

establishment. When the time came to build the new restaurant, Glenn Singfield, Sr., a building contractor, used a very special blueprint—a drawing Glenn II had made at age twelve illustrating his “dream restaurant.” The Flint, which had its grand opening on April 15, 2019. The Flint is located in the heart of downtown Albany in a 10,000 square foot building that was once a cotton factory. While Glenn Sr. and Tandra are the owners, Gerard, until recently, served as the General Manager, and Deuce serves as the Head Chef. Deuce’s passion and talent have brought to life an acclaimed menu, including such unique items as the Shrimp and Gator Po Boy and Gavin’s Flaming Burger, which bring people from all over Southwest Georgia to the restaurant.

Greater than the appeal of The Flint’s menu is the impact the restaurant and the Singfield family have had on the Albany-area community and local economic development. The Flint displays over 200 pieces of art curated by local artists, giving its customers a unique dining and shopping experience, while allowing local artists a unique marketing opportunity to sell their art. Additionally, the Singfields have made huge investments into training their employees, known by The Flint as “associates,” and preparing them for success in their future endeavors. However, it is not just restaurant associates who receive support from the Singfields—every patron of The Flint is treated like family from the moment they walk through the door.

Mahatma Gandhi once said that “the best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others.” The Singfield family has done exactly that. Countless lives across Albany have been touched by the Singfield family, carrying the family’s impact far beyond their original task of revitalizing the downtown Albany area.

Madam Speaker, today I ask my colleagues to join my wife, Vivian, and me, along with the more than 730,000 people of Georgia’s Second Congressional District, in commending the Singfield family for receipt of the well-deserved Renaissance Award in recognition of their outstanding contributions to the Albany, Georgia community.

#### HONORING THE MEMORY OF HORACE EDWIN CRUMP

#### HON. BARRY MOORE

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, July 15, 2022*

Mr. MOORE of Alabama. Madam Speaker, today, I rise to recognize and celebrate the life of Mr. Horace Edwin Crump of Montgomery, Alabama, who sadly passed away on Friday, June 10, 2022.

After graduating from Thomas A. Levy High School, Mr. Crump earned a bachelor’s degree and an Education Specialist degree from Alabama State University and went on to be an Assistant Professor in Alabama State University’s Department of Health and Physical Education.

Mr. Crump also served as Alabama State University’s head track and field coach and was inducted into the Southwestern Athletic Conference Hall of Fame in 2009.

Coach Crump worked at Alabama State University beginning in 1977 and coached the

Hornets for thirty-one seasons until his retirement in 2008. During those years, he guided his team to fourteen Southwestern Athletic Conference championships with at least one of his teams winning a conference title for six years straight.

Coach Crump took the program from what it had been to unthinkable heights. He threw the discus and shot put as a collegian. When he became the Hornets’ coach, his goal was to have a balanced team that could score points in the field events and the running events.

Coach Crump was preceded in death by his parents, Charles and Gertrude Crump; his son, Damian Crump; his sister, Marion Davenport; and his brothers, Charles and Harrison Crump.

He leaves behind his beloved wife, Delores Crump; his son, Kenneth Crump; his daughter, Crystal Crump; his stepsons, CV and Rodney Hill; his brother, Donny Crump; and his sister, Yolanda McClinton—along with grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and nieces and nephews.

Coach Crump was an upstanding and respected citizen of Alabama’s Second Congressional District that left lifelong impressions on his many students and athletes. I am proud to rise in honor of his life, and I am confident that he will be sorely missed by his family, his many friends, and the countless men and women he impacted throughout his lifetime of service.

#### PASSAGE OF THE PALLONE- PAPPAS AMENDMENT TO H.R. 7900 IN ORDER TO PREVENT THE SALE OF F-16S TO TURKEY

#### HON. CAROLYN B. MALONEY

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, July 15, 2022*

Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York. Madam Speaker, I rise today in great thanks for this House’s passage of the Pallone-Pappas amendment to the Fiscal Year 2023 National Defense Authorization Act. I was pleased to co-lead this amendment alongside Representatives PAPPAS, PALLONE, my fellow Hellenic Caucus Co-Chair GUS BILIRAKIS, and many others.

This was the right thing to do. From consistent violations of Greek sovereignty using their F-16 fleet, to Turkey’s ongoing and illegal occupation on Cyprus with 40,000 soldiers, and growing authoritarian tendencies by President Erdogan, Turkey is not the kind of ally that I believe should receive such a sale.

Further, Turkey still possesses Russian S-400 anti-air systems in violation of U.S. law, which led to their ejection from the F-35 program and the imposition of CAATSA sanctions. We did not go through with that sale because doing so could expose sensitive technologies in the F-35 to this Russian system, and possibly allow Russia to easily counter our improvements; that risk remains even when modernizing F-16s.

Selling Turkey more F-16s or providing them with the technology to modernize their current fleet would not be in the interest of the United States or our allies. I am proud to have worked with Representative PAPPAS, BILIRAKIS and all my colleagues on this important amendment to prevent this sale.

I now strongly urge the Senate to maintain this key provision in the final passage of the

National Defense Authorization Act, and take special note of the wide bipartisan support for this measure in the House. We must continue to hold Erdogan accountable for violations of U.S. law, human rights, and the security of our ally Greece—not reward him.

#### CELEBRATING THE RETIREMENT OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROBERT SCOTT VOLKERT, USMC

#### HON. RONNY JACKSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, July 15, 2022*

Mr. JACKSON. Madam Speaker, it is my distinct honor to recognize a true American Patriot, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Scott Volkert, USMC of Verona, New Jersey. This evening he will gather with friends, family, and fellow service members to celebrate his retirement after 27 years of distinguished service in the United States Marine Corps.

As the Executive Officer and Chief of Staff for the Presidential Helicopter Squadron, HMX-1, and during his long tenure at the White House, Lieutenant Colonel Volkert was entrusted with the lives and safety of four U.S. Presidents, including Presidents George W. Bush, Barack Obama, Donald J. Trump, and Joseph R. Biden as the pilot and eventually the Operational Test Director of Marine One and Marine Two.

When I started at the White House in 2006, Lieutenant Colonel Volkert was one of the first people I met, and he went out of his way to make sure that I felt at home and that I had the tools I needed for success. He has become a dear friend of mine over the last 17 years, and I can say with certainty that his successor has some big shoes to fill.

Lieutenant Colonel Volkert is an incredible leader with an unwavering commitment to his country, and I would be remiss if I did not also thank Lieutenant Colonel Volkert’s wife, Kathy and his son, Jack, for their sacrifice and unwavering dedication to our country as well. I stand here today to thank Lieutenant Colonel Volkert for his service to our great nation and to wish him the best of luck in his next endeavor.

#### HONORING THE RETIREMENT OF COLONEL NATHAN MOONEY II FROM THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES

#### HON. TERRI A. SEWELL

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, July 15, 2022*

Ms. SEWELL. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the exemplary service of Colonel Nathan Mooney II, the current chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff at the Dwight D. Eisenhower School of National Security, who is retiring from the military on July 15, 2022, after more than 30 years of faithful service to the United States Armed Forces. Colonel Mooney obtained two bachelor’s degrees in management and business administration from Troy State University in 1989. He went to Squadron Officer School at Maxwell Air Force Base in Montgomery, AL where he earned a master’s

degree in military operational arts and sciences at the Air Command and Staff College. Continuing to diversify his education, the Colonel received a master's in national resource strategy from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces at Fort Lesley J. McNair in Washington, D.C., and a master's in human relations from the University of Oklahoma.

Beginning his career in the military as a Second Lieutenant in 1989, Colonel Mooney quickly moved up the ranks, becoming a First Lieutenant by 1991 and a Captain by 1993. Assuming the positions of Major in 2001 and Lieutenant Colonel in 2006, he has dutifully served as Colonel for the past 11 years.

Throughout his extensive career, Colonel Mooney has held a variety of logistics positions at the wing level and has extensive staff experience at the major command level, Headquarters Air Force and Joint Staff Levels, including Assistant Director of Global Logistics Strategy at the Pentagon, Director of Operations and Logistics Alaskan Command Headquarters and Senior Operations Manager at Luke Air Force Base. Before assuming his current position as Department Chair and Assistant Professor at the National Defense University in Washington, D.C., Colonel Mooney served as the Vice President of Logistics and Engineering and Force Protection Air Force Space Command Headquarters at Peterson Air Force Base in Colorado. In this position, he led a 100-member logistics and engineering team and spearheaded the policy and guidance for a 9 billion space lift and satellite program, which supported 38,000 space professionals and 130 space systems located at over 100 sites worldwide.

Using his plethora of leadership experience from his previous roles, Colonel Mooney now serves our country in a different way in his role as an assistant professor at the National Defense University. He has remained dedicated to preparing his students for success following graduation teaching graduate-level courses to 300 high-performing senior military officers, international fellows, and Department of Defense and Agency civilians annually.

As the Deputy Director, he led military and civilian personnel responsible for the maintenance and lifecycle sustainment of 130 space and cyber systems through the executing a \$1.5B Weapon System Sustainment budget. He oversaw the programming and policy implementation for the command's \$23B physical plants, which includes 29 million square feet of facilities, seven major installations and two coastal Space launch ranges. In addition, he directed policy development for the command's integrated defense, resource protection and physical security activities in support of 2,100 security forces members and 20 high priority resources.

Colonel Mooney's extensive military career has earned him multiple awards and decorations throughout the years, including the Legion of Merit Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal with bronze star, Southwest Asia Service Medal with bronze star, and the Humanitarian Service Medal.

On a personal note, Nathan is a childhood friend from Selma and a dear personal friend who grew up in the same neighborhood as me and my brothers. Nathan has always been a smart, focused, and purpose-driven individual. Through hard work, natural abilities, faith, and the loving support of his wife, Chevette, Na-

than has been a valued member of our military and a tremendous patriot. Words cannot express how proud I am of Nathan and his meritorious service to this nation, and I wish him the very best in his future endeavors. We are a safer and more secure nation because of his exemplary service.

On behalf of Alabama's 7th Congressional District and a grateful Nation, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing the extraordinary leadership and service of Colonel Nathan Mooney II and his contributions to this Nation as a distinguished member of the United States Air Force.

#### HONORING THE TERRELL COUNTY NAACP

**HON. SANFORD D. BISHOP, JR.**

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, July 15, 2022*

Mr. BISHOP of Georgia. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the Terrell County NAACP under the leadership of its President, The Reverend Ezekiel Holley as it prepares to celebrate its 27th Annual Freedom Fund Banquet on Saturday, July 16, 2022, at 5:00 pm at Terrell County High School in Dawson, Georgia.

The theme for the National NAACP Organization for this year is "This is Power." For many years, the Terrell County Branch of the NAACP has asserted its power on behalf of freedom and justice in Southwest Georgia. This power has been asserted through voter registration, advocacy on behalf of minority groups and supporting young people as they have gone on to pursue their educational dreams at various colleges and universities across our Nation.

The Terrell County NAACP has long been at the forefront of voter education and mobilization. They truly understand that a "voteless people is a hopeless people." Their voter efforts have helped to register thousands of voters in the Terrell County area who have exercised their power through the ballot.

The Terrell County Branch has also been a leader and an advocate on behalf of those who have been discriminated against by various entities in the surrounding communities. The Branch has held marches and demonstrations on behalf of the voiceless in their fight for justice and equality. Moreover, the organization has not been afraid to take on any entity that they believe has not been fair in its dealings with individuals or groups. The organization has exemplified the words articulated by Dr. King when he said that "The time is always right to do what is right."

Education has been at the forefront of the mission of this branch as well. The Branch is keenly aware that "Education is the passport to the future; it belongs to those who prepare for it today." This organization knows that our young people are our future doctors, lawyers, scientists, engineers, mayors, governors, congress people and civil rights activists. The Branch understands that we must invest in our future. And that is why over the years, they have given out thousands of scholarships to deserving young people to pursue their dreams of improving the quality of life for themselves, their families, and our communities.

The Terrell County NAACP has served as a leader in the community and across the state in fighting for justice and equality. For decades it has been under the fearless and stellar leadership of Reverend Ezekiel Holley. Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues in the House of Representatives to join my wife, Vivian, and me, along with the more than 730,000 people of the Second Congressional District in honoring and commending the Terrell County NAACP and its tireless president, Reverend Ezekiel Holley, on the occasion of their 27th Freedom Fund Banquet and for their achievements, service, and public distinction.

#### HONORING THE LIFE AND FAITHFUL SERVICE OF DR. PAUL CHINCHEN

**HON. MICHAEL GUEST**

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, July 15, 2022*

Mr. GUEST. Madam Speaker, the Lord calls us all for His purpose according to his plan. Some are called to heal, such as doctors and nurses; others are called to instruct, such as teachers and professors; and some are called by God to dedicate their lives to spread the Gospel to the world, such as ministers and missionaries. Each of us has a purpose in God's plan and that small role is monumentally important in our service to our Heavenly Father and our family in Christ.

When I met Paul Chinchin, I knew his role in God's plan was different. I met a man whose role was not simply as one who cared for others, as a missionary, or as a leader. His role in God's plan was bigger. God had chosen him to do all of these things and much more, and in our meeting I could see that the Lord worked through Paul to accomplish His mission. In working to expand the African Bible College to Malawi and Uganda, the Lord worked through Paul to develop a place for thousands to learn in order to better themselves and their communities. By developing the ABC Mission Hospital in Malawi, Paul built a facility where doctors and nurses could work to heal and comfort those who had fallen ill. As a missionary, Paul worked to spread the Word of God to Africa. I am inspired by Paul's words that exemplify his work so well. "Do something you love, do something engaging, and do something now."

1 Chronicles 16:24 calls us to "declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous deeds among all peoples." Paul's life was a testimony to people across the world of the greatness of our Heavenly Father. In the New Testament, John encourages the Church not to love with words or speech but with actions. Paul's life is an example to everyone who knew him of how to serve through our actions.

The great state of Mississippi is proud to call Paul one of its own. I am honored to have known Paul. Although his mission on this earth is complete, I have faith that the Lord will continue to use Paul's life and his example as a part of His divine plan. I will continue to be humbled by his incredible service to our Lord and grateful for his life. Paul's life is an example of how to serve others, boldly sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the nations, and of the great deeds that men can accomplish when the Lord works through those that He has chosen for His plan.