

Luttrell	Ocasio-Cortez	Stansbury
Lynch	Ogles	Stanton
Mace	Olzewski	Stauber
Mackenzie	Omar	Stefanik
Magaziner	Owens	Steil
Malliotakis	Pallone	Stevens
Maloy	Palmer	Strickland
Mann	Panetta	Strong
Mannion	Pappas	Stutzman
Massie	Pelosi	Subramanyam
Mast	Perez	Suozi
Matsui	Perry	Swalwell
McBath	Peters	Sykes
McBride	Pfleger	Takano
McCaull	Pingree	Taylor
McClain	Pocan	Tenney
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McClintock	Quigley	Thompson (MS)
McCollum	Ramirez	Thompson (PA)
McCormick	Randall	Tiffany
McDonald Rivet	Raskin	Timmons
McDowell	Reschenthaler	Tlaib
McGarvey	Riley (NY)	Tokuda
McGovern	Rivas	Tonko
McGuire	Rogers (AL)	Torres (CA)
McIver	Rogers (KY)	Torres (NY)
Meeks	Rose	Trahan
Menendez	Ross	Tran
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Messmer	Ruiz	Turner (TX)
Meuser	Rulli	Underwood
Mfume	Rutherford	Valadao
Miller (IL)	Ryan	Van Drew
Miller (OH)	Salazar	Van Dwyne
Miller (WV)	Salinas	Vargas
Miller-Meeks	Sánchez	Vasquez
Mills	Scalise	Veasey
Min	Scanlon	Velázquez
Moolenaar	Schakowsky	Vindman
Moore (AL)	Schneider	Wagner
Moore (NC)	Scholten	Walberg
Moore (UT)	Schrier	Wasserman
Moore (WI)	Schweikert	Schultz
Moore (WV)	Scott (VA)	Waters
Moran	Scott, Austin	Watson Coleman
Morelle	Scott, David	Weber (TX)
Morrison	Sessions	Webster (FL)
Moskowitz	Sewell	Westerman
Moulton	Sherman	Whitesides
Mrvan	Shreve	Wied
Nadler	Simon	Williams (GA)
Neal	Simpson	Williams (TX)
Neguse	Smith (MO)	Wilson (FL)
Nehls	Smith (NE)	Wilson (SC)
Newhouse	Smith (NJ)	Wittman
Norcross	Smith (WA)	Womack
Norman	Smucker	Yakym
Nunn (IA)	Sorensen	Zinke
Obermole	Soto	

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Bean (FL)	Estes	Schmidt
Biggs (AZ)	Grothman	Self
Boebert	Harrigan	Spartz
Burchett	Harris (MD)	Steube
Clyde	Higgins (LA)	
Crane	Roy	

NOT VOTING—15

Buchanan	Houlihan	Onder
Diaz-Balart	Hunt	Pettersen
Figures	Letlow	Sherrill
Gooden	Mullin	Titus
Grijalva	Murphy	Van Orden

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. TITUS. Mr. Speaker, I was absent from the floor and the roll call votes on the Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass H.R. 856, Safe and Smart Federal Purchasing Act; and on the Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass H.R. 758, Mail Traffic Deaths Reporting Act of 2025. Had I been present, I would have voted YEA on Roll Call No. 54 and YEA on Roll Call No. 55.

MOURNING THE PASSING OF CONGRESSMAN LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART

(Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ. Mr. Speaker, it is with a heavy heart that I announce to the House the passing of the respected and revered former colleague from the State of Florida, Congressman Lincoln Diaz-Balart.

Lincoln and his brothers are family to me, and Lincoln was a man whom I was honored to learn from, a respected public figure who was in politics and public service for all the right reasons.

The one thing you must know, Mr. Speaker, is he loved this country. Lincoln was a fierce patriot. He championed many issues important to our community, our country, and our continent, but few, if any, fought any harder for a free and democratic Cuba.

Whether as a Democrat or later as a Republican, he was always a guiding light in this fight for freedom in Cuba and around the world.

I am so grateful I was able to serve with him for 6 years and then continue our work with his brother and “my brother,” “mi hermano,” MARIO, “at the same time,” “en el mismo tiempo.”

Mr. Speaker, he was exactly who you wanted in your corner because he was a fierce fighter who put principle over politics.

Lincoln Diaz-Balart was a kind and giving leader and a remarkably effective legislator who led by example. He also loved this institution, what it represented, and his constituents. He served as a member of the Rules Committee including serving as ranking member from 2007 to 2011.

Lincoln also worked to open this building and our legislative process to more Americans, especially Hispanic Americans. To that end, he; his brother, MARIO; and former Congresswoman Ileana Ros-Lehtinen started the Congressional Hispanic Leadership Institute.

Today, as a mark of respect for that legacy, the institute has a public service fellowship named in his honor. Congressman Lincoln Diaz-Balart will be sorely missed but never forgotten.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that all Members in the House Chamber along with Members, staff, and guests throughout the Capitol complex rise for a moment of silence in remembrance of Congressman Lincoln Diaz-Balart.

Mr. Speaker, “may his memory be for a blessing,” “Que su recuerdo sea una bendición.”

HONORING THE IRISH-AMERICAN COMMUNITY IN PENNSYLVANIA'S EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

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

Mr. BRESNAHAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the Irish-American community in Pennsylvania's Eighth Congressional District.

During the 1880s, Hazleton and the Wyoming Valley attracted many Irish immigrants, particularly from County Donegal, to work in the anthracite coal mines and the Duplan Silk Mill, the largest silk mill in the world at the time.

Those immigrants not only helped build the economy but also their local communities. They built St. Gabriel's Parish as a hub for religious and social gatherings. After a long day's work, they would go to enjoy fellowship at locales like the Hazleton Swing Club.

Today, their descendants support organizations like the Swing Club and the Ancient Order of Hibernians in Hazleton.

These groups organize the Toys for Tots drives, support the disenfranchised, and keep their families' heritage alive.

In St. Gabriel's Cemetery in Hazleton is the grave of Condé Brislin, one of the earliest immigrants from County Donegal to move to Hazleton to work in the coal mines.

As we prepare to celebrate St. Patrick's Day, let us honor our ancestors like Condé Brislin who paved the way for our prosperity today, and to those who keep their memories alive.

PRESIDENT TRUMP TARIFFS

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

Ms. STEVENS. Mr. Speaker, I rise this evening to say that tariffs on Canada are going to blow a hole in the United States automotive industry.

I ask the President to not put 25 percent tariffs on Canadian goods. Our automakers, our supply chain, and our autoworkers cannot take this hit.

Let's work together to come up with a plan to invest in manufacturing in a bipartisan, commonsense way. These tariffs are not the answer. This is a threat to too many livelihoods. Listen to the autoworker.

CELEBRATING 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF TUBBY'S TANK HOUSE

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

Mr. CARTER of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the 30th anniversary of Tubby's Tank House. Since opening in 1995, Tubby's has been a beloved coastal dining destination known for its fresh seafood, spacious outdoor patio, and warm hospitality.

The owner and my good friend, Ansley Williams, expressed his gratitude for the community's support over the past 30 years.

Tubby's has become more than a restaurant. It is a gathering place for

locals and visitors alike. Its welcoming atmosphere and dedication to quality has made it a staple in the Savannah and Thunderbolt area.

Guests enjoy outdoor games, keepsake photos, and a beautiful waterfront view that makes it so special.

Tubby's has provided not only great seafood, but a place for people to connect and create lasting memories. As Tubby's celebrates this milestone, we recognize the dedication and hard work that made it successful.

Here is to many more years of great food, great company, and great memories.

STOPPING APPROPRIATION WORK

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

Mrs. TORRES of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to speak on a matter that is critical to the functioning of our government.

As House appropriators, we are tasked with ensuring that our Federal agencies are properly funded so they can serve the American people. However, we are being asked to perform this vital duty without even knowing what plans DOGE has for the future of our agencies, let alone the true role Elon Musk plays at DOGE and the rules it follows and under what authority.

How can we, as lawmakers, fund the government and trust that our instructions written into law are faithfully executed?

How can we make informed decisions that directly affect the lives of millions of Americans who rely on these services?

We are being left in the dark without knowing about what plans DOGE, OPM, and OMB have. The lack of transparency is alarming, unacceptable, and illegal.

We need to end Elon Musk's power grab over agencies and services that Americans depend upon before it is too late.

The Republic is in crisis, and Republicans need to wake up.

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AMERICA FIRST

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

Mr. LAMALFA. Mr. Speaker, we welcome President Trump tomorrow to the Capitol for his joint address here in Congress.

It is more than just a speech. It is an opportunity to lay out the successes so far of this administration and the important work ahead to restore American strength, the economy, as well as world affairs.

In just a short time, President Trump has delivered real results, end-

ing the taxpayer-funded DEI programs and stopping the government from wasting money on divisive policies.

He took decisive action to secure our border. The numbers have been dropping dramatically from those who were illegally crossing just a couple of months ago to just a couple hundred a day. This puts the safety of American citizens first.

The President is cutting through bloated bureaucracy and the alarming waste and missed priorities of programs that the American taxpayers don't even want any part of. This makes government work for the people, not against them, which respects taxpayers.

On the world stage, he has proven that peace comes through strength, rejecting the weak leadership that left America vulnerable and our adversaries emboldened, which helps to prevent wars that would happen and end current wars.

A STAIN ON OUR NATION'S HONOR

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

Mr. FOSTER. Mr. Speaker, at the time of Ukraine's independence from the Soviet Union in 1991, Ukraine held the third largest nuclear arsenal in the world.

According to the Arms Control Association, this included approximately 1,900 strategic warheads, 176 intercontinental ballistic missiles, and 34 strategic bombers, an arsenal large enough to annihilate every person on Earth.

By 1996, Ukraine had voluntarily given up that nuclear arsenal in exchange for written guarantees of territorial integrity, signed by America, Russia, England, and Europe. These were guarantees that were reconfirmed by Russia under Vladimir Putin in 2009.

When JD VANCE and Donald Trump stabbed Ukraine in the back in the Oval Office last Friday by ignorantly repudiating those security agreements and by failing to defend one of only two nations that has ever voluntarily given up its nuclear weapons, it forever raised the risk of an uncontrolled nuclear arms race and a nuclear holocaust. It put a stain on our Nation's honor that will take generations to remove.

COLLECTIVE PROTECTION OF OUR IDEALS

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

Ms. BALINT. Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues: What kind of man asks for absolute fealty and bootlicking from the people around him?

What kind of man asks people to lie for him?

What kind of man is so petty that he can't admit obvious mistakes and lies?

What kind of man mocks veterans and then callously fires them from jobs?

What kind of man appeases and flatters our enemies?

What kind of man puts his own needs above country?

What kind of men and women make excuses for him and lie for him and cover for him?

These are the questions that are haunting me today. We need so much better than this in this moment. This is about the safety and security of our Nation and our allies around the world. This is about our collective protection of our ideals.

Americans of conscience, we must stand together and confront any man so wholly unsuited for what we ask of him.

HONORING KENNY BIERSCHENK

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

Mr. LANDSMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of an extraordinary individual, Mr. Kenny Bierschenk.

Kenny has dedicated 30 years to enriching our community through music as a conductor and director of the Westside Community Band. Kenny has brought a joy to countless individuals across our community.

Kenny has led the group to national recognition as a top ten community band in the 2024 American Prize competition.

Under his leadership, the band performed nearly 250 free concerts, uplifting audiences at senior centers, festivals, and community events.

He is not only a great conductor, but a great person. He and his band have done so much community work on behalf of our children. Kenny represents the best of our community, and we thank him for his leadership and his lasting impact.

CELEBRATING EVELYN REALI BIANCHI ON HER 95TH BIRTHDAY

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

Mr. TONKO. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of my constituent, Evelyn Reali Bianchi, who will soon be celebrating her 95th birthday.

Evelyn, the oldest of five children, was born on March 9, 1930, to Italian immigrants, Dominick and Marina Reali of Amsterdam, New York.

Evelyn met and then married John Bianchi in 1957. They have two children, Ann and John.

Evelyn went back to work right away and began a decades-long career in the insurance industry, followed by employment at St. Mary's Hospital under Sister Rita Jean DuBrey.

Evelyn joined the St. Mary's Hospital auxiliary in the early 1960s, served a