the 30th anniversary of the Bethel Community Storehouse in Moriarty, New Mexico. Serving the impoverished and the homeless, the Bethel Community Storehouse has been a generous contributor to the Greater Estancia Valley and East Mountain area.

In 1987, a bus dliver noticed students that were not dressed properly for the weather; she quickly began providing food and clothes to some of the children on her route. Eventually, there were so many people who needed help that she reached out to a local church. Shortly afterward, the Bethel United Methodist Church Missions Outreach established the Bethel Community Storehouse. In 1991, the storehouse was incorporated as a non-profit entity and moved into its own building.

The Bethel Community Storehouse has been a place of reassurance for struggling families and now employs 10 staff members.

In 2016, the storehouse helped nearly 8,000 families. It served approximately 440,824 meals and clothed 1,387 families. By the end of 2016, volunteers logged 18,600 hours, and 143 community partners helped the Bethel Community Storehouse. Each year, Bethel provides families in need with food, clothing, school supplies, and much more.

We look forward to many more years of service to the community from the Bethel Community Storehouse. This storehouse has been a lifeline to a community in need and showcases true New Mexican compassion. I am confident that the Bethel Community Storehouse will continue giving hope to the surrounding community for years to come.

HONORING NANCY DUFF CAMP-BELL, CO-FOUNDER OF THE NA-TIONAL WOMEN'S LAW CENTER

### HON. ROSA L. DeLAURO

OF CONNECTICUT

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, June~26,~2017

Ms. DELAURO. Mr. Speaker, it is with great pleasure that I rise today to join the many who have gathered in paying tribute to an outstanding leader in the women's movement and my good friend, Nancy Duff Campbell as she steps down as co-president of the National Women's Law Center.

Duffy, as she is affectionately known, has dedicated a lifetime to moving the agenda of women's rights forward and has left an indelible mark on our nation. In 1972, at a time when the United States looked very different for women and women's issues were still considered "fringe issues," Duffy, along with the incomparable Marcia Greenberger, founded the National Women's Law Center, an organization that has become an invaluable resource in the fight for women's rights across the country. The NWLC is responsible for marking critical advances to improve the lives of women for more than 40 years, ensuring that the health and civil rights of women are kept at the forefront of public policy debate and lawmaking. Simply put, the strides we have made would not have been possible without the tireless advocacy of the National Women's Law Center.

A recognized expert on women's law and public policy issues for over forty-five years, Duffy has been a driving force in the development and implementation of key legislative initiatives and litigation protecting women's rights, particularly on issues affecting low-income women and their families. Her expertise on women's law and public policy issues knows no equal and her focus on issues affecting low-income women brought their stories into the public eye where they belonged. She was behind successful litigation protecting benefits for unemployed mothers, the right to child support, and the expansion of the rights of military women facing myriad issues from sexual harassment to the ability to serve in combat.

Duffy's leadership and vision have been recognized with a myriad of awards and accolades over the course of her career. She was named by Working Woman magazine as one of the top 25 heroines whose actions over the last 25 years have advanced Women in the workplace, a Woman of Genius by Trinity Washington University, and the 2010 Woman Lawyer of the Year by the District of Columbia Women's Bar Association. She received a Lifetime Achievement Award from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for her "efforts on behalf of America's children," and was appointed by Congress to the U.S. Commission on Child and Family Welfare, to study and make recommendations on a range of issues. She was the sole North American representative to the 2009 United Nations Conference on the Implications for Women of the Global Financial Crisis and in 2010 was appointed by the Secretary of Defense to the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services. These are just a sample of the recognitions she has received—the legacy she leaves is extraordinary.

I consider myself fortunate to have had so many opportunities to work with and learn from Duffy and I am honored to call her my friend. Her unwavering commitment and personal passion will always serve as an inspiration, not only to myself but for countless others. While her stepping down as co-president is bittersweet, I have no doubt that Duffy will continue to find ways to make a difference.

Trailblazer, advocate, mentor, and friend—for all of her good work and invaluable contributions, I am pleased to rise today to extend my deepest thanks and appreciation to Nancy Duff Campbell. I thank her for all she has done for women in this country. I wish her all the best for health, happiness, and success in everything that comes next.

CELEBRATING THE RETIREMENT OF MARCIA D. GREENBERGER AND NANCY DUFF CAMPBELL

# HON. NANCY PELOSI

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, June 26, 2017

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the bold and visionary leadership of Marcia D. Greenberger and Nancy Duff Campbell, co-founders and co-presidents of the National Women's Law Center (NWLC). Exceptional lawyers, shrewd strategists, and formidable coalition-builders, they retire after five decades on the frontlines of virtually every major advance for women and girls in this nation.

One of Marcia and Duffy's greatest legacies is the persistent leadership of the National

Women's Law Center, the legal advocacy organization they co-founded and co-directed—pioneering progress for women and girls at a moment of landmark new legal and legislative victories for women's rights.

Under Marcia and Duffy's leadership, the NWLC grew into one of America's most formidable and effective organizations for advancing women's rights and opportunities.

Guided by their leadership, the NWLC will continue to honor their founders through strategic, effective and groundbreaking advocacy for a new generation of women and girls. Beyond the Center, the many female, and male, advocates who have been mentored and supported by Marcia and Duffy over the years continue to carry forward their vision.

Marcia's induction to the national Women's Hall of Fame at Seneca Falls, NY in 2015 was a fitting honor for an extraordinary person who has earned a place in the pantheon of champions for America's women. Duffy has been rightly honored with a Lifetime Achievement Award from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for her "efforts on behalf of America's children." These awards are just two of the many recognitions they have received for their leadership.

It has been my honor to work with Marcia and Duffy for three decades and witness first hand their dedication and commitment. On behalf of their many friends in Congress, I commend Marcia D. Greenberger and Nancy Duff Campbell for lifetimes of transformational service for the women of this country and wish them well in all their future endeavors.

THAT SPECIAL FORCE INSIDE: IN HONOR OF JARED BULLOCK'S COURAGE

### HON. JOHN SHIMKUS

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, June 26, 2017

Mr. SHIMKUS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of one of Illinois finest, SFC Jared Bullock of 3rd Battalion 7th Special Forces Group United States Army who grew up in Metropolis. After the 9/11 attacks, Jared and his twin brother Kyle enlisted in the Army to help protect our Nation. After serving two tours in Iraq, SFC Bullock later became a member of the 7th Special Forces Group. He was then almost mortally wounded in Afghanistan in an IED blast on November 13, 2013. The blast killed his friend Staff Sgt. Richard Vazquez and took Jared's arm and leg. It would take 30 surgeries in order to bring Jared back to where he is today. Jared has said, "he knew his life was not over and took the challenge to push on even harder." He has developed special training techniques which have advanced the ability for all others with similar injuries to gain strength and rebuild their lives. He is a fitness and exercise fanatic, pushing the limits of his body to gain strength and good health. He is the proud father of a son Aidan, and is supported by his lovely wife Jesica who is a nurse who adds new meaning to stand by your man. I include in the RECORD this poem penned in his honor by Albert Caswell.

All in the footsteps of our lives All in the paths that we so stride Which comes from so very deep down inside To reach our final destination, to arrive If we wish to reach for the sky Must come from that burning force from within which resides

Is but that Special Force in our hearts which lies

To help us climb the highest mountains in our time

When, failure is not an option

In what we decide

To help us win all those wars with courage fine

Will we give up or steadfastly go onward to rebuild our lives?

Will we harness that great force from deep down inside?

Or live in pity and cry?

As on each new day a part of us begins to die When that magnificent force so decides

So hold's the key to help us make our strides To from out of the ashes to begin to rise

To new beginnings.

To new heights realized

Just when all our hopes and dreams so seem to be compromised

All in these the darkest days of our lives But, comes that Special Force from deep down inside

The kind of force which helps us go off to war

And give up all we love and adore

With the kind of light that helps us put it all on the line

That even makes the angels up in heaven cry And makes us heaven bound when we die Indeed it takes a special heart

Who will don a uniform

and so patriotically march onward to do their part

But, for the greater good all in their hearts As did you Jared thou art

And oh what a striking figure in uniform you'd so cast

Like all of our great American Heroes into the future and from out of the past

Who went off to war and did not ask

And then that fateful day

When, they took your strong arm and leg away

And your brother Ssgt Vazquez's life, for whom you still weep for this day While, lying so close to death Would you fall or would you crest? As it looked as if you had none left

As when you chose to fight your new fight, all in your quest

As we stood back in awe.

and watched what your heart of courage could so etched

As this Special Force deep down inside of you would bless

As your heart and soul began to flex Even Arnold, such dynamic gains could not expect!

As always,

To be the best

No limits

No limits,

From you Jared is what we've all come to expect

As we watched your magnificent heart so flex

What will we do in the darkest days of our lives?

When, all around us such heartache lies

When, all the hope seems to die

All in war's aftermath which lies

Will we find the strength to climb

Letting that Special Force in hearts help us to find

The strength and courage and faith to all remind

That there is no mountain high enough,

No sorrow deep enough

No valley steep enough

Which can defeat that Special Force Inside.

IN RECOGNITION OF NANCY CAMP-BELL FOR HER CAREER WITH THE NATIONAL WOMEN'S LAW CENTER

## HON. DEBBIE DINGELL

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, June 26, 2017

Mrs. DINGELL. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Ms. Nancy Campbell for her work with the National Women's Law Center. As founder and co-president of the organization, Ms. Campbell has been an effective advocate for women throughout her career.

Ms. Campbell began her career as a law professor with appointments at the Georgetown University Law Center and Catholic University's School of Law in Washington, DC. She also served as an attorney with the Center on Social Welfare Policy and Law, where she cofounded the National Women's Law Center with Marcia Greenberger in 1981 as an outgrowth of their work with the institution. The NWLC provides legal assistance for women and develops legislative initiatives to promote fair treatment for women and girls in the United States. The center has been at the forefront of driving action to address these issues, and its advocacy has let to real improvements in protections for women, including stronger enforcement of Title IX, the federal law prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sex.

As cofounder of the NWLC, Ms. Campbell has played a pivotal role in shaping the organization and advancing priorities for women. She was a participant in a successful Supreme Court case that expanded AFDC eligibility to include two-parent families with unemployed mothers, and has strengthened the rights of military women who have faced sexual harassment and discrimination in the workplace. As a result of these accomplishments, Ms. Campbell has received numerous accolades, including a Lifetime Achievement Award from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the District of Columbia Bar's William J. Brennan Award in recognition of her outstanding legal career serving the public. She has been a tireless advocate for women and families, and it is my hope that the NWLC continues to build on her legacy of excellence as she moves on from her current position with the organization.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring Ms. Nancy Campbell for her career with the National Women's Law Center. Ms. Campbell's efforts have led to significant improvements in legal protections for women.

RECOGNIZING BRIAN MR. CURLESS, FOR BEING NAMED THE 54TH ANNUAL WORLD LIVE-STOCK AUCTIONEER CHAMPION

#### HON. CHERI BUSTOS

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, June 26, 2017

Mrs. BUSTOS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Brian Curless of Pittsfield, Illinois, for being named the 54th annual World Livestock Auctioneer Champion by the Livestock Marketing Association.

Mr. Curless stood out amongst 30 other auctioneers in the World Livestock Auctioneer Championship, and was awarded this prestigious title after three rounds of competition. This event works to bring together North America's best livestock auctioneers, showcasing the skill and professionalism required in the livestock auction industry. As someone who has visited the LMA-member Fairview Sale Barn and learned how to be auctioneer from Mr. Curless during a "Cheri on Shift," I can undoubtedly speak to his passion and tal-

Mr. Speaker, I want to again formally congratulate Mr. Curless on his title as the World Livestock Auctioneer Champion. I am proud to have Mr. Curless represent our strong agricultural community on the world's stage.

#### BICENTENNIAL OF McCONNELSVILLE, OHIO

### HON. STEVE STIVERS

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 26, 2017

Mr. STIVERS. Mr. Speaker. I rise today on behalf of the people of Ohio's 15th Congressional District to recognize the bicentennial of McConnelsville, Ohio. Since the earliest settlers first made their homes in the village of Old Town, along the Muskingum River, McConnelsville has been the hub of Morgan County and serves as a reminder of much of our nation's early history.

As early as 1817, many recognized the advantages of the area, including the town's namesake, Roger McConnel. One of the community's earliest residents, he saw its potential and gifted four lots to the fledgling town. A tribute to his memory and the strength of this community, the town's Court House still stands resolute on two of those lots.

Fueled by Mr. McConnel's gift and its strategic location on the riverfront, the area grew rapidly in its earliest years-five churches, fifteen stores, two newspaper offices, and four factories had sprung up by 1846.

Today, it remains the county seat of Morgan County, and a wonderful place to work, live, and raise a family. I am grateful for the leadership of Mayor John Finley, the Members of the Village Council, and all of the neighbors and friends who have maintained McConnelsville's strong connection to tradition and history.

I am honored to represent this village. where the core values of our nation are exemplified. This is a place where community, faith, and freedom are celebrated not just in recognition of the 200th anniversary of its founding, but each and every day,

SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT MOON JAE-IN U.S. VISIT

## HON. MIMI WALTERS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 26, 2017

Mrs. MIMI WALTERS of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of the South Korean President's upcoming trip to the United States. This marks the first official visit to the United States by President Moon Jaein since his election on May 9, 2017.