

education. While balancing the demands of military life, she began taking college courses and steadily worked toward completing her degree.

Cpl. Moriarty's military career concluded after she sustained an injury while serving, which ultimately resulted in a medical discharge after three and a half years of service. Despite the challenges surrounding her injury and transition to civilian life, she remained focused on her future and continued pursuing higher education full time.

Today, Cpl. Moriarty is preparing to graduate with a bachelor's degree focused on business and finance-related studies. Outside of school, she enjoys creative projects, design work, and exploring Michigan's natural landscapes and sand dunes.

Mr. Speaker, Corporal Emma Moriarty's service in the United States Marine Corps, dedication to her education, and perseverance through challenges reflect her strong character and commitment to service. It is my honor to recognize her as our May 2026 Veteran of the Month.

HONORING STATE SENATOR ALICE  
MANN ON HER RETIREMENT

**HON. KELLY MORRISON**

OF MINNESOTA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Ms. MORRISON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and honor Dr. Alice Mann for her dedicated service to the people of Minnesota and her commitment to improving the health and well-being of communities across our state, on the occasion of her decision to retire.

Born in Porto Alegre, Brazil, she immigrated to Minnesota with her family at the age of eight, settling in Richfield. From an early age, she embraced the values of hard work, resilience, and opportunity that would come to define her life and career. A fierce champion of human rights, her unwavering advocacy has been matched only by her conscientious compassion to help those in need, regardless of ethnicity, zip code, or tax bracket.

A highly accomplished physician, Dr. Mann earned her Master of Public Health from Johns Hopkins University and her Doctor of Medicine from Meharry Medical College. She completed her residency at the Mayo Clinic Health System and has practiced both family and emergency medicine, caring for patients in Minnesota and beyond. Her medical career has taken her around the world, providing care to underserved populations in countries including Tanzania, Mali, Nicaragua, Haiti, Brazil, and Zimbabwe, as well as Syrian refugees in Greece, and to U.S. residents impacted by Hurricane Maria in Puerto Rico.

Dr. Mann's experience as an immigrant and a physician informs her passion for providing excellent patient care and for transforming our health care system into one that meets all people's needs. Driven by her firsthand experiences with patients struggling to access affordable care, Dr. Mann was compelled to enter public service. She was elected to the Minnesota House of Representatives, where she represented the communities of Burnsville and Lakeville. During her tenure, she championed policies to lower healthcare costs, expand access to services, and improve out-

comes for families, including legislation addressing prescription drug pricing, maternal health, and support for individuals with rare diseases.

After returning to the front lines of medicine during the COVID-19 pandemic, Dr. Mann continued her commitment to public service and was elected to the Minnesota Senate in 2022, representing District 50. In the Senate, she has been a leading voice on healthcare and family policy, serving as a chief author of legislation establishing paid family and medical leave and supporting efforts to strengthen workers' rights and economic security.

Throughout her career, Dr. Mann has exemplified a deep commitment to service, whether treating patients in emergency rooms, advocating for vulnerable populations, or crafting thoughtful, impactful legislation. Her work reflects a steadfast belief in finding practical solutions and putting people over politics.

Beyond her professional accomplishments, Dr. Mann is a devoted wife to her husband Elliot, and caring mother to Maxwell, Alexander, and Marcelo. Her dedication to family and community is evident in all that she does.

Dr. Mann's legacy is one of compassion, leadership, and service. On behalf of countless Minnesotans whose lives she has touched and improved, I extend my sincere gratitude for her contributions to our state and wish her all the best in her continued service and future endeavors.

RECOGNIZING JASON AND ALEX  
RHEINWALD

**HON. JOSEPH D. MORELLE**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Mr. MORELLE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of Jewish American Heritage Month to recognize two outstanding community leaders and preservers of Rochester's Jewish culinary heritage: Jason and Alex Rheinwald.

Jason and Alex Rheinwald are the co-owners of Fox's Deli, a nearly century-old Rochester institution that has long served as a cornerstone of the region's Jewish community and cultural life. After taking over the deli several years ago, the brothers committed themselves to preserving its traditional Jewish deli identity while thoughtfully modernizing and expanding the business for a new generation.

Under their leadership, Fox's Deli has continued to serve as a gathering place for Rochester families and a living connection to the city's historic Jewish community. Their stewardship of this important institution earned Fox's recognition by New York State's Historic Business Preservation Registry, reflecting both the deli's cultural significance and the Rheinwald brothers' dedication to preserving its legacy.

In recent years, Jason and Alex further expanded Rochester's Jewish culinary traditions through the opening of The Bagel Shop By Fox's on Park Avenue, bringing traditional hand-rolled New York-style bagels and Jewish deli culture to new audiences while maintaining the quality and sense of community that define Fox's.

Jason and Alex Rheinwald's work reflects a deep and enduring commitment to preserving Rochester's Jewish heritage, supporting local

business, and strengthening community connections. During Jewish American Heritage Month, it is especially fitting that we honor individuals who have gone above and beyond to preserve shared cultural traditions and enrich our communities. I am proud to recognize them and extend my deepest gratitude for their continued service.

HONORING ERNIE MANOUSE

**HON. SYLVIA R. GARCIA**

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Ms. GARCIA of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Ernie Manouse, a dear friend and a true Houston institution, and to congratulate him on 30 years with Houston Public Media.

For three decades, Ernie has helped shape the way Houston tells its story. He has earned the respect of people across our city through his thoughtful reporting, his genuine curiosity, and his ability to connect with people from every walk of life.

Anyone who has watched Ernie interview someone knows he brings warmth and humanity to every conversation. He listens carefully, asks meaningful questions, and makes people feel comfortable enough to share their stories honestly. His infectious smile and easy style are part of what make him such a rare talent, and they are among the reasons he has become such a trusted presence in Houston.

Ernie's impact extends well beyond journalism. He has spent years supporting the arts, championing equality, and giving back to the community he loves. His work has helped strengthen Houston's civic and cultural life in countless ways.

Houston is better because of Ernie. I thank him for his friendship, his decades of service, and everything he has done for our great city.

HONORING THE SERVICE OF  
CAPTAIN MICHAEL D. BISHOP

**HON. VICENTE GONZALEZ**

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Mr. VICENTE GONZALEZ of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and honor Captain Michael D. Bishop, U.S. Navy Commanding Officer, for his distinguished military service.

Captain Bishop has served in the U.S. Navy since his enlistment in 1991 and has built an exceptional career marked by operational excellence, leadership, and dedication to the development of future servicemembers. His first role was with the "World Watchers" of VQ-1 at Naval Air Station Agana in Guam. He was later selected for the Enlisted Commissioning Program and graduated summa cum laude from Ohio State University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in political science.

Over the course of his service, Captain Bishop has accumulated more than 3,000 pilot flight hours and over 7,500 hours in military aircraft. His career reflects extraordinary dedication, professionalism, and patriotism, and he

continues to exemplify the very best of the United States Navy.

Captain Bishop has served in numerous operational and training assignments, earning recognition for his aviation expertise and leadership. Since assuming command at Kingsville Naval Air Station in 2024, he has overseen the training of future Navy, Marine Corps, and Allied tactical pilots through Training Air Wing TWO (TW-2). Under his leadership, the installation has continued to strengthen its relationship with the Kingsville community while maintaining the highest standards of military readiness and instruction.

Captain Bishop's guidance has helped shape the next generation of military aviators. Drawing on his operational and instructional expertise, he will continue to drive leadership excellence at NAS Kingsville during his tenure.

Mr. Speaker, on behalf of the 34th Congressional District of Texas, I congratulate Captain Bishop on his many achievements and thank him for his continued service. His leadership serves as an example for servicemembers across South Texas and the Nation.

RECOGNIZING THE GLACIER RANGE RIDERS AND THEIR GROWING IMPACT ON THE FLATHEAD VALLEY AND THE STATE OF MONTANA

**HON. RYAN K. ZINKE**

OF MONTANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Mr. ZINKE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize the Glacier Range Riders and their growing impact on the Flathead Valley and the State of Montana.

Baseball has long been considered America's pastime, bringing communities together through a shared love of competition and tradition. The Glacier Range Riders have brought professional baseball back to Northwest Montana since their founding in 2021. As members of the Pioneer League, an MLB Partner League, the Range Riders provide athletes with an opportunity to continue pursuing their dreams while giving Montana families the chance to experience professional baseball in their own backyard.

The creation of the Glacier Range Riders required a community coming together to build a home for baseball in Northwest Montana. Through the vision and commitment of community leaders, Glacier Bank Park rose from an empty field into one of the best venues in the Pioneer League. This undertaking proved the desire of the local community to create opportunities for families, athletes, and visitors while investing in the future of the Flathead Valley.

The name "Range Riders" was chosen to reflect Montana's rich western heritage and pays tribute to the generations of ranchers, outdoorsmen, and pioneers who forged a life on the frontier. These men and women left a legacy of hard work and determination that remains woven into the fabric of our state and is carried on through the Range Riders.

From the name of the team to the stadium, even the logo has a history. The Glacier Range Riders' logo reflects the rich cultural heritage of Montana and pays homage to the Native American traditions that remain an im-

portant part of our state's identity. The arrowhead design honors the history of the region while serving as a symbol of strength, perseverance, and community. Like the game of baseball itself, the logo brings people together to celebrate Montana's history and create new memories for future generations.

More than a baseball team, the Glacier Range Riders have created a place where families can gather, veterans can be honored, and lasting memories can be made. Each summer, friends and neighbors come together at the ballpark to enjoy America's pastime, celebrate their community, and share experiences that span generations. In an age when opportunities to bring people together are increasingly important, the Range Riders have created a venue that strengthens community ties and shows the very best of Montana. Throughout the summer months, thousands gather to watch the Range Riders, making a trip to the ballpark, another memorable part of the Flathead Valley experience.

Beyond the game itself, the Glacier Range Riders have had a meaningful impact on the local economy and community. The organization has helped attract visitors to Northwest Montana, supported local businesses, and created opportunities for young athletes to engage in the sport. The team's success demonstrates that professional sports can thrive in Montana while remaining closely connected to the people and communities they represent.

Mr. Speaker, the Glacier Range Riders represent more than wins and losses on a baseball field. They represent community, opportunity, and the enduring spirit of the American West. In just a few short years, they have become an important part of the Flathead Valley's identity and a source of pride for Montanans across our great state.

HONORING THE BICENTENNIAL OF THE TOWN OF ERIN, NEW YORK

**HON. NICHOLAS A. LANGWORTHY**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Mr. LANGWORTHY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize the Town of Erin, New York, as the community gathers to celebrate nearly 200 years of family, tradition, and proud history. Erin's very name reflects the deep Irish heritage of many of its earliest settlers, whose spirit, faith, and determination helped shape the identity of this town that we still cherish today.

In the years following the War of 1812, those early pioneers arrived here to what was then dense wilderness. Through grit and sacrifice, they cleared forests, built homes, and established the farms that would become the backbone of Erin for generations. The hard-working loggers and woodsmen who made way for the next two centuries of community helped define not only Erin's economy, but its enduring character as well. Logging, timber, and woodworking were not simply industries here—they were a way of life.

That same spirit of community continues today through the work of local volunteers, especially the Erin Volunteer Fire Department and the many dedicated people who make the Erin Wood Festival possible year after year. What began as a celebration of the town's tim-

ber heritage has grown into a cherished tradition that brings families together, supports the community, and reminds us all of the pride shared by the people of Erin.

As Supervisor Dawn M. Schmidt and the Town of Erin come together in celebration of 200 years of shared history, I ask that this body join me in honoring their remarkable past and the promise of an even stronger future for the next generation of Erin families.

RECOGNIZING AND EXPRESSING GRATITUDE TO FORMER COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR LOTTIE FEATHERSTON

**HON. RONNY JACKSON**

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 21, 2026*

Mr. JACKSON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and express my sincere gratitude to my former Communications Director, Lottie Featherston of Highland Park, Texas, for her outstanding service, strong leadership, and unwavering commitment to the people of Texas' 13th Congressional District. In today's media environment it takes discipline, clarity, and vision to ensure our communications are successful. Lottie has done exactly that. She has worked tirelessly to make sure the priorities and values of my district are effectively articulated.

Lottie is a proud graduate of the University of Mississippi, where she earned her degree in Marketing and Communication Strategy and participated in the prestigious Lott Leadership Institute. From the beginning, she distinguished herself as a principled leader who understood that effective communication is grounded in conviction. She further broadened her communication skills through international study at Universitat Pompeu Fabra in Spain, strengthening her understanding of global affairs and strategic messaging.

Her service on Capitol Hill began with internships in Congressman JAKE ELLZEY and Congresswoman BETH VAN DUYN's Offices, where she quickly proved herself to be dependable, creative, and goal oriented. She later joined the Office of the House Republican Whip under Whip TOM EMMER, advancing from Staff Assistant to Press Assistant. While working in House Leadership, Lottie operated at the center of House Republican's communication efforts, helping to advance the conservative agenda and defend our conference's priorities.

When she joined my office, she brought that same intensity and discipline with her as my Communications Director. Lottie's leadership was critical in the success of my press and digital operations and she understood what it takes to clearly articulate my positions on national security, secure borders, agriculture, and America First policies to my constituents in Texas' 13th Congressional District. Whether responding to national media inquiries, crafting official statements, or advising on communications strategies, Lottie was always a steady and trusted voice.

Today, Lottie continues her public service as a Press lead on the Presidential Advance Team in the Executive Office of President Donald J. Trump. I am confident that her strong work ethic, careful attention to detail,