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Norcross	Rouzer	Thompson (CA)
Norman	Roybal-Allard	Thompson (MS)
Nunes	Royce (CA)	Thompson (PA)
O'Halleran	Ruiz	Thornberry
O'Rourke	Ruppersberger	Tiberi
Olson	Rush	Tipton
Palazzo	Russell	Titus
Pallone	Rutherford	Tonko
Palmer	Ryan (OH)	Torres
Panetta	Sánchez	Trott
Pascrell	Sanford	Tsongas
Paulsen	Sarbanes	Turner
Payne	Scalise	Upton
Pearce	Schakowsky	Valadao
Pelosi	Schiff	
Perlmutter	Schneider	Vargas
Perry	Schrader	Veasey
Peters	Schweikert	Vela
Peterson	Scott (VA)	Velázquez
Pingree	Scott, Austin	Visclosky
Pittenger	Scott, David	Wagner
Poe (TX)	Sensenbrenner	Walberg
Poliquin	Serrano	Walden
Polis	Sessions	Walker
Posey	Sewell (AL)	Walorski
Price (NC)	Shea-Porter	Walters, Mimi
Quigley	Sherman	Walz
Raskin	Shimkus	Wasserman
Ratcliffe	Shuster	Schultz
Reed	Simpson	Waters, Maxine
Reichert	Sinema	Watson Coleman
Renacci	Sires	Weber (TX)
Rice (NY)	Slaughter	Webster (FL)
Rice (SC)	Smith (MO)	Welch
Richmond	Smith (NE)	Wenstrup
Roby	Smith (NJ)	Westerman
Roe (TN)	Smith (TX)	Williams
Rogers (AL)	Smith (WA)	Wilson (FL)
Rogers (KY)	Smucker	Wilson (SC)
Rohrabacher	Soto	
Rokita	Speier	Wittman
Rooney, Francis	Stefanik	Womack
Rooney, Thomas	Stewart	Woodall
J.	Stivers	Yarmuth
Ros-Lehtinen	Suozzi	Yoder
Rosen	Swalwell (CA)	Yoho
Roskam	Takano	Young (AK)
Ross	Taylor	Young (IA)
Rothfus	Tenney	Zeldin

## NOT VOTING-6

Bridenstine Green Gene Brownley (CA) Kennedy

Lawson (FL) Pocan

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NAPOLI-ESPAILLAT, Mrs. Mr. TANO. Messrs. CAPUANO, LYNCH, Miss RICE of New York. Messrs. SIRES, HUFFMAN, and CARDENAS changed their vote from "nay" "yea."

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS ACT. 2018

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on passage of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 123) making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2018, and for other purposes, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the joint resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the joint resolution.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 235, nays 193, not voting 5, as follows:

## [Roll No. 670]

### YEAS-235

Abraham

Aderholt

Amodei

Arrington

Banks (IN)

Allen

Babin

Bacon

Barletta

Barr

Barton

Black

Blum

Bost

Brat

Buck

Budd

Bergman

Bilirakis

Bishop (MI)

Bishop (UT)

Blackburn

Brady (TX)

Brooks (IN)

Buchanan

Bucshon

Burgess

Bustos

Calvert

Chabot

Chenev

Cole

Comer

Cook

Comstock

Conaway

Cramer

Crist

Curtis

Davidson

Denham

DeSantis

Donovan

Duffv

Dunn

Faso

Flores

Foxx

Emmer

Estes (KS)

Farenthold

Ferguson

Fitzpatrick

Fortenberry

Franks (AZ)

Gallagher

Gianforte

Goodlatte

Gottheimer

Gibbs

Gowdy

Adams

Aguilar

Amash

Beatty

Bass

Bera

Beyer

Biggs

F.

Bishop (GA)

Blumenauer

Bonamici

Blunt Rochester

Boyle, Brendan

Barragán

Frelinghuysen

Fleischmann

DesJarlais

Diaz-Balart

Duncan (SC)

Duncan (TN)

Dent

Crawford

Culberson

Curbelo (FL)

Davis, Rodney

Coffman

Carter (GA)

Carter (TX)

Collins (GA)

Collins (NY)

Costello (PA)

Byrne

Granger Peterson Graves (GA) Pittenger Graves (LA) Poe (TX) Graves (MO) Poliquin Grothman Posey Guthrie Reed Handel Reichert Harper Renacci Rice (SC) Hartzler Hensarling Roby Roe (TN) Herrera Beutler Hice, Jody B. Rogers (AL) Higgins (LA) Rogers (KY) Hill Rohrabacher Holding Rokita Hudson Rooney, Francis Huizenga Rooney, Thomas Hultgren J. Hunter Ros-Lehtinen Rosen Roskam Hurd Issa Jenkins (KS) Ross Jenkins (WV) Rothfus Johnson (LA) Rouzer Johnson (OH) Royce (CA) Johnson, Sam Ruiz Russell Jordan Joyce (OH) Rutherford Katko Rvan (WI) Kelly (MS) Sanford Kelly (PA) Scalise Schneider King (IA) Schweikert King (NY) Kinzinger Scott, Austin Knight Scott, David Sensenbrenner Kustoff (TN) LaHood Sessions LaMalfa Shimkus Lamborn Shuster Lance Simpson Latta Sinema Lewis (MN) Smith (MO) LoBiondo Smith (NE) Long Smith (NJ) Loudermilk Smith (TX) Love Smucker Lucas Speier Stefanik Luetkemeyer MacArthur Stewart Marchant Stivers Marino Taylor Marshall Tenney Mast Thompson (PA) McCarthy Thornberry McCaul Tiberi McClintock Tipton McHenry Trott McKinley Turner McMorris Upton Rodgers Valadao McSallv Wagner Meadows Walberg Meehan Walden Walker Messer Mitchell Walorski Walters, Mimi Moolenaar Walz Mullin Murphy (FL) Weber (TX) Webster (FL) Newhouse Wenstrup Noem Norman Westerman Nunes Williams O'Halleran Wilson (SC) Olson Womack Palazzo Woodall Palmer Yoder Paulsen Yoho Young (AK) Pearce Peters Young (IA)

## NAYS-193

Brady (PA) Clay Brooks (AL) Cleaver Brown (MD) Clyburn Butterfield Cohen Capuano Connolly Carbajal Cooper Cárdenas Correa Carson (IN) Costa Courtney Cartwright Castor (FL) Crowley Castro (TX) Cuellar Cummings Chu, Judy Cicilline Davis (CA) Clark (MA) Davis, Danny Clarke (NY) DeFazio

Delaney DeLauro DelBene Demings DeSaulnier Deutch Dingell Doggett Doyle, Michael Ellison Engel Eshoo Espaillat Esty (CT) Evans Foster Frankel (FL) Fudge Gabbard Gaetz Gallego Garamendi Garrett Gohmert Gomez Gonzalez (TX) Gosar Green, Al Green, Gene Griffith Grijalva Gutiérrez Hanabusa. Harris Hastings Heck Higgins (NY) Himes Hollingsworth Hover Huffman Jackson Lee Jayapal Jeffries Johnson (GA) Johnson, E. B. Jones Kaptur

Kelly (IL) Khanna Kihuen Kildee Kilmer Kind Krishnamoorthi Kuster (NH) Labrador Langevin Larsen (WA) Larson (CT) Lawrence Lee Levin Lewis (GA) Lieu, Ted Lipinski Loebsack Lofgren Lowenthal Lowey Lujan Grisham, M Luján, Ben Ray Lynch Malonev. Carolyn B. Maloney, Sean Massie Matsui McCollum McEachin McGovern McNerney Meeks Meng Mooney (WV) Moore Moulton Nadler Napolitano Nolan Norcross O'Rourke Pallone Panetta Pascrell Payne Keating Pelosi

Perlmutter Perry Pingree Polis Price (NC) Quigley Raskin Ratcliffe Rice (NY) Richmond Roybal-Allard Ruppersberger Rush Ryan (OH) Sánchez Sarbanes Schakowsky Schiff Schrader Scott (VA) Serrano Sewell (AL) Shea-Porter Sherman Sires Slaughter Smith (WA) Soto Suozzi Swalwell (CA) Takano Thompson (CA) Thompson (MS) Titus Tonko Torres Tsongas Vargas Veasev Vela Velázquez Visclosky Wasserman Schultz Waters, Maxine Watson Coleman Welch Wilson (FL) Wittman Yarmuth Zeldin

## NOT VOTING-

Bridenstine Kennedy Pocan Brownley (CA) Lawson (FL)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remain-

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So the joint resolution was passed. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. McCARTHY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today for the purpose of making a scheduling announcement.

Mr. Speaker, I first want to thank all the Members for their flexibility in coming back to town this past Monday. As such, Members are advised that votes are no longer expected in the House tomorrow, Friday, December 8.

Members are further advised to be prepared for the House to be in session the week of December 18. First votes of that week will be expected at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, December 18.

We all know we have important work to do, including passing the historic Tax Cuts and Jobs Act for the American people. I think that will be an excellent Christmas present.

If there are any further changes to our schedule, I will be sure to let all Members know.

Mr. HOYER. Will the gentleman yield?

Mr. McCARTHY. I yield to the gentleman from Maryland.

Mr. HOYER. I thank the majority leader for yielding.

Normally, of course, we would have a scheduling discussion tomorrow at the end of business, but in light of the fact that we are not meeting tomorrow, we will not have that colloquy.

Mr. Speaker, can the leader give us some indication of what might be considered next week? As we know, there are numerous items that need to be resolved before we leave here this year, and we need to obviously have some BCA, Budget Control Act, numbers arrived at so that the Appropriations Committee can move forward either on an omnibus or appropriations bills. We need to do flood insurance. We need to do FISA section 702. We need to do, obviously, the Children's Health Insurance Program, and other matters.

Mr. Speaker, can the leader, who has just said that we will be in—is he anticipating 4 days next week? Four days next week, and presumably 4 days or 5 days the following week? So let's say we have 9 legislative days.

Mr. Speaker, can the leader give us some idea of how we might accomplish the work that needs to be done in that timeframe?

Mr. McCarthy. Mr. Speaker, I will miss the colloquy tomorrow. I always look forward to speaking with my friend.

Mr. Speaker, as the gentleman knows, the Rules Committee has met, so we will see a Financial Services bill that they met on. Members will also get a list of all the suspensions. That will be by close of business tomorrow.

But the gentleman is right. There is a lot of work to be done. We have passed CHIP going forward. As the gentleman knows, in this bill that we just voted on, for those who voted yes, it continues funding for them for the rest of this year.

Mr. Speaker, as the gentleman knows, this House has passed all 12 appropriations bills, but we have more work to get done.

Knowing my friend is concerned, coming from the Appropriations Committee as well, I would hope you join with us. We would like to see the Senate take some actions. I know leadership from both sides of the aisle has just visited with the President. I hope we can come to an agreement so we can finish this out.

I also hope the gentleman would join with me in encouraging the Senate, not just on the appropriations bills, but the 352 bills that we have out of this House sitting over there.

Mr. Speaker, the part that the American people must know, most of those bills have very broad bipartisan support.

I am looking forward to a busy 9 days. It will not come up next week,

but if it could, I would bring it up as soon as we come out of conference because I do believe the American people are waiting for the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act to continue what we have gone through.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

### LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I hear the majority leader's hope that we will move appropriations bills on the Senate side. Obviously, one of the things that we have been trying to work on for the last 90 days, Mr. Speaker, has been trying to get to an agreement on the numbers that will replace the sequester numbers that certainly many people on your side don't want for the defense side of the budget.

Obviously, we believe that we had an agreement over the last 4 years for parity in spending. We would hope that we could reach an agreement similar to that agreement.

Furthermore, Mr. Speaker, I am sure that Mr. McConnell, the majority leader, could bring appropriations bills to the floor, and he has not done that. We don't control the Senate, and those bills have not been brought to the floor. You can't pass them if they aren't brought to the floor.

Furthermore, Mr. Speaker, they need to be bipartisan bills, because the history is that the majority party, Mr. Speaker, has not been able to get a majority of votes. They did today, but the history is, since 2011, that has not happened; therefore, failing that, you need to work in a bipartisan fashion, Mr. Speaker, the Senate does, in order to get these bills done.

Mr. Speaker, in addition, I won't go into all the pieces of legislation that are pending that need to pass for the welfare of our country, the security of our country, and the assistance to our people. I would hope that we could proceed and proceed now. Frankly, I am available tomorrow, Mr. Speaker, and I am sure others are, to start talking about how we reach agreement on these critical issues, because 9 days, as we all know, is not very much time.

We have had 90 days. We unanimously voted for a continuing CR. Ninety of your members voted against it. I say respectfully, the reason we got 90 days to hopefully reach agreement on a number of critical issues, critical to us, and I think critical to you, was because every one of us on this side of the aisle voted for the CR, and 90 of the Republicans voted against it. It could never have gotten to a majority but for our votes.

I would hope that now that we have another 2 weeks that we start sitting down together, reaching agreement, and are prepared next week to start voting on bipartisan bills that both sides can support. Neither side will get

all it wants, but that is the way I think that this House will proceed as a credit to the House and a credit to the American people.

Mr. McCARTHY. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. HOYER. I yield to the gentleman from California.

Mr. McCARTHY. Mr. Speaker, the gentleman is right, we have a great amount of work to do. We just voted on a bill that, I will guarantee you, 221 Members on this side who carried it, was not the bill they were seeking. They do not want to look at the troops and say they are not funded and they are not getting their pay raise that we voted on earlier.

Mr. Speaker, the gentleman, my friend, has told me, time and again, funding government is not a game. There was nothing in the bill that we just passed that both sides could not say that it was a bipartisan bill. There was nothing on our side of the aisle that we put into that bill that would give anybody on either side heartache.

But it was not a bill that we should have to have voted on, on this floor. We did 12 appropriations bills. We should not be voting for continuing resolutions. That is not why we are elected.

So let's do this. As we make our travel plans back, knowing that we will be back next week, let's make a commitment to one another, let's make a commitment to this country, that we will get our work done, that we will find the common ground, that we will not whip against a bill just to try to shut a government down, but will find the very best that this body could come to conclusion with, and that means funding our troops, and I look forward to working with all of you in the coming weeks.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, reclaiming my time, my presumption is that the chairman of the Armed Services Committee, who voted against the CR in September, did not do it because he wasn't for funding the troops; did not do it because he didn't want to protect the security of our country; did not do it because he wanted to shut down the government, I presume. None of us did either.

We did it because we are very concerned about the fact that 90 days ago we voted for a CR that was noncontroversial, notwithstanding the fact that 90 on your side voted against it. It was noncontroversial, however. The President agreed to it. You agreed to it. I agreed to it. We had an agreement.

But the fact of the matter is that we have not used those 90 days productively in a bipartisan way to get to constructive resolutions of these issues. I agree with the gentleman, we ought to do that.

I will pledge to the gentleman that I and my leadership here and our Members will come at least 50 percent of the way. You are in charge. You have the responsibility. We understand that. But, as we have in the past, almost every time, whether it was Speaker