCE

(Mr. KINGSTON asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. KINGSTON. Mr. Speaker, recently the government came out with a 106-page regulatory and safety reform plan for ceiling fans. I did not know ceiling fans were such a hazard to America's health, but apparently they are.

So what's going to happen? That \$40 ceiling fan that you've been buying and putting on your back porch will now go to \$400 because we have to keep these