

SENATE RESOLUTION 315—EX-PRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DESIGNATION OF JULY 10, 2025, AS JOURNEYMAN LINWORKERS RECOGNITION DAY

Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. RISCH, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. JUSTICE, Ms. SLOTKIN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. GALLEGRO, and Mr. SULLIVAN) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:

S. RES. 315

Whereas the United States relies on safe, reliable, affordable, and clean electricity to power its economy, as well as homes, businesses, industries and manufacturers, colleges and universities, schools, hospitals, cities, and communities, and so much more;

Whereas journeyman lineworkers play a critical role in keeping the United States energy grid running 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year;

Whereas journeyman lineworkers perform heroic services during national and regional disasters, including hurricanes, wildfires, tornadoes, and ice storms, and also work in tough terrain, extreme heat, and cold areas of the country;

Whereas journeyman lineworkers consistently work long hours often under dangerous conditions to restore power;

Whereas journeyman lineworkers put their lives on the line every day to ensure the delivery of safe and reliable power to the United States, and its territories;

Whereas July 10, 2025, marks the 129th anniversary of the death of Henry Miller, the first president of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, who was killed in the line of duty while trying to restore electricity during an outage in Washington, D.C.; and

Whereas there should be a day to honor the hundreds of thousands of men and women who have also put their lives on the line over the past 129 years to provide skillful service in times of local or national crisis: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) supports the designation of July 10, 2025, as Journeyman Lineworkers Recognition Day;

(2) honors and recognizes the contributions and sacrifices of countless journeyman lineworkers who often place themselves in harm's way to serve their customers and their communities; and

(3) encourages the people of the United States to observe Journeyman Lineworkers Recognition Day with appropriate reflection.

SENATE RESOLUTION 316—EX-PRESSING CONDOLENCES OF THE SENATE AND HONORING THE MEMORY OF THE VICTIMS ON THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THE MASS SHOOTING AT THE FOURTH OF JULY PARADE IN HIGHLAND PARK, ILLINOIS, ON JULY 4, 2022

Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Ms. DUCKWORTH) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. RES. 316

Whereas, on July 4, 2022, a gunman opened fire at the corner of Central Avenue and Second Street in Highland Park, Illinois, during the annual Fourth of July parade;

Whereas the gunman took the lives of 7 individuals and injured 48 more individuals;

Whereas the 7 individuals who lost their lives that day were—

(1) Katherine Goldstein, age 64, of Highland Park, Illinois, a beloved wife and mother, who was known for her kind, caring personality, and for bringing neighbors delicious baked goods during the holidays;

(2) Irina McCarthy, age 35, of Highland Park, Illinois, a wife and mother of 2-year-old Aiden, who met her husband Kevin through their mutual work in the pharmaceutical industry;

(3) Kevin McCarthy, age 37, of Highland Park, Illinois, a husband and father of 2-year-old Aiden, who died protecting his son from gunfire;

(4) Stephen Straus, age 88, of Highland Park, Illinois, a brother, husband, father, and grandfather, who was a joke-teller and avid reader and greatly enjoyed the Art Institute of Chicago and the Chicago Symphony Orchestra;

(5) Jacquelyn Sundheim, age 63, of Highland Park, Illinois, a kind and caring wife and mother, who was a lifelong member of North Shore Congregation Israel, in Glencoe, where she also taught preschool and served as the events coordinator;

(6) Nicolas Toledo-Zaragoza, age 78, of Morelos, Mexico, who was attending the parade with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren; and

(7) Eduardo Uvaldo, age 69, of Waukegan, Illinois, who was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather;

Whereas dozens of individuals were wounded by gunfire or injured fleeing the scene of the mass shooting;

Whereas the Highland Park Police Department and the Highland Park Fire Department led dozens of agencies in responding to the shooting with bravery and professionalism, including—

(1) the Illinois State Police;

(2) the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives;

(3) the Federal Bureau of Investigation;

(4) the United States Secret Service;

(5) the United States Marshals Service;

(6) the Naval Criminal Investigative Service;

(7) the Lake County Major Crimes Task Force;

(8) the Chicago Police Department;

(9) the Lake County Sheriff's Office;

(10) the Cook County Sheriff's Office;

(11) the Northwest Central Dispatch System;

(12) the Regional Emergency Dispatch Center (RED Center);

(13) the Glenview Public Safety Dispatch Center;

(14) the Highland Park Community Emergency Response Team (CERT);

(15) the Deerfield-Bannockburn Fire Protection District;

(16) the Northbrook Fire Department;

(17) the Winnetka Fire Department;

(18) the Northfield Fire Department;

(19) the Buffalo Grove Fire Department;

(20) the Prospect Heights Fire Department;

(21) the Libertyville Fire Department;

(22) the Lincolnshire-Riverwoods Fire Protection District;

(23) the Evanston Fire Department;

(24) the Glenview Fire Department;

(25) the Lake Bluff Fire Department;

(26) the Skokie Fire Department;

(27) the Wilmette Fire Department;

(28) the Des Plaines Fire Department;

(29) the Glencoe Department of Public Safety;

(30) the Lake Forest Fire Department;

(31) the Morton Grove Fire Department;

(32) the Park Ridge Fire Department;

(33) the Waukegan Fire Department;

(34) the Niles Fire Department;

(35) the Addison Fire Protection District;

(36) the Streamwood Fire Department;

(37) the Hanover Park Fire Department;

and

(38) the police departments of—

(A) Addison;

(B) Antioch;

(C) Arlington Heights;

(D) Bannockburn;

(E) Barrington;

(F) Barrington Hills;

(G) Bartlett;

(H) Berwyn;

(I) Buffalo Grove;

(J) Carpentersville;

(K) Cary;

(L) Crystal Lake;

(M) Deerfield;

(N) Des Plaines;

(O) Elk Grove Village;

(P) Elmhurst;

(Q) Evanston;

(R) Fox Lake;

(S) Franklin Park;

(T) Glencoe;

(U) Glenview;

(V) Grayslake;

(W) Gurnee;

(X) Hanover Park;

(Y) Harwood Heights;

(Z) Hoffman Estates;

(AA) Inverness;

(BB) Kenilworth;

(CC) Kildeer;

(DD) Lake Bluff;

(EE) Lake Forest;

(FF) Lake Villa;

(GG) Lake Zurich;

(HH) Libertyville;

(II) Lincolnshire;

(JJ) Lincolnwood;

(KK) McHenry;

(LL) Morton Grove;

(MM) Mount Prospect;

(NN) Mundelein;

(OO) Niles;

(PP) Norridge;

(QQ) North Chicago;

(RR) North Riverside;

(SS) Northbrook;

(TT) Northfield;

(UU) Palatine;

(VV) Prospect Heights;

(WW) Riverwoods;

(XX) Rolling Meadows;

(YY) Rosemont;

(ZZ) Round Lake;

(AAA) Round Lake Beach;

(BBB) Round Lake Park;

(CCC) Schiller Park;

(DDD) Skokie;

(EEE) Streamwood;

(FFF) Vernon Hills;

(GGG) Wauconda;

(HHH) Waukegan;

(III) Western Springs;

(JJJ) Wheeling;

(KKK) Wilmette;

(LLL) Winnetka;

(MMM) Winthrop Harbor; and

(NNN) Zion;

Whereas the emergency responders and the doctors, nurses, and other health care providers at Highland Park Hospital, Glenbrook Hospital, Evanston Hospital, Northwestern Medicine Lake Forest Hospital, Advocate Lutheran General Hospital, and University of Chicago Medicine Comer Children's Hospital provided professional and dedicated care to the victims;

Whereas, during the year following the shooting, many volunteer counselors traveled to North Shore School District 112 and

Township High School District 113 to assist the community in the process of healing;

Whereas members of the Highland Park, Highwood, Waukegan, and North Chicago communities, along with communities across the entire North Shore, the State of Illinois, the United States, and the world remain united in support of the victims of this horrific massacre and their families on its 3-year anniversary;

Whereas, according to the Gun Violence Archive, the tragic mass shooting that occurred in Highland Park was 1 of 10 mass shootings that occurred on July 4, 2022; and

Whereas senseless gun violence has caused devastation, trauma, and grief to too many families and communities across the United States: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) expresses sincere condolences to the families, friends, and loved ones of Katherine Goldstein, Irina McCarthy, Kevin McCarthy, Stephen Straus, Jacquelyn Sundheim, Nicolas Toledo-Zaragoza, and Eduardo Uvaldo, the victims of the devastating shooting along the parade route on July 4, 2022, in Highland Park, Illinois;

(2) honors the lives and memory of the victims, with gratitude for their selfless dedication to others;

(3) continues to extend support to the individuals who were injured and subjected to the trauma of the shooting;

(4) expresses gratitude to the law enforcement officers, medical personnel, and emergency responders who responded to the shooting with professionalism, dedication, and bravery; and

(5) stands in solidarity with the victims of senseless gun violence in communities across the United States.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

Mr. MORAN. Mr. President, I have five requests for committees to meet during today's session of the Senate. They have the approval of the Majority and Minority Leaders.

Pursuant to rule XXVI, paragraph 5(a), of the Standing Rules of the Senate, the following committees are authorized to meet during today's session of the Senate:

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

The Select Committee on Intelligence is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at 3 p.m., to conduct a closed briefing.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AIRLAND

The Subcommittee on Airland of the Committee on Armed Services is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at 4:30 p.m., to conduct a closed session.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON READINESS AND MANAGEMENT SUPPORT

The Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support of the Committee on Armed Services is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at 6:15 p.m., to conduct a closed session.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON SEAPOWER

The Subcommittee on Seapower of the Committee on Armed Services is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at 5:45 p.m., to conduct a closed session.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC FORCES

The Subcommittee on Strategic Forces of the Committee on Armed Services is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at 6 p.m., to conduct a closed session.

LULU'S LAW

Mr. MORAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of Calendar No. 91, S. 1003.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 1003) to require the Federal Communications Commission to issue an order providing that a shark attack is an event for which a wireless emergency alert may be transmitted, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. MORAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the bill be considered read a third time and passed and that the motion to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (S. 1003) was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading, was read the third time, and passed as follows:

S. 1003

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as "Lulu's Law".

SEC. 2. WIRELESS EMERGENCY ALERTS.

(a) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term "Alert Message" has the meaning given the term in section 10.10(a) of title 47, Code of Federal Regulations, or any successor regulation.

(b) REQUIREMENT.—Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Federal Communications Commission shall issue an order to provide that a shark attack is an event for which an Alert Message may be transmitted.

ORDERS FOR WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 2025

Mr. MORAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand adjourned until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, July 9; that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, morning business be closed, the Senate proceed to executive session and resume consideration of Calendar No. 106, Preston Griffith, and the Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination at 11:30; that following disposition of the Griffith nomination, the Senate vote on the motion to invoke cloture on Calendar No. 81, Scott Kuper, and following the cloture vote, the Senate recess until 2:15 p.m. to allow for the weekly conference meetings; further, that at 2:15 p.m., the Senate vote on confirmation of Calendar No. 197, Bryan Bedford, and following disposition of the Bedford nomination, the Senate vote on the motion to invoke cloture on Calendar No. 58, William Briggs; further, that at 5:45 p.m., if cloture is invoked, the Senate vote on confirmation of the Kuper nomination and following disposition of the nomination, if cloture is invoked, the Senate vote on confirmation of the Briggs nomination; finally, that if any nominations are confirmed during Wednesday's session of the Senate, the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table and the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. MORAN. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask that the Senate stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:57 p.m., adjourned until Wednesday, July 9, 2025, at 10 a.m.