

area to launch a social media awareness campaign encouraging members of their community to follow current guidance on cancer screenings and prevention.

Congratulations to my friend Dr. Bruce Waldholtz on receiving this well-deserved award. I am grateful for his work to protect American patients, and I wish him continued success in this lifesaving advocacy.

IN RECOGNITION OF PAUL J. MAHER FOR HIS LIFETIME OF SERVICE TO NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

HON. MATT CARTWRIGHT

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. CARTWRIGHT. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life and legacy of public servant, community leader, and United States Army veteran Paul J. Maher. Paul peacefully passed away at the age of 87 on February 19, 2021.

Paul was born in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, to Paul W. and Elizabeth Zwiebel Maher. He graduated from Mary's High School, and he remained actively involved with his alma mater as an alumnus, coordinating class reunions. He also attended Wilkes College and Wyoming Seminary.

Answering the call to serve his country, Paul enlisted in the United States Army and served during the Korean conflict. Before being discharged as a sergeant, he served at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, with the 81st Chemical Group attached to the 82nd Airborne, holding the positions of company administrator and desk sergeant. After the Army, he had successful careers in banking and sales.

In 1971, Paul began his political career as the Coordinator of Federal Funds for the City of Wilkes-Barre where he worked closely with the late Congressman Dan Flood. His service to the city was instrumental in the aftermath of Hurricane Agnes in 1972. He attended flood recovery meetings and helped set up trailer parks for displaced residents, and he was a founding member and chairman of the South Wilkes-Barre Action Committee. In 1976, the late chairman of the Commissioner Board, F.C. Wideman, Jr., appointed Paul as the first Luzerne County Budget and Personnel Director where he oversaw allocations of funds and started a program to engage service clubs and women's organizations in the budget process.

In 1985, he began his 26-year career working with Congressman Paul Kanjorski of Pennsylvania's 11th Congressional District as a field representative, serving as a liaison for all unions and managing small business inquiries. He was a well-known presence in the community, representing the Congressman at community events.

Paul was generous with his time and active in South Wilkes-Barre throughout his life. He volunteered at organizations like the St. Vincent de Paul Kitchen and the Wilkes-Barre Catholic Youth Center and served on councils and authorities such as the Wyoming Valley Sanitary Authority and the Wilkes-Barre Parking Authority. He was a member of many community and social clubs, including the Wilkes-Barre and Hanover Township American Legions, the Sons of St. Patrick, and the Don-

egal Society. Following his interest in politics, he served as Democratic State committeeman for four decades. Paul organized and coached football for youth and high school teams, and he was inducted into the Wyoming Valley Boxing Hall of Fame in 1998 as a boxing judge.

Paul was married to his wife, Judith DeLong, for 18 years, and he took great joy connecting with his extended family. Paul dedicated his time and energy to the betterment of his community and his county, and I am humbled to honor the life of this true public servant.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION OF CARSON MEYER FOR WINNING THE DIVISION III WRESTLING STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

HON. ROBERT E. LATTA

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. LATTA. Madam Speaker, it is with a great deal of pride that I rise to pay a very special tribute to an outstanding high school wrestler in Ohio's Fifth Congressional District. Carson Meyer of Archbold High School has represented his school ably on his way to achieving the Division III State wrestling title. Carson overcame the challenges posed by intense competition in his effort to win the Division III State Wrestling Championship.

In pursuing the State championship, Carson Meyer defeated his opponent in the finals of the 182-pound classification. His hard work and dedication, both on and off the mat, in achieving this accomplishment is truly outstanding. He has achieved an impressive season record bringing pride to his school and community.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in paying special tribute to Carson Meyer of Archbold High School. On behalf of the people of the Fifth District of Ohio, I am proud to recognize this great achievement.

ADEN BACA-TARANGO

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Aden Baca-Tarango for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Aden Baca-Tarango is a student at Arvada K-8 and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Aden Baca-Tarango is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Aden Baca-Tarango for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

INTRODUCTION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NATIONAL GUARD COMMANDING GENERAL RESIDENCY ACT

HON. ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON

OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Ms. NORTON. Madam Speaker, today, I introduce the District of Columbia National Guard Commanding General Residency Act, which would require the Commanding General of the D.C. National Guard to reside in the District of Columbia, just as States and territories can require that the top official of their National Guard reside within their State or territory.

The D.C. National Guard is a Federal entity. Currently, the Commanding General of the D.C. National Guard is not required to reside in the District. Congress has justifiably required that certain Federal officials reside in the jurisdiction they serve to ensure in-depth knowledge of the unique issues and challenges residents and these Federal officials face. Additionally, the Mayor of D.C., unlike the Governors of the States and territories, cannot deploy the National Guard, making residency of the Commanding General of the National Guard that much more important, though my District of Columbia National Guard Home Rule Act (H.R. 657) would give the Mayor the authority to deploy the D.C. National Guard. The appointment of the Commanding General of the D.C. National Guard is made by the President, not the Mayor, whereas the top official of the National Guards in the States and territories are usually appointed by the Governor. All of these are compelling reasons why the Commanding General of the D.C. Guard should be required to be a D.C. resident.

This bill follows in the footsteps of several other bills that I have introduced that would require Federal officials serving D.C. exclusively to reside in the District. For example, my District of Columbia Federal Officials Residency Equality Act (H.R. 3785, 116th Congress) would require the Federal district court judges, Federal circuit court judges, U.S. Attorneys and U.S. Marshals for the District to live in D.C. I have also previously introduced a bill (H.R. 4184, 116th Congress) that would require the Director of the Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency for the District of Columbia and the Director of the District of Columbia Pretrial Services Agency to reside in the District.

With the nomination of the current D.C. National Guard Commanding General, Major General William J. Walker, to be the House Sergeant at Arms, this bill is more timely than ever. Moreover, the attack of the U.S. Capitol on January 6, 2021, and the events at Lafayette Square on June 1, 2020, are prime examples of why this bill is so important. Residents of the District would feel at least somewhat more confident in the D.C. National Guard if the Commanding General were required to be a D.C. resident.

I urge my colleagues to support this bill.

RECOGNIZING BISHOP GUILFOYLE
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS
BASKETBALL

HON. JOHN JOYCE

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate the Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School girls basketball team on winning the PIAA Class 1A Championship.

The 2020–2021 Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic's team consists of 16 players, including: Aurielle Brunner, Sarah Geishauser, Sophia Warner, Claire Cammarata, Bella Adams, Jasen Quinn, Laine Farabaugh, Ally Bagley, Lah Homan, Alyssa Franks, Reagan McClurkin, Finley Steinbugl, Daniela Scipioni, Teresa Haigh, Aley Beauchamp, and Tessa Klock.

This victory marks Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic's seventh PIAA championship in girls basketball and first state championship since 2010. The team won a decisive 62–47 victory over Jenkins High School. The team was led by Teresa Haigh who scored 16 points and added 10 rebounds. Lah Homan collected her 1000th career point during the game by scoring 14 points and grabbing 13 rebounds.

The students were coached by Kristi Kaack and Adam Kaack.

On behalf of the 13th District of Pennsylvania, I congratulate these students and their coaches on their tremendous season and wish them every continued success.

CONGRATULATING JAMES C. DUFF
ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF
THE U.S. COURTS

HON. JERROLD NADLER

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. NADLER. Madam Speaker, I rise today, along with Representative HANK JOHNSON, chair of the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet to honor and congratulate James Duff, who recently retired from his position as Director of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts. In his role as Director, he also served as Secretary of the Judicial Conference of the United States, the principal policy-making body of the federal judiciary. The Supreme Court and our federal court system are a cornerstone of our democracy; the third branch of our government is tasked with rendering impartial justice through interpreting and applying the laws that we in Congress pass, and of course, the Constitution. The judges and Justices who have this enormous responsibility rely on the Administrative Office to set them up for success, and this is no small undertaking. During his more than eleven years of service, Director Duff guided the courts through government shutdowns and the COVID–19 pandemic among other challenges, dedicating his efforts to ensuring that our federal courts have the resources and support they need to faithfully fulfill their constitutional role as the third branch of government.

Even prior to his role as Director, Mr. Duff had a long history of public service with the

courts, particularly the Supreme Court. He was an assistant to Chief Justice Warren E. Burger while studying at Georgetown Law. From 1996–2000, he was a counselor/administrative assistant to Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist. In that role, he was the Court's liaison to Congress, the executive branch, and various state and federal organizations involved with the administration of justice and assisted the Chief Justice in his duties as Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution.

Besides his work for the courts, Director Duff has been active in the community and educating the next generation of lawyers. He has served as the chairman of the Supreme Court Fellows Commission, a board member of the Supreme Court Historical Society, and an adjunct faculty member at Georgetown University, teaching constitutional law and civil liberties. In 2012, he was named to the University of Kentucky Arts & Sciences Hall of Fame and was the recipient of the Georgetown Entertainment and Media Law Achievement Award. In 2014, Director Duff was appointed to Georgetown Law's Board of Visitors and was named the Peter Mullen Professor of Law.

Upon appointment from Chief Justice Roberts, Director Duff twice served as the Director of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts, from 2006 to 2011, and from 2015 to 2021. About his tenure, the Chief Justice shared the following congratulatory words which are worth reiterating here:

Jim Duff has provided invaluable service to the Judiciary during his first term as Director from 2006 to 2011 and his second term from 2015 to the present. During these periods, he has provided superb judgment in addressing a broad range of issues. Among his many accomplishments, he has resolved budgetary challenges, implemented workplace conduct reforms, introduced new technology, strengthened and improved the auditing and oversight of the Judicial Branch's financial management, and—most recently—ensured that the courts continue to operate effectively in the face of the nationwide pandemic. As much as I appreciate his many contributions, I understand his desire to begin a new phase of his life. On behalf of the Judiciary, I thank Jim for his leadership.

The Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts does critical work to help ensure the nation's federal courts remain fair, efficient, independent, and impartial. We thank and congratulate Director Duff for his over eleven-year tenure as the head of that office and for his work with Congress during that time. This work has included securing critical appropriations for the judiciary, such as emergency funding during the recent coronavirus pandemic, ensuring that the law establishes courthouse locations and district divisions that reflect the needs of the community and judiciary, helping to ensure the safety of judges by securing legislation, the Court Security Improvement Act of 2007, which was directed at coordinating the work of the U.S. Marshals with the Judicial Conference and imposing criminal penalties designed to protect judges, witnesses, and others involved in court proceedings, and, in separate legislation, providing that sensitive information in financial disclosures can be redacted. We also commend Director Duff's commitment to public service and teaching throughout his career. After all of these accomplishments, we wish Director Duff the best in the next chapter in his life along with a fulfilling and rewarding retirement.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE LATE
GLENN FREY ON HIS INDUCTION
INTO THE LUZERNE COUNTY
SPORTS HALL OF FAME

HON. MATT CARTWRIGHT

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. CARTWRIGHT. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor former athlete and northeastern Pennsylvania native Glenn Frey. Glenn was inducted into the Luzerne County Sports Hall of Fame in 2020 for his distinct athletic achievements in the sport of football. He and his fellow inductees will be honored at a reception this spring.

Each year, the Luzerne County Sports Hall of Fame honors those who have brought fame and recognition to the state of Pennsylvania through their outstanding achievements and contributions in athletic endeavors.

Glenn played football for Tunkhannock High School from 1927 to 1930 where he was described as the backbone of the team. He also excelled as pitcher on the baseball team, leading Tunkhannock to a county championship in 1931.

After graduating high school in 1931, Glenn continued his athletic and academic career at Temple University in Philadelphia. At Temple, he played for legendary Coach Glenn "Pop" Warner. During his collegiate career, he was named an All-American. In 1935, he played quarterback against Tulane University in the first Sugar Bowl in front of a crowd of 20,000 people at Tulane Stadium. Going into post-season play, Temple was undefeated and sought to defend their record. As starting quarterback, Glenn threw the first touchdown in Sugar Bowl history to Danny Testa in the first quarter of the game. Despite the Owls leading 14–0 at halftime, the home team pulled ahead to beat Temple 20–14.

Glenn's talent attracted the attention of the NFL, and he began his professional career with the Philadelphia Eagles. Under coach Bert Bell, who would later be named the commissioner of the NFL, Glenn played quarterback, blocking back, and defensive back for two seasons. After retiring from professional football, Glenn took a position with Sunoco. He died in 1980 at the age of 67.

It is an honor to recognize Glenn on his induction into the Luzerne County Sports Hall of Fame. May his story and athletic career serve as an inspiration to the next generation of Pennsylvania athletes striving for excellence.

AIDEN LINDENLAUB

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Aiden Lindenlaub for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Aiden Lindenlaub is a student at Oberon Middle School and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Aiden Lindenlaub is exemplary of the type of