

LaHood	Moskowitz	Smith (NE)
LaLota	Mrvan	Smith (NJ)
Landsman	Mullin	Smucker
Langworthy	Murphy	Sorensen
Larsen (WA)	Nadler	Soto
Larson (CT)	Neguse	Spartz
Latimer	Newhouse	Stansbury
Latta	Norcross	Stanton
Lawler	Nunn (IA)	Stauber
Lee (FL)	Ocasio-Cortez	Stefanik
Lee (NV)	Olshewski	Steil
Lee (PA)	Omar	Steube
Leger Fernandez	Onder	Stevens
Letlow	Owens	Strickland
Levin	Pallone	Strong
Liccardo	Palmer	Stutzman
Lieu	Panetta	Subramanyam
Lofgren	Pappas	Suozi
Loudermilk	Patronis	Sykes
Lucas	Pelosi	Takano
Luna	Perez	Taylor
Luttrell	Perry	Tenney
Mace	Peters	Thannedar
Mackenzie	Pettersen	Thompson (CA)
Magaziner	Pfleger	Thompson (MS)
Malliotakis	Pingree	Thompson (PA)
Maloy	Pocan	Tiffany
Mann	Pou	Timmons
Mannion	Pressley	Titus
Massie	Quigley	Tlaib
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Matsui	Randall	Tonko
McBath	Raskin	Torres (CA)
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McClain Delaney	Rivas	Tran
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McClintock	Rogers (KY)	Underwood
McCollum	Rose	Valadao
McCormick	Ross	Van Drew
McDonald Rivet	Rouzer	Van Dwyne
McDowell	Roy	Van Epps
McGarvey	Ruiz	Van Orden
McGovern	Rulli	Vargas
McGuire	Rutherford	Vasquez
McIver	Ryan	Veasey
Meeks	Salazar	Vindman
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Menendez	Scalise	Walkinshaw
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Messmer	Schakowsky	Schultz
Meuser	Schmidt	Waters
Mfume	Schneider	Watson Coleman
Miller (OH)	Scholten	Weber (TX)
Miller (WV)	Schrier	Webster (FL)
Miller-Meeks	Schweikert	Westerman
Min	Scott (VA)	Whitesides
Moolenaar	Scott, Austin	Wied
Moore (AL)	Self	Williams (GA)
Moore (NC)	Sessions	Williams (TX)
Moore (UT)	Sewell	Wilson (FL)
Moore (WI)	Sherman	Wilson (SC)
Moore (WV)	Shreve	Wittman
Moran	Simon	Womack
Morelle	Simpson	Yakym
Morrison	Smith (MO)	Zinke

NAYS—2

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NOT VOTING—17

Craig	Lynch	Nehls
Donalds	McCaull	Oberholte
Dunn (FL)	Miller (IL)	Ogles
Garamendi	Mills	Smith (WA)
Harris (MD)	Moulton	Velázquez
Kaptur	Neal	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE
The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1809

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from North Carolina (Mr. EDWARDS) kindly appear in the well.

By its adoption of H. Res. 1498, the House has resolved that the House adopt the report of the Committee on

Ethics dated July 22, 2026, in the matter of allegations relating to Representative CHUCK EDWARDS; that Representative EDWARDS of North Carolina be censured; that Representative EDWARDS forthwith present himself in the well of the House for pronouncement of the censure; and that Representative EDWARDS be censured with the public reading of this resolution by the Speaker.

MOMENT OF SILENCE TO HONOR VICTIMS OF DEVASTATING FLOODS IN NEPAL AND TIBET

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

Ms. MENG. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the victims of the devastating floods in Nepal and Tibet.

The scale of destruction is heartbreaking. This horrific tragedy has taken the lives of nearly 1,000 people, destroyed homes and livelihoods, and left families grieving the loss of their loved ones.

As search and rescue operations continue across the region, we pray for safe recovery of the more than 4,000 people still missing in the wake of this disaster, including an estimated 90 Americans.

We are committed to supporting our Asian-American communities across the United States, and especially those who live in my district in Queens, New York, as we navigate this profound tragedy. We stand with all those affected, both at home and abroad.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in a moment of silence to remember the victims, support the survivors, and honor those working tirelessly on recovery and rescue efforts.

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 10193

Mrs. MILLER of West Virginia. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from Nevada (Ms. LEE) be removed from H.R. 10193.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HURD of Colorado). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from West Virginia?

There was no objection.

PRAY FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY THE ROSS FIRE IN PALO PINTO AND JACK COUNTIES

(Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and pray for those affected by the Ross fire in Palo Pinto and Jack Counties.

More than 85,000 acres have burned across north Texas impacting families, ranchers, and communities in my district. For many of these families, this fire has meant losing their livelihoods, livestock, and land that their families

have owned for generations. Please join me in praying for those affected. My heart goes out to every Texan who is hurting during this difficult time.

I thank the firefighters, the first responders, the Forest Service, and everyone who has traveled from across Texas to help contain this wildfire. My office will continue to closely monitor the fires and stand ready to help.

Mr. Speaker, in the face of adversity, we have seen how great America is and how great Texas is.

In God we trust.

REMEMBERING JOEL IRELAND

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

Mrs. GRIJALVA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor a figurehead in Tucson and southern Arizona and a true Renaissance man, Joel Ireland.

Joel lived a consequential life, and Tucson is better off because he lived it there. He dedicated much of his life to public service, especially to the students, families, and educators of Tucson Unified School District. He served on the TUSD Governing Board for two decades, including as board president, and he was a tireless advocate for public education.

Joel's service went far beyond the school board. He was an attorney, an Episcopal priest, an advocate for historic and cultural preservation, and someone who believed deeply in standing up for people who needed a voice. He and his church even opened their doors to refugees from Central America during the 1980s.

I am proud that Joel and I shared the distinction of being the longest serving TUSD board members, a record that we both agreed would be pretty hard to break.

What I will remember most about Joel is the friend. He could always make me smile, gave great advice, and was always supportive. The last time we saw each other, we talked for hours, catching up on family, politics, and, of course, a little bit of gossip.

Mr. Speaker, to his amazing sons and his entire family, I send all my love. May Joel rest in power. I thank him for his life of service, friendship, and community. I am really going to miss him.

□ 1820

RECOGNIZING RETIREMENT OF DARREN SOLOMON

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

Mr. HARRIS of North Carolina. Nothing is more noble and patriotic than serving our great company, and Darren Solomon exemplifies this spirit. After 33 years of public service, including 26 years as a Federal agent, he is officially retired.

As a certified fire investigator, Darren spent years uncovering the truth behind how fires occurred and helping provide answers to families during some of their most difficult moments. Beyond his own investigations, he dedicated himself to training fellow investigators and passing along his knowledge and expertise to the next generation.

Throughout his remarkable career, Darren has demonstrated unwavering patriotism, a deep love for his family, and a strong commitment to his community.

Mr. Speaker, I thank Darren for his service. It will never go unnoticed, and I am proud to have him as part of the great Eighth District of North Carolina and wish him a well-earned retirement.

HUMANITY MATTERS

(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 today after returning this morning from Israel convinced of something simple: We do not have to choose whose humanity matters.

I stood at the Nova Festival site where young people went to dance and 364 never came home.

I walked through Kibbutz Kfar Aza and saw the remains of bloodshed and attacks on peaceful people.

I sat across from people who survived captivity and somehow found the courage to tell us what it means to come home.

Their humanity matters.

I also met World Central Kitchen workers feeding Palestinian families in Gaza, and at Kerem Shalom, I saw the urgent work of getting food and medicine to innocent people trapped in a war they did not choose.

Their humanity matters too.

At Hadassah Medical Center, I saw perhaps the clearest reminder of all: Jewish and Arab doctors and nurses working side by side to save whoever comes through the door, because medicine does not ask who you choose whose life is worth saving. Every life is worth saving and neither should humanity.

We can mourn the victims of October 7 and demand dignity for innocent Palestinians. We can demand security for Israelis and humanitarian relief for Gaza.

When the world asks us to choose whose humanity matters, America should have the answer: Everyone's.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentlewoman has expired.

HONORING DONNA BESLER-TATEM

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

Ms. TENNEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in loving memory of Donna Besler-Tatem of Canandaigua, New

York, a woman defined by faith, family, compassion, and service.

She led the Care Net Pregnancy Center of Canandaigua, helped to establish a Nowhere to Go program for people experiencing homelessness, supported suicide prevention efforts, and counseled individuals in the Ontario County Jail.

Donna lived with deep faith, love for her family, and compassion for others. She was always warm and welcoming, with a special gift of making people feel seen, heard, and valued.

After losing her beloved son Brennan to suicide, Donna transformed her grief into a mission of hope and compassion.

Family was precious to Donna. She was the loving mother of Ashley, Grant, Luke, and the late Brennan. She cherished her father; her sisters, including Diana, her sister and best friend; and her precious therapy dog, Piper.

In recent years, Donna devoted herself to caring for her beloved mother, who passed away just months ago.

Donna's life reminds us to be kinder, listen longer, judge less, and see the person first. Our Finger Lakes community is better because Donna was a part of it.

May God bless Donna, her family, and all who loved her.

CELEBRATING 901 DAY

(Mr. COHEN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. COHEN. Today, we celebrate 901 Day—a day to celebrate Memphis, Tennessee, and the people who make the city the great city that it is.

Mr. Speaker, 901 is more than an area code. It represents people who have never been afraid to stand up and demand better.

In 1968, AFSCME sanitation workers in Memphis marched for dignity, fair wages, and the basic right to be treated with respect. Dr. King came to Memphis to stand with those workers and tragically lost his life at that time.

This history reminds us that progress has never simply been given to Memphis. We have fought for it.

Now with the gerrymandered redistricting effort that took away the votes of Black voters and the large-scale ICE raid that was carried out this past weekend, we must fight harder.

Yes, today we celebrate the history, music, culture, and barbecue; but, most importantly, we celebrate the people, the generation of Memphians who refused to accept that things had to stay the way they were. We carry that spirit forward.

Happy 901 Day, Memphis.

CELEBRATING CONSTITUTION DAY

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

Mr. BIGGS of Arizona. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate Constitution

Day coming up, commemorating the day our Constitution was signed in Philadelphia.

The Constitution was debated, written, and signed at a fragile moment in our Nation's history. Yet, through the wisdom of our Founders and their unwavering determination to secure liberty for future generations, they produced a document that has stood the test of time.

For nearly two-and-a-half centuries, the Constitution has safeguarded our freedoms, restrained the power of government, and served as an enduring example to people around the world who aspire to liberty and self-government.

This year, we celebrated the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. That remarkable milestone was only possible because generations of Americans have preserved the principles our Founders enshrined in the Constitution.

Mr. Speaker, I am profoundly grateful for those who went before, framed this extraordinary document, and for the liberty it has secured for generations of Americans. I hope it endures another 250 years.

VERMONT AVENUE BUS RAPID TRANSIT

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

Mr. GOMEZ. Mr. Speaker, for far too many Angelenos, a bus ride to work, school, or home takes far too long.

Today, we are changing that. I am proud to announce \$149 million in new Federal funding for L.A.'s busiest bus corridor, through the Vermont Avenue Bus Rapid Transit project.

This investment will serve over 20 million riders a year, cut travel time by 24 percent, and create thousands of good-paying jobs.

Angelenos deserve transit that gets them where they need to go, faster, safer, and on time. This investment is a major step forward to a more connected, affordable, and livable Los Angeles.

CELEBRATING THE RETIREMENT OF JASON LYNN POTTER

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

Mr. LALOTA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Jason Lynn Potter for 25 years of outstanding service to our Nation, both in uniform and as a civilian defense leader, and to congratulate him on retirement.

As a distinguished Navy veteran, Jason served aboard USS *Cape St. George* and USS *Rushmore*, and on a Joint Special Operations task force in the Philippines.

Following his military service, he served 10 years as a Senate professional staff member on the Committee on