

DesJarlais	King (IA)	Rogers (AL)
Diaz-Balart	King (NY)	Rogers (KY)
Duncan	Kinzinger	Rooney (FL)
Dunn	Kustoff (TN)	Rose, John W.
Emmer	LaHood	Rouzer
Estes	LaMalfa	Roy
Ferguson	Lamborn	Rutherford
Fleischmann	Latta	Scalise
Flores	Lesko	Schweikert
Fortenberry	Long	Scott, Austin
Foxx (NC)	Loudermilk	Sensenbrenner
Fulcher	Lucas	Shimkus
Gaetz	Luetkemeyer	Smith (MO)
Gallagher	Marchant	Smith (NE)
Gianforte	Marshall	Smucker
Gibbs	Massie	Spano
Gonzalez (OH)	Mast	Stauber
Gooden	McCarthy	Steil
Gosar	McClintock	Steube
Granger	McHenry	Stewart
Graves (GA)	McKinley	Stivers
Graves (LA)	Meadows	Taylor
Graves (MO)	Meng	Thompson (PA)
Green (TN)	Meuser	Thornberry
Griffith	Miller	Tipton
Grothman	Mitchell	Tlaib
Guest	Moolenaar	Turner
Guthrie	Mooney (WV)	Upton
Hagedorn	Mullin	Vargas
Harris	Murphy (NC)	Vela
Hartzler	Newhouse	Wagner
Hern, Kevin	Norman	Walberg
Hice (GA)	Nunes	Walden
Higgins (LA)	Ocasio-Cortez	Walker
Hill (AR)	Olson	Walorski
Holding	Omar	Waltz
Hollingsworth	Palazzo	Watkins
Hudson	Palmer	Weber (TX)
Huizenga	Pence	Webster (FL)
Hunter	Perry	Wenstrup
Johnson (LA)	Posey	Westerman
Johnson (OH)	Pressley	Williams
Johnson (SD)	Reed	Wilson (SC)
Jordan	Reschenthaler	Wittman
Joyce (OH)	Rice (SC)	Womack
Joyce (PA)	Riggleman	Woodall
Keller	Roby	Wright
Kelly (MS)	Rodgers (WA)	Yoho
Kelly (PA)	Roe, David P.	Zeldin

NOT VOTING—7

Bilirakis	Gohmert	Timmons
DeGette	Ratcliffe	
Gabbard	Serrano	

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Mr. BOST and Ms. CLARKE of New York changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Messrs. VEASEY and HORSFORD changed their 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 (Ms. SCHRIER). Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, 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.

DIRECTING THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO MAKE A CORRECTION IN THE ENROLLMENT OF H.R. 3055

Mrs. LOWEY. Madam Speaker, I send to the desk a concurrent resolution and ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

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

There was no objection.

The text of the concurrent resolution is as follows:

H. CON. RES. 75

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That, in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 3055, the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make the following corrections:

(1) Amend the long title so as to read: “Making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes.”.

(2) Redesignate the second subsection (a) of section 1703 as subsection (b):

The concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

ELECTING MEMBERS TO CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND RANKING MEMBERS ON CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. JEFFRIES. Madam Speaker, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, I offer a privileged resolution and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 72

Resolved, That the following named Members be, and are hereby, elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES: Mr. Brindisi.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE: Mr. Lamb.

Resolved, That the following named Members be, and are hereby, ranked as follows on the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY: Mr. Lamb (to rank immediately after Ms. Wexton).

COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS: Mr. Brindisi (to rank immediately after Ms. Underwood).

Mr. JEFFRIES (during the reading). Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be considered as read and printed in the RECORD.

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

There was no objection.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 737

Mr. RIGGLEMAN. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to be removed as a cosponsor of H.R. 737.

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

There was no objection.

RECOGNIZING ALZHEIMER’S AWARENESS MONTH

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

Mr. PAYNE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize November as Alzheimer’s Awareness Month.

Alzheimer’s disease causes brain cells to waste away slowly and die, causing memory loss and, possibly, death. It is a condition that affects 5.5 million Americans and growing.

It was believed to be a disease of old age, but diet, exercise, and lifestyle are becoming larger factors.

It is a personal concern for me because I am a diabetic. I have a greater chance of contracting it as I age.

But Alzheimer’s patients are not the only ones who suffer. The disease takes a terrible toll on loved ones as sufferers demand constant care.

Madam Speaker, we need to devote more resources to a disease that could affect us all.

RECOGNIZING JOHN O. BROWN AS TENNESSEE SECOND DISTRICT’S VETERAN OF THE MONTH

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

Mr. BURCHETT. Madam Speaker, I rise to recognize John O. Brown as the Tennessee Second District’s November 2019 Veteran of the Month.

A Vietnam war veteran, Sergeant Brown served in the U.S. Army for almost 13 years before medically retiring in 1971.

John Brown was born on January 17, 1936, in the metropolis of Kettle Hollow, Tennessee. He graduated from Horace Maynard High School in 1951, joined the Army in 1958, and deployed to Vietnam as part of the Ninth Infantry Division in 1966. During his 12 months in Vietnam, Brown rose to the rank of sergeant first class before returning stateside.

In 1969, Sergeant Brown received orders to return to Vietnam. On June 20 of that year, he was wounded in action and medically evacuated. The injury resulted in the amputation of one of his legs.

For his bravery and service throughout his military career, Sergeant Brown was awarded the Purple Heart, the Silver Star, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star, and the Army Commendation Medal.

Despite living with a service-related disability, Sergeant Brown enthusiastically reentered civilian life. He earned degrees from Tennessee State Regional Vocational School and the Tennessee Institute of Electronics. Upon his graduation, he worked in sales for Sony and then became JVC’s director of government overseas sales. He retired after a 27-year career with JVC.

I am proud to recognize John O. Brown as the Tennessee Second District’s November 2019 Veteran of the Month.

REPLACE NAFTA WITH USMCA

(Mrs. MURPHY of Florida asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. MURPHY of Florida. Madam Speaker, I rise to express my hope and expectation that the Trump administration and Congress will resolve the few outstanding issues so that Congress can take a strong bipartisan vote to modernize NAFTA, our outdated trade agreement with Canada and Mexico, and replace it with USMCA, a better agreement that will benefit America's workers, farmers, businesses, and families, while also fortifying our relationship with our two closest neighbors.

As a member of the Ways and Means Trade Subcommittee, I believe well-negotiated trade agreements can improve our economy and our security, but I also know poorly negotiated trade pacts can hurt America's workers and make it harder to maintain broad-based support for the concept of freer and fairer trade.

USMCA fixes flaws in some NAFTA chapters based on the lessons we have learned since NAFTA was enacted in 1994. It also adds new chapters to reflect the reality that the world has undergone major changes in the last 25 years.

I support the deliberative and productive negotiations taking place between the administration and House Democrats. I think both sides are working in good faith with the shared goal of getting the best possible agreement over the finish line. Each side realizes inaction is not an option because NAFTA must be revised.

I also support bipartisan and bicameral efforts by the Florida delegation to protect our farmers who grow seasonal produce from unfair competition.

When it comes to USMCA, it is important we move swiftly and with a sense of urgency, but it is just as important that we get this right.

SUPPORT TRICARE FAIRNESS FOR NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE RETIREES

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

Mr. SPANO. Madam Speaker, I rise to highlight H.R. 5169, the TRICARE Fairness for National Guard and Reserve Retirees Act that I introduced with Representative GABBARD earlier today.

This bipartisan bill aligns the eligibility age for TRICARE Standard, Extra, and Prime, which are the healthcare programs for uniformed servicemembers, retirees, and their families, with the age at which National Guard and Reserve personnel begin receiving their retired pay.

We have heavily relied upon our National Guard and Reserve personnel for

the past 20 years, and they have made major contributions to our force structure for over 200 years.

Congress previously recognized their sacrifices by lowering the age that they can receive their retired pay based on their Active Duty service, but it is not fair that their eligibility for traditional TRICARE was left at age 60. This has resulted in early retirees often spending the vast majority, if not all, of their pension on TRICARE premiums until they reach 60.

This bill will help these servicemembers transition into retirement as intended when Congress reduced their retirement age. I urge my colleagues to support this important legislation.

FINALIZE USMCA

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

Ms. SPANBERGER. Madam Speaker, Canada and Mexico are two of the Commonwealth's largest trading partners. In 2018 alone, Virginia exported \$4.3 billion worth of goods to our northern and southern neighbors.

Last month, in Chesterfield County, I sat down with local businesses, business leaders, and members of the Chamber of Commerce to talk about how the USMCA could strengthen export opportunities and spur economic growth for businesses in our area. Cattlemen and dairies, farmers, and producers across my central Virginia district care deeply about the certainty and stability afforded by a trade deal. Amid ongoing USMCA discussions, my constituents want and need the long-term certainty of a trade deal between our three countries.

I thank the congressional working group for its productive efforts to arrive at a deal that meets the needs of our farmers, producers, small businesses, medium-sized businesses, and American workers.

We need House negotiators and the administration to come to a final agreement. We need to get this done and deliver trade stability for our constituents back home in my central Virginia district and across the country.

PASS USMCA WITHOUT DELAY

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

Mr. LAMALFA. Madam Speaker, my colleague from Virginia, on the other side of the aisle, just gave my speech.

The USMCA is a very important document, a very important measure, that we need to pass without delay. Our trade with Mexico and Canada, our two most important trade partners in the world, needs to be secure so that we can start doing more business with them.

It will be great for much in agriculture, our dairies, forestry, auto

parts, and California wine to have the stability of this. It will also show the rest of the world that we are ready to do business and negotiate better deals with Japan, China, and others.

Let's get this done. Let's not have the USMCA vote held up any longer or have it become leverage for other things.

I ask Speaker PELOSI to please bring this to the floor because I think we can get many votes on both sides of the aisle and pass this right away.

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LET'S GET THE USMCA DONE

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

Mr. MCADAMS. Madam Speaker, for weeks we have heard that action on the U.S.-Mexico-Canada trade agreement is eminently doable. So why haven't we gotten it done?

It is time to put politics aside and to come together for the future of our countries and our people.

NAFTA went into effect in 1994. It was due for modernization. By all reasonable accounts, USMCA represents progress for farms and ranchers, for autoworkers, for medical device manufacturers, and others.

This is a multitrillion-dollar economic relationship between the United States and our two neighbors. It supports millions of American jobs. In Utah alone, trade with Mexico and Canada supports over 120,000 jobs, jobs that pay the rent, that provide healthcare, that send kids to college and help Utahns save for retirement. Over \$418 million worth of agricultural exports are sent from Utah to our North American neighbors each year.

We were elected to move forward on priorities that matter to people's everyday lives. There is nothing more fundamental for businesses, employees, and communities than to have stability on the economic front.

Today, I am saying no more foot-dragging; no more vague promises about "soon." It is time to deliver on what we promised. Come to an agreement. Bring USMCA to the House floor, and let's get it done.

TRANSGENDER REMEMBRANCE DAY

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

Mr. CISNEROS. Madam Speaker, I rise today in anticipation of Transgender Remembrance Day, to honor the memory of those who have been lost to anti-transgender violence.

It is important that we recognize the bravery of those individuals who have chosen to live truthfully and openly and embrace their gender identity with the world.