

By Ms. ADAMS (for herself, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Ms. PLASKETT, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. NORTON, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. BYRNE, Ms. LEE, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. EVANS, Ms. HANABUSA, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. NADLER, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. MEEKS, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. WESTERMAN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. COSTA, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. CRIST, Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Ms. BASS, Mr. WALKER, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. MCEACHIN, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. HILL, Ms. JAYAPAL, and Mrs. DEMINGS):

H. Res. 563. A resolution honoring the accomplishments of the 9 historically Black colleges and universities that celebrated their sesquicentennial the week of September 24, 2017; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. JONES (for himself and Mr. BUDD):

H. Res. 564. A resolution affirming the constitutional power of Congress over the Nation's debts; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. LAWRENCE (for herself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. JORDAN, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. EVANS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. GARAMENDI, Ms. BASS, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, and Ms. MOORE):

H. Res. 565. A resolution expressing support for the recognition of October 9, 2017, as "World Post Day"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. POLIS (for himself, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mrs. COMSTOCK):

H. Res. 566. A resolution expressing support for designation of the week of October 4, 2017, through October 10, 2017, as World Space Week and for the designation of the week of October 8, 2017, through October 14, 2017, as Earth Science Week; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

129. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, urging state and federal departments and agencies responsible for stewardship of public resources, as specified, to make collabora-

tive, statewide salmon fishery restoration an urgent and high priority; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

130. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to House Concurrent Resolution 2010, requesting the Congress of the United States call a convention of the states to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

131. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to House Concurrent Resolution 2013, requesting the Congress of the United States call a convention of the states to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

132. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, urging the Congress of the United States to pass a law to reschedule marijuana or cannabis and its derivatives from a Schedule I drug to an alternative schedule; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and the Judiciary.

133. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, requesting the Governor to request the President of the United States, Members of Congress, and the Federal Highway Administration to dedicate increased funding to California to accelerate and support the planning and development of the plan and to accelerate the completion of existing nonmotorized recreational trails; jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Transportation and Infrastructure.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. MCNERNEY:

H.R. 3995.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the Constitution of the United States grants Congress the authority to enact this bill.

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 3996

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 9

By Mr. ROTHFUS:

H.R. 3997.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution. To borrow Money on the credit of the United States.

By Mr. ZELDIN:

H.R. 3998.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CURBELO of Florida:

H.R. 3999.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mrs. COMSTOCK:

H.R. 4000.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 (Power to lay and collect Taxes); Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 (Commerce Clause); and the Sixteenth Amendment to the Constitution.

By Mr. GARAMENDI:

H.R. 4001.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 4002.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 4003.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 4004.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 18: To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department of Officer thereof.

By Mr. TONKO:

H.R. 4005.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1:

"The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States"

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 62: Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER.

H.R. 490: Mr. KINZINGER.

H.R. 535: Mr. ZELDIN and Mr. CURBELO of Florida.

H.R. 586: Mr. KING of Iowa.

H.R. 592: Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. HOLDING, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mr. ROKITA, Mr. RASKIN, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. LATTI, Mr. GALLAGHER, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. BISHOP of Utah.

H.R. 613: Mr. WILLIAMS.

H.R. 620: Mr. LEWIS of Minnesota, Mr. TIBERI, and Mr. HARRIS.

H.R. 638: Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. HUNTER, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. TAKANO, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 669: Mr. COURTNEY.

H.R. 685: Mr. MCEACHIN.

H.R. 772: Mr. WALKER.

H.R. 807: Mr. GOMEZ, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 820: Mr. O'HALLERAN, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mr. MITCHELL.

H.R. 848: Mr. BACON.

H.R. 866: Mr. DESAULNIER.

H.R. 959: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1017: Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. RICHMOND, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. MCEACHIN, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, and Ms. DELAULO.

H.R. 1038: Mr. PALAZZO.

H.R. 1046: Mr. MULLIN, Mr. COLE, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, and Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 1111: Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.  
 H.R. 1150: Mr. SESSIONS.  
 H.R. 1179: Mr. NORMAN.  
 H.R. 1225: Mr. YODER.  
 H.R. 1243: Ms. DELBENE.  
 H.R. 1251: Mr. SUOZZI.  
 H.R. 1267: Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. NOLAN, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. CLAY.  
 H.R. 1270: Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. PALAZZO, and Mr. KING of New York.  
 H.R. 1276: Mr. CAPUANO.  
 H.R. 1279: Mr. KIND.  
 H.R. 1298: Mr. CARBAJAL and Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 1300: Mr. BROOKS of Alabama.  
 H.R. 1358: Mr. KILDEE, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, and Mrs. DEMINGS.  
 H.R. 1360: Mr. RATCLIFFE.  
 H.R. 1406: Mr. BROWN of Maryland.  
 H.R. 1470: Mr. O'HALLERAN.  
 H.R. 1478: Mr. PANETTA.  
 H.R. 1669: Mr. KILMER.  
 H.R. 1670: Mr. KILMER.  
 H.R. 1676: Mr. O'ROURKE.  
 H.R. 1772: Ms. ROSEN.  
 H.R. 1861: Mr. BUDD.  
 H.R. 1896: Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois and Ms. NORTON.  
 H.R. 1928: Mrs. LOVE.  
 H.R. 1960: Mr. LEVIN.  
 H.R. 1982: Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER.  
 H.R. 2034: Mr. FORTENBERRY and Ms. BROWNLEY of California.  
 H.R. 2063: Mr. SMITH of Washington.  
 H.R. 2095: Mr. TAKANO.  
 H.R. 2101: Mr. BARR and Mr. BYRNE.  
 H.R. 2121: Mr. POLIQUIN and Mr. BANKS of Indiana.  
 H.R. 2228: Ms. JACKSON LEE.  
 H.R. 2242: Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts.  
 H.R. 2259: Mr. COLE.  
 H.R. 2318: Mrs. RADEWAGEN.  
 H.R. 2319: Mr. ZELDIN, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mr. BARLETTA, and Mr. KUSTOFF of Tennessee.  
 H.R. 2345: Mr. HASTINGS.  
 H.R. 2401: Ms. HANABUSA, Mr. COSTA, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 2545: Mr. VALADAO.  
 H.R. 2633: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut and Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas.  
 H.R. 2651: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida and Mr. HECK.  
 H.R. 2670: Ms. CASTOR of Florida.  
 H.R. 2740: Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mrs. LOVE, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. KATKO.  
 H.R. 2790: Mr. HECK.  
 H.R. 2856: Mr. GOMEZ and Mr. FRANCIS ROONEY of Florida.  
 H.R. 2871: Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. BLUM, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. LEWIS of Minnesota, and Mr. GIBBS.

H.R. 2906: Mr. PETERS.  
 H.R. 2933: Mr. CROWLEY.  
 H.R. 2938: Ms. GABBARD.  
 H.R. 3031: Mr. CARBAJAL.  
 H.R. 3034: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, and Mr. LARSEN of Washington.  
 H.R. 3042: Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, and Mr. BERGMAN.  
 H.R. 3107: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.  
 H.R. 3108: Ms. LOFGREN.  
 H.R. 3122: Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.  
 H.R. 3148: Ms. NORTON.  
 H.R. 3303: Ms. TSONGAS.  
 H.R. 3314: Mr. HASTINGS.  
 H.R. 3324: Mr. PAULSEN.  
 H.R. 3329: Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. HIMES, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. GOMEZ, Mr. CARTER of Texas, and Mr. BILLIRAKIS.  
 H.R. 3380: Ms. HANABUSA, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. GUTIÉRREZ.  
 H.R. 3415: Mr. CONYERS, Ms. TSONGAS, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.  
 H.R. 3441: Mr. BANKS of Indiana, Mr. ZELDIN, Mr. WOODALL, Mr. COMER, Mrs. LOVE, Mr. HOLDING, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. LATTA, and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER.  
 H.R. 3452: Mr. CUELLAR.  
 H.R. 3459: Mr. HIGGINS of New York.  
 H.R. 3530: Mr. YOUNG of Iowa.  
 H.R. 3666: Ms. MCSALLY.  
 H.R. 3711: Mr. RATCLIFFE.  
 H.R. 3716: Mr. DESAULNIER.  
 H.R. 3741: Mr. RICHMOND.  
 H.R. 3749: Ms. JACKSON LEE.  
 H.R. 3757: Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York and Mr. DESAULNIER.  
 H.R. 3759: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. BYRNE.  
 H.R. 3761: Mr. ABRAHAM.  
 H.R. 3766: Mr. COURTNEY and Mr. PERLMUTTER.  
 H.R. 3789: Mr. DESAULNIER.  
 H.R. 3798: Mr. SESSIONS and Mr. WOODALL.  
 H.R. 3806: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.  
 H.R. 3808: Mr. REED.  
 H.R. 3814: Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts.  
 H.R. 3832: Mr. FASO, Mrs. LOVE, Mr. BYRNE, and Mr. HUDSON.  
 H.R. 3852: Ms. ADAMS.  
 H.R. 3853: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.  
 H.R. 3860: Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.  
 H.R. 3862: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire and Mr. TAKANO.  
 H.R. 3875: Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. DESAULNIER, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.  
 H.R. 3881: Ms. SINEMA, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Ms. DELAULO, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. LOEBSACK, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Mr.

McGOVERN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. MOULTON, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Mrs. DEMINGS.

H.R. 3889: Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana and Mr. LATTA.

H.R. 3923: Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. RICHMOND, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 3938: Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, Ms. ESHOO, and Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 3940: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 3947: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. KILMER, and Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 3987: Ms. MENG.

H. Con. Res. 43: Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. HASTINGS, and Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania.

H. Con. Res. 52: Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H. Con. Res. 81: Mr. WALZ, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. WELCH, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. RUSH.

H. Res. 220: Mr. FRANKS of Arizona.

H. Res. 257: Ms. WILSON of Florida.

H. Res. 367: Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mrs. DINGELL.

H. Res. 401: Mr. LYNCH.

H. Res. 529: Mr. O'HALLERAN.

H. Res. 555: Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. PANETTA, Ms. TITUS, and Mr. KIHUEN.

H. Res. 556: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania and Ms. ESHOO.

H. Res. 557: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania and Ms. ESHOO.

H. Res. 560: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. DESAULNIER, and Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H. Res. 561: Mr. GOSAR.

#### CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS, LIMITED TAX BENEFITS, OR LIMITED TARIFF BENEFITS

Under clause 9 of rule XXI, lists or statements on congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits were submitted as follows:

##### OFFERED BY MR. GOWDY

The provisions that warranted a referral to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform in S. 585 do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

##### OFFERED BY MR. ROE OF TENNESSEE

The provisions that warranted a referral to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs in S. 585 do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.