

thoughtful stewardship, collaborative leadership, and an unwavering commitment to strengthening school communities. He was admired for his quiet strength, his compassion, and a deep faith that animated every aspect of his service.

Mr. Lund's impact cannot be measured solely by titles or accolades, but by the countless lives he touched through kindness, mentorship, and example. His legacy is carried forward in the strong communities he helped build, the institutions he shaped, and the many individuals he inspired. As a former student, I remain personally grateful for the formative role he played in my own education and development.

Mr. Lund passed peacefully on July 13, 2026, at the age of 67. He is survived by his wife Mary, his children, Theresa Crockett, Kathleen Lund, Kevin Lund, and his grandchildren, Harrison and Avery Crockett. May his life of service and faith continue to inspire us, and may his memory be a blessing to the community he served with such devotion. Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to please join me in celebrating and commemorating the life and accomplishments of Lars J. Lund.

RECOGNIZING 50 YEARS OF SERVICE AT DAIRY KASTLE

HON. MORGAN MCGARVEY

OF KENTUCKY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Mr. MCGARVEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Dairy Kastle, a beloved Louisville institution, and in celebration of its fiftieth anniversary.

From its origins as a modest walk-up counter converted from a gas station, Dairy Kastle has been a fixture of Louisville summers for five decades. Generations of Louisvillians have grown up on its soft serve ice cream and "flurries," and the same kids who lined up around the block for ice cream four decades ago, now bring their own children and grandchildren to enjoy snacks and treats from that same curious little building.

Dairy Kastle remains, at heart, a family-owned neighborhood spot. It is exactly the kind of small, independent business that gives a neighborhood its character, a family enterprise that has earned its customers' loyalty one cone and one chili dog at a time. Dairy Kastle has weathered decades of changing times, a pandemic, and the ordinary churn of small business in America without losing what makes it special: it's a place where the line moves quickly, the service is friendly, and the prices stay within reach of a working family's budget.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing Dairy Kastle's fifty years of service and in wishing its owners, Kevin and Daniela Trice, continued success for many summers to come.

CELEBRATING PIMA FEDERAL CREDIT UNION'S 75TH ANNIVER- SARY

HON. JUAN CISCOMANI

OF ARIZONA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Mr. CISCOMANI. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize the 75th anniversary of Pima Federal Credit Union, a milestone which the organization started celebrating on June 1.

Pima Federal has been serving Arizonans since 1951, helping members reach their financial goals and offering support to our communities.

From helping members set up their first checking account or credit card, to providing home loans and business solutions, Pima Federal has been a pillar of the Arizona community.

My appreciation for the work they have done is personal because my first ever financial institution account was with Pima Federal, and I can truthfully say they were a huge support and source of learning for me.

Pima Federal is especially committed to expanding access to homeownership through their innovative home loan programs which help families build stability, achieve their goals, and create generational wealth.

This commitment defends and preserves the American Dream, of which homeownership is integral.

I thank all the staff and leadership at Pima Federal Credit Union for their service to the communities of Arizona.

Their work has impacted generations of Arizonans, helping families and small businesses reach the financial goals they have set for themselves, and the ones they otherwise would have thought impossible.

I congratulate them on 75 amazing years. Here's to many more still to come.

HONORING JOHN ADAMS

HON. NATHANIEL MORAN

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Mr. MORAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor John Adams, chief meteorologist at KETK/FOX 51, who is celebrating 50 years in the broadcast meteorology industry.

John is a native of East Texas, born and raised in Henderson. He attended the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, continued his studies at Sam Houston State University, and graduated from Texas A&M University in 1977 with a Bachelor of Science in meteorology.

From there, John built a career spanning television and radio stations across our state, delivering the forecasts East Texas families have relied on for half a century—through calm mornings and severe storms alike.

Today, John is back home, serving the community that raised him. There is something fitting about that: a career that started with a young man from Henderson watching the skies has come full circle, with that same man now giving East Texans the information they need to plan their days and protect their families.

Fifty years is a long time to show up, night after night, and earn people's trust. John Adams has done that, and East Texas is better for it. I ask my colleagues to join me in congratulating John Adams on this milestone, and in thanking him for five decades of faithful service to the people of East Texas.

May the years ahead be as blessed as the ones behind him.

RECOGNIZING TESSA KENYON OF RIVERTON, WYOMING

HON. HARRIET M. HAGEMAN

OF WYOMING

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Ms. HAGEMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate Tessa Kenyon of Riverton on her selection as a National Officer for the Family, Career and Community Leaders of America. The FCCLA is one of the Nation's premier career development organizations in the country preparing America's workforce since 1945. FCCLA's National Officers represent the highest level of leadership within this more than 270,000-member organization shaping America's next generation. Members of the FCCLA National Executive Council play a pivotal role in developing programs, implementing initiatives, and modeling good character for kids and teens across the country. I congratulate Tessa on her selection as the National Vice President of Programs. She makes us all proud.

COMMENDING MR. ROBERT KERMETT WALKER

HON. FREDERICA S. WILSON

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Ms. WILSON of Florida. Mr. Speaker, from the 24th District of the great state of Florida, I rise today to recognize Mr. Robert Kermett Walker who is retiring after 44 years of distinguished service at several federal agencies including the United States Post Office, United States Coast Guard, Department of the Navy and most recently NOAA under the United States Department of Commerce. I include in the RECORD the following proclamation:

Whereas, Mr. Walker has been an active member and leader in the local Chapter of Blacks In Government and has also represented his agency in the Combined Federal Campaign, one of the largest work place giving programs in the country;

Whereas, Mr. Walker used his knowledge as Computer Analyst to help improve the efficiency of governmental agencies and their effectiveness to serve the public;

Whereas, Mr. Walker takes great pride in sharing his wisdom with young people in order to positively contribute to their growth and development;

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Now, therefore, be it resolved that I, Frederica S. Wilson, a Member of the United States House of Representatives, representing the 24th Congressional District of Florida, commend Mr. Robert Kermett

Walker for his dedication to his profession, and his commitment to passing on his expertise to younger generations.

HONORING THE COUNCIL OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

HON. SHONTEL M. BROWN

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Ms. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate the Council of International Programs on seven decades of service and excellence. Founded in Cleveland in 1956 and still headquartered in Ohio's 11th Congressional District today, the Council of International Programs has spent 70 years building bridges abroad through professional exchanges and cultural connections. By welcoming emerging leaders from around the world and connecting them with communities across Northeast Ohio, the organization has strengthened global partnerships, showcased the best of Northeast Ohio, and served as a template for cultural exchange initiatives across America.

On behalf of the people of Ohio's 11th Congressional District, I am proud to recognize the Council of International Programs for its outsized impact and congratulate its leadership, staff, volunteers, and alumni on this remarkable milestone.

HONORING BISHOP LEONARD SCOTT

HON. ANDRÉ CARSON

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Mr. CARSON. Mr. Speaker, today I rise to honor Bishop Leonard Scott, an Indianapolis native, pastor, recording artist, entrepreneur, and visionary whose lifetime of service has transformed gospel music and inspired generations of believers. Well-recognized for his extraordinary contributions to gospel music, Bishop Scott's influence extends far beyond the walls of the church and across the Nation.

Bishop Scott has faithfully led Tyscot Records, the Nation's oldest continuously operating Black-owned gospel record label, for

over five decades. What began in 1976 as a small family endeavor, financed through his work as a practicing dentist, has grown into one of the most influential institutions in gospel music. Under his leadership, Tyscot launched and nurtured the careers of countless artists while preserving the rich tradition of gospel music for future generations.

Known to many as "The Hymns Professor," Bishop Scott has dedicated his own musical ministry to keeping the timeless message of traditional hymns alive. He introduced a new generation to the songs of faith through his acclaimed Keep Hymns Alive series. His recordings have reached millions of listeners, while uplifting families and communities through the Gospel with his work as pastor of Rock Community Church in Indianapolis.

Bishop Scott's remarkable leadership has earned him numerous honors, including the Dove Awards Lifetime Achievement Award, induction into the Stellar Honors Hall of Fame, and most recently, recognition from the Stellar Gospel Music Awards for his enduring impact on gospel music. His legacy is one of unwavering faith, entrepreneurial vision, and a steadfast commitment to ministry.

Mr. Speaker, Bishop Leonard Scott's life is a testament to the power of faith, perseverance, and service. I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing his extraordinary contributions to gospel music, ministry, and our community.

HONORING REVEREND DR. MACK KING CARTER

HON. FEDERICA S. WILSON

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Ms. WILSON of Florida. Mr. Speaker, from the 24th District of the great state of Florida, I rise today to recognize and honor the late Reverend Dr. Mack King Carter, a man of God, a community activist and scholar. I include in the RECORD the following proclamation:

Whereas, Reverend Carter was considered one of America's great African-American preachers and traveled across the United States and abroad teaching God's Word;

Whereas, Reverend Carter was senior pastor of New Mount Olive Baptist Church in Fort Lauderdale for 27 years, and under his leadership the congregation grew from about 2,800 to more than 10,000 members;

Whereas, Reverend Carter gave his life to Christ at the age of five and became the pastor of a church at the age of 19;

Whereas, Reverend Carter mentored numerous pastors across the country and was a well respected biblical scholar admired for his use of current events in his sermons often delivered with the tradition tone of African-American preaching;

Whereas, Reverend Carter, a native of Ocala, Florida, received an Associate of Arts degree in 1967 from Central Florida Community College, a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1970 from the University of Florida, a Master of Divinity degree in 1976 from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Doctorate of Ministry degree in 1978 from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; and

Now, therefore, be it resolved that I, Frederica S. Wilson, a Member of the United States House of Representatives, representing the 24th Congressional District of Florida, honor the late Reverend Dr. Mack King Carter for his dedication and unwavering commitment to spreading God's message, his commitment to his family and friends and our community.

RECOGNIZING FAITH GOMEZ OF JAMESTOWN, WYOMING

HON. HARRIET M. HAGEMAN

OF WYOMING

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Ms. HAGEMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate Faith Gomez of Jamestown, Wyoming on her remarkable first-place finish in the Freedom250 National Student Art Contest. This competition held in honor of our country's historic 250th anniversary challenged students across the states and territories to select an American hero who shaped the Nation today. Participants submitted an original artwork accompanied by a written essay supporting their selection. Faith chose to honor America's first native-born Catholic saint, Elizabeth Ann Seton, for her grand-prize winning Freedom250 American Heroes Student Art Contest. Faith's first-place finish earned her and her family a trip to Washington D.C. where her artwork and artist statement went on display at the Great American State Fair for spectators from around the world to see. I congratulate Faith and thank her for making Wyoming proud.