

(b) a document, showing by appropriate typographical devices the omissions and insertions proposed, the entire text of each section of a statute that is proposed to be repealed; and a comparative print of each amendment to the entire text of a section of a statute that the bill or joint resolution proposes to make. If the Joint Committee reports a bill or joint resolution proposing to repeal or amend a statute or part thereof with a recommendation that the bill or joint resolution be amended, such comparative print shall also reflect the changes in existing law proposed to be made by the bill or joint resolution as proposed to be amended.

RULE VI—PUBLIC ACCESS AND TRANSPARENCY

1. (a) Any report or legislative language approved by the Joint Committee, the result of each record vote taken by the Joint Committee, and any Committee Print published by the Joint Committee shall be made available to the public in electronic form.

(b) Not later than 24 hours after the adoption of any amendment to the report or legislative language, the Co-Chairs shall make the text of each such amendment publicly available in electronic form.

(c) Not later than 48 hours after a record vote is completed, the information described in clause 2(b) of rule IV shall be made publicly available in electronic form.

2. To the maximum extent practicable, the Joint Committee shall—

(a) provide audio and video coverage of each hearing or meeting for the transaction of business in a manner that allows the public to easily listen to and view the proceedings; and

(b) maintain the recordings of such coverage in a manner that is easily accessible to the public.

HONORING MS. ZOE SLOAN CALLAN

HON. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM

OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Ms. Zoe Sloan Callan for her victory at the New Mexico finals of the Poetry Out Loud recitation competition. Ms. Callan is New Mexico's representative at the national finals this week.

Ms. Callan is a freshman at the Native American Community Academy in Albuquerque. She earned first place at the 13th Annual New Mexico Finals of Poetry Out Loud last month, a competition that featured over 1,600 students and 35 teachers from across the state.

Ms. Callan's winning recitation consisted of "Abecedarian Requiring Further Examination of Anglikan Seraphym Subjugation of a Wild Indian Rezervation" by Natalie Diaz, "The New Colossus" by Emma Lazarus, and "Famous" by Naomi Shihab Nye.

In recognition of her achievement, Ms. Callan received \$200, as well as a \$500 stipend to purchase poetry books for her school's library. She also received an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. with her grandmother, Ms. Jackie Miles, to compete in the national finals.

Mr. Speaker, on behalf of Albuquerque community, I want to congratulate Ms. Zoe Sloan Callan on her impressive victory at the New Mexico Finals of Poetry Out Loud. We wish

her the best of luck in the national finals and all her future endeavors.

HONORING THE RETIREMENT OF CMSGT JOSEPH R. MCARTHUR, 911TH AIRLIFT WING, U.S. AIR FORCE

HON. KEITH J. ROTHFUS

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Mr. ROTHFUS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Citizen Airman Chief Master Joseph R. McArthur upon his retirement after more than 37 years of honorable service in the United States Air Force and United States Air Force Reserve.

Chief McArthur was born in Duluth, Minnesota and graduated from Spring Lake Park Senior High School in 1980. He entered the U.S. Air Force in November of that year. His first assignment was to the 9th Bombardment Squadron at the former Carswell AFB, Texas. After promotion to the rank of Senior Airman below-the-zone on 1 June 1983, he departed for Verona, Italy where he was assigned to NATO's Joint Signal Support Group. He was later reassigned to the 48th Tactical Fighter Wing at Royal Air Force Lakenheath where he was awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal for Heroism.

Chief McArthur moved to Ramstein Air Base, Germany in July 1986 after he was designated the Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge (NCOIC) of Personnel for the AF European Broadcasting Squadron. In 1988, Chief McArthur completed the Non-Commissioned Officer Leadership School as a Distinguished Graduate. Two years later, Chief McArthur was reassigned to the 40th Mission Support Group, Aviano Air Base, Italy as the NCOIC of Personnel Readiness where he supported Operations DESERT SHIELD/STORM and PROVIDE COMFORT.

In 1992, he joined the 98th Air Refueling Group as the Chief of Personnel of Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana with the Air Force Reserve. In August 1996, then-TSgt McArthur was reassigned to the 911th Airlift Wing, Pittsburgh International Airport Air Reserve Station where he served in various positions. The following year, Chief McArthur was promoted to Master Sergeant and to Senior Master Sergeant in 1999.

After the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001, Chief McArthur supported Operation NOBLE EAGLE. He led a contingent of security forces personnel to the CENTCOM Area of Responsibility with the 321st Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron, Masirah Air Base, Oman.

In 2005, he became the Air Transportation Manager within the Aerial Port career field. From 2006–2007, he was deployed to the 489th Aerial Port Squadron, Andrews AFB, Maryland. During that deployment, Chief McArthur completed his Bachelor of Science Degree in Management from American Military University.

He returned to the 911th Airlift Wing in 2007, being promoted to Chief Master Sergeant. Chief McArthur forged partnerships with local educational institutions to allow college-level courses to be taught at the 911th Airlift Wing. His vision came to fruition in January

2014 when the 911th Airlift Wing partnered with Robert Morris University to begin teaching General Education courses. Since this partnership started, the 911th Airlift Wing has presented over 150 Community College of the Air Force Associate degrees.

In 2008, he deployed to the 455th Expeditionary Airlift Wing at Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan. Following his deployment, Chief McArthur was selected to become the "defacto" Group Superintendent for the 911th Mission Support Group. Three years later, he deployed as the Superintendent of the Air Mobility Division at the Combined Air Operations Center, Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar.

In 2014, he became the Air Transportation Functional Manager (Forward), Headquarters, Air Forces Central Command, Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar. He deployed in 2017 and 2018 with the 379th Expeditionary Force Support Squadron as the Superintendent for Manpower and Personnel Flight.

In 2016, he was awarded a Master of Science Degree in Organizational Leadership from Robert Morris University.

Chief McArthur is a highly decorated individual who has been awarded 8 Meritorious Service Medals, 2 Air Force Commendation Medals, and 2 Air Force Achievement Medals.

I commend Chief Master Sergeant Joseph R. McArthur for his commitment and sacrifices he has made for our country. On this occasion of his retirement from the U.S. Air Force, I thank him for his honorable service. The United States of America has benefited greatly from Chief McArthur's visionary leadership, planning, and foresight. We wish him and his wife, Barbara, the very best.

20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CON- GRESSIONAL PRAYER BREAK- FAST

HON. JOHN SHIMKUS

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Mr. SHIMKUS. Mr. Speaker, I rise to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Congressional Prayer Breakfast.

Prior to its origination, many residents of Illinois had attended what was then called the St. Louis Mayor's Prayer Breakfast. I was invited myself to attend by Gary Tedrick, a local businessman who was involved with the sponsoring organization—CBMC.

We then discussed hosting an Illinois version to be called the Congressional Prayer Breakfast. Upon conferring with Congressman Jerry Costello (D, Belleville), we agreed this would be a good thing to do. It would remind us of our common faith and that there is more that unites us than divides us. We ended up co-hosting the event for 14 years.

Gary led the formation of the breakfast along with the help of David Stevenson, Mark Repking, Ted Prehn, and Stan Bower from the St. Louis chapter of CBMC, and Gary continues to lead it with the help of dozens of volunteers. People such as Bob Plummer and Scott Adams are original sponsors from the very beginning.

We have heard from a wide range of speakers over the years, who tell their stories of the trials of life and faith, but all of them have had the same common belief in Jesus Christ.

I want to thank former Congressmen Jerry Costello and Bill Enyart for co-hosting, as well as my current co-hosts, Congressmen RODNEY DAVIS and MIKE BOST. I also want to thank Steve Jankowski, who has served as our emcee for all 20 years.

I want to thank the current steering committee members: Scott Adams, Mike Baese, George Weber, Dick Bold, Julie Lading, Bob Plummer, Larry Absheer, Gary Tedrick, Tony Kalinowski, David Stevenson, Tracy Bodenbach, Eric McRoy, and David Wiegand. In addition, I want to thank Bott Radio for broadcasting the breakfast for several years now.

I want to thank R.P. Lumber in Edwardsville, Answer Midwest in Alton, and Larry's Hairy

Business in Fairview Heights for hosting weekly discussion groups.

My involvement in reaching the 20 year milestone for the Congressional Prayer Breakfast has been limited, and it would not have happened without the dedication of Gary and his team and the hundreds of attendees each year.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. DIANE BLACK

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Mrs. BLACK. Mr. Speaker, I am not recorded for Roll Call votes on Tuesday, April

24, 2018 because I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted Aye on final passage for the following bills: S. 447, the Justice for Uncompensated Survivors Today Act, H.R. 4744, the Iran Human Rights and Hostage-Taking Accountability Act, and H.R. 4681, the No Assistance for Assad Act.

Together, these bills promote America's obligation to protect religious freedom and human rights around the world.