Every 90 days, BOP would provide the name, age, Federal Register Number, facility where housed and the scheduled release date. Upon D.C.'s request, BOP would provide D.C. the same information that BOP provides to the Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency for the District of Columbia (CSOSA) on these individuals, such as their release plan. CSOSA is a federal agency that provides community supervision for individuals convicted of D.C. crimes.

D.C. would be allowed to provide the biographical information only to counsel for the individuals, and to organizations that provide legal representation to individuals in criminal or post-conviction matters, or in matters related to reentry. D.C. would not be allowed to provide any of the other information, and D.C. law enforcement agencies would not have access to any of the information.

The overwhelming majority of people in prison return home. I hope all my colleagues agree on the importance of successful reentry. I urge my colleagues to support this bill.

HONORING THE LEGACY AND SERVICE OF BILL HOSE

HON. LLOYD SMUCKER

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES $Tuesday, January\ 28,\ 2025$

Mr. SMUCKER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor retired Sheriff William "Bill" Hose for his legacy of service to the York community.

Mr. Hose spent 29 years as a York City Police Officer, advancing to the Chief of Police in his last 11 years of service. He then served as York County Sheriff between 1996 and 2007, finishing a 37-year-long career in law enforcement, protecting the York community.

Mr. Hose's impact extends beyond his professional career. In his spare time, he has volunteered with crime prevention and youth services nonprofits in York County. He is also a U.S. Air Force Veteran, having been stationed in Berlin during the Berlin Crisis.

For his impactful record of service, the community thanks and honors Sheriff Bill Hose. York County residents should be proud to have such an outstanding model of selfless service in their community.

OPPOSITION TO H.R. 28, PROTECTION OF WOMEN AND GIRLS IN SPORTS ACT

HON. AL GREEN

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES $Tuesday, January\ 28,\ 2025$

Mr. GREEN of Texas. Mr. Speaker, and still I rise. I rise today in strong opposition to H.R. 28, the misnomered "Protection of Women and Girls in Sports Act." Regrettably, without strong language banning demeaning, unclad body searches, this legislation will not prevent perverted personalities from developing reprehensible "show me your private" rules. This legislation requires that "sex shall be recognized based solely on a person's reproductive biology and genetics at birth." However, it is sadly silent as to how that requirement shall be validated. As numerous women's and girls'

rights organizations have noted, the lack of guidance in this legislation could lead schools to adopt intrusive and humiliating examination practices to verify students' sex. Due to the lack of protections against invasive examinations of students' private areas, I oppose this legislation.

RECOGNIZING KIM RAGLIN'S SERVICE TO HER COMMUNITY

HON. DEBBIE DINGELL

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mrs. DINGELL. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Captain Kimberlee Raglin of the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department in Ypsilanti, Michigan, on the occasion of her retirement.

Kim joined the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department in 1996. She was promoted to Lieutenant in June 2016 and promoted to Captain in December 2023, the first woman in the history of the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department to hold either position. Members of her crew praised her for her depth of knowledge about firefighting techniques and dedication to educating new and young firefighters. Kim has also been devoted to providing fire safety education to the children of the area's public schools, teaching kids "stop, drop, and roll" and "Fire is a Tool, Not a Toy" programs. Kim has personally saved the lives of her community members while on the front lines, rescuing people from burning buildings and offering lifesaving emergency medical attention in her role as an EMT. Over the course of her career, she has shown herself to be a dedicated. committed, and brave protector of her community. Kim demonstrates the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department's diligence in all aspects of fire safety. Public servants everywhere could learn from Kim's enthusiasm and steadfastness in her job, and I am proud to have had such an admirable individual leading the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring Captain Kimberlee Raglin for almost 30 years of exemplary service. She has selflessly worked for the benefit of Ypsilanti Township in her role as a Captain of the Ypsilanti Township Fire Department, and her heroic legacy will continue to inspire our community for decades to come. I sincerely thank Captain Raglin for 29 years of dedication to the safety of her community, and join with her family, friends, and colleagues in extending my best wishes to her in her well-deserved retirement.

RECOGNIZING THE LIMA NOON OPTIMIST CLUB'S ANNUAL YOUTH APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

HON. JIM JORDAN

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mr. JORDAN. Mr. Speaker, I always appreciate the opportunity to share positive news about young people from Ohio's Fourth Congressional District. Today, I am pleased to commend to the House thirteen high school students who are being honored for their outstanding leadership skills and volunteerism.

On February 5, the Noon Optimist Club of Lima will recognize Shyanna Fugatt, Caiden Garlock, Hale Hensley, Kaiya Hinebaugh, Bailey Hoover, Emma Hunley, Emily Long, Jadin Miller, Carder Orr, Cara Schwartz, Moriah Szuch, Lane Wildermuth, and Diego Williams at its annual youth appreciation luncheon. These students were each nominated by their schools for being good role models for their peers.

I thank the Optimists for their efforts to celebrate the many achievements of these students and am proud to join in the accolades to them. They have my very best wishes for continued success in their lives in the years to come.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. NEAL P. DUNN

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES $Tuesday, January\ 28,\ 2025$

Mr. DUNN of Florida. Mr. Speaker, due to a previously scheduled medical procedure, I was unable to be in D.C. on Monday, January 13, 2025. Had I been present, I would have voted: YEA on Roll Call No. 8, H.R. 192, the Amtrak Executive Bonus Disclosure Act, and YEA on Roll Call No. 9, H.R. 152, the Federal Disaster Assistance Coordination Act.

RECOGNIZING THE RED STAR SERVICE BANNER AND THE RED STAR FOUNDATION

HON. JACK BERGMAN

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mr. BERGMAN. Mr. Speaker, in my office on Capitol Hill hangs a service banner—14 inches high by 8.5 inches wide, with a blue border, a white center, and a red star in the center. Given to me by its designers and fellow Marines Jerry Shaffer and Sergeant Major Gene Overstreet, this banner is used to recognize the service of a Veteran or service member who has died by suicide. It is my honor today to recognize the Red Star Service Banner and the Red Star Foundation.

Each year, nearly 8,000 Veterans die by suicide in the United States—including over 500 active, reserve and guard deaths. Since 2001, more Veterans have died by suicide than have been killed in action since 1950. Despite greater focus and investment being placed both within the Department of Veterans affairs and outside to address this suicide crisis, tragically, little to no real progress has been made.

For each suicide, at least 6 surviving family members and loved ones are directly impacted leaving over 1 million people in the United States to cope with the pain and loss of a loved one. A new service banner specifically for Veteran and military suicides would serve several essential purposes:

1. Recognition: it would provide a visible and enduring acknowledgment of the sacrifice made by those who lost their lives to the struggles of mental health and post-traumatic stress disorder. These battles are just as real, just as honorable, and just as deserving of remembrance as those faced in the field of combat

- 2. Support for Families: it would offer a form of recognition to the families who have endured the loss of a loved one due to the invisible scars of war. They, too, have made significant sacrifices, and they deserve our empathy, understanding, and respect.
- 3. Awareness: A specific banner would raise awareness about the crisis of Veteran suicides, promoting open dialogue, reducing stigma, and emphasizing the critical need for resources and support for mental health and suicide prevention among Veterans.
- 4. Community and Unity: it would bring together the broader military and civilian communities in collective remembrance and action, uniting us in our support for those who have served and our determination to ensure that no veteran feels alone in their struggles.

This service banner has been initially manufactured by "The Flag Company" in Clearwater Florida, and adopted by America's Gold Star Families, Military Order of the Purple National, Bruce Rector; mayor of Clearwater, Florida, the American Legion Turner-Brandon Post 7, Palm Harbor Chamber of Commerce, Pinellas County Veterans Association, Florida Veterans Coalition, Veteran Forces, Military Order of the Purple Heart Chapter 1963, the Military Order of the Purple Heart Chapter 705, Operation Warrior Wishes, and the Sgt. Anthony Patrick Muhlstadt Foundation.

Mr. Speaker, it is my honor to recognize the Red Star Service Banner and the Red Star Foundation. I applaud them for their work to honor our Veterans and service members lost due to suicide and to provide support and community to their loved ones. On behalf of my constituents, I wish the Red Star Foundation all the best in its future endeavors.

HONORING GARRISON McMURTREY'S SERVICE AS DISTRICT DIRECTOR

HON. ANGIE CRAIG

OF MINNESOTA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Ms. CRAIG. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to thank and congratulate Garrison McMurtrey for serving for over two years as my District Director.

Garrison is a dedicated public servant with a passion for workforce development and economic justice, with a focus on equity and community engagement.

Garrison started his career working on campaign field teams, went on to work as an Outreach Director for Senator KLOBUCHAR and spent time in corporate public affairs. Hopefully by the time he sees this, he's now Ramsey County's newest Commissioner.

Garrison has been invaluable to my team. All with a person-centered approach, he assisted in elevating the work carried out in the district office. He instituted new casework initiatives, ensuring accessibility and reliability. He operationalized outreach strategies to foster meaningful relationships with community partners.

I've appreciated Garrison's leadership and support during his time with my office. I will miss his dedication and infectious laughter. I'm certain that Garrison will find success in this next chapter and I know he'll remain committed to serving the public for the better.

IN MEMORIAM OF CATHERINE MCCLARY OF WASHTENAW COUNTY

HON. DEBBIE DINGELL

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mrs. DINGELL. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Catherine McClary, former Treasurer of Washtenaw County, Michigan, who passed away in December before the end of her term. Her decades of public service for the residents of Washtenaw County as a member of the Board of Commissioners and Treasurer are worthy of commendation.

Catherine began her 40-year career in public service in 1974, when she became the youngest ever Washtenaw County Commissioner at 22 years old. She held this position for 14 years before being elected Washtenaw County Treasurer in 1988.

Commissioner, Catherine Washtenaw County's first Affirmative Action committee, which fought for equal pay and promotions for women and people of color. She continued fighting for equity as Treasurer, working toward a more fair and just economy through initiatives like the Bridge Loans for Affordability Program, Homes for Generations Program, and Fine and Fee Justice cohort project. She was active in the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA), including serving on its Treasury Investment Management Committee. She was honored with the organization's Hero Award in 2021 for her work toward recovery and renewal of Washtenaw County during the Covid-19 pandemic. She also received GFOA's 2022 Award for Excellence in Government Finance for helping implement innovative robotic process automation through the "Robots Record Revenue" project.

Outside of her work as Treasurer, Catherine was a champion for the ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment, the rights of women and people of color, and protection from home foreclosures. She served as Director of the Domestic Violence Project/SAFE House Center Domestic Violence Project Board of Trustees. She also spent time as a counselor and trainer at a women's crisis center and cowrote the "Freedom from Rape" publication.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me today to honor Catherine McClary's remarkable life and years of public service. Her dedication to her community and many contributions to Washtenaw County have impacted countless others and leaves behind an important legacy. We thank her for her service, and wish her friends and family all the comfort and solace as they mourn her passing.

RECOGNIZING PUNKIN CENTER GIN IN DAWSON COUNTY, TEXAS

HON. JODEY C. ARRINGTON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mr. ARRINGTON. Mr. Speaker, I am proud to recognize a remarkable achievement in West Texas—the Food, Fuel, and Fiber Capital of the World. Punkin Center Gin, owned by Al Crisp, has marked a grand milestone by

celebrating its one-hundredth year in operation. This family business underscores the resilience and history of our farming community in Dawson County.

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Punkin Center Gin opened its doors back on
June 11, 1924, making it not only the oldest
cotton gin in West Texas but also the second
oldest in the entire state still in operation.

Al Crisp's dedication to his family's agricultural legacy is clear. He is proud to maintain a century-old agricultural business in Texas where his ancestors have lived since before it was a state. He was quoted with a sentiment many share in the Lone Star State—"I'm Texas to the core."

Like plenty of our region's farmers, Al values hard work and family. He has pushed off any centennial celebrations until after the harvest season, and he is committed to the future of Punkin Center Gin hoping to pass it down to his children. In West Texas, we take pride in fostering farmers of character who fuel and feed the rest of the country.

On behalf of the 19th Congressional District of Texas, I thank Al Crisp, his family, and the team at Punkin Center Gin for their dedication to agriculture and our community. God bless them and go West Texas.

CONGRATULATING RALPH HUTCHINSON ON HIS RETIREMENT

HON. LLOYD SMUCKER

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mr. SMUCKER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate East Lampeter Township Manager Ralph Hutchinson on his retirement.

Mr. Hutchinson's career in public service spans four decades. After graduating from Lafayette College and Penn State's Capitol Campus, known today as Penn State Harrisburg, Mr. Hutchinson worked as Executive Secretary for the Borough of Fountain Hill in Lehigh County, as well as Borough Manager for Millersville Borough in Lancaster County. He spent the last 34 years as Township Manager for East Lampeter Township in Lancaster County.

Mr. Hutchinson has witnessed the township grow significantly over the past three decades, and has worked to balance the needs of commercial enterprises and farming communities along the bustling Route 30 Corridor. Mr. Hutchinson has lent his experience and expertise in municipal management to numerous boards and committees.

As he transitions into a well-deserved retirement, the community both thanks and honors Ralph Hutchinson for his years in public service

HONORING THE LIFE OF CHIEF WILLIAM "BILL" BROWN

HON. H. MORGAN GRIFFITH

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Mr. GRIFFITH. Mr. Speaker, I rise to honor Chief William "Bill" Brown, who passed away on January 24th. Chief Brown is remembered for his integral roles in advancing the safety