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Hello Laura,

It is a somber day following the assassination attempt on President Trump last night. This is a senseless act of political violence and should be condemned by all. The House of Representatives will fully investigate this tragic event - I will keep you informed throughout the entire process. Please join me in continuing to pray for our nation, President Trump, the injured rally goers, and their families.

I spent another busy and interesting week in Washington, D.C., with the U.S. House of Representatives passing several pieces of vital legislation, including a bill to protect women in sports and locker rooms and a bill to ensure that our federal elections are fair and free from interference from illegal aliens. Keep reading below for an update on these bills and more!

## House Passes Legislation to Protect Women

As many of you know, President Biden's Department of Education recently released new Title IX regulations seeking to expand the definition of "sex" to include "sexual orientation" and "gender identity." Since its enactment over half a century ago, Title IX remains a landmark piece of legislation that has promoted equal opportunities for women and girls in education and has paved the way for countless professional success stories. I was an early beneficiary of Title IX, entering Junior High soon after its passage. Girls' sports and other educational opportunities were expanded quite quickly, giving me the ability to participate in several of the more "nontraditional" pursuits that interested me, including shop, wood classes, welding, and livestock judging.

Despite its decades-long record of achievement, the Biden Administration, through rulemaking as opposed to an Act of Congress, has sought to rewrite and overhaul the foundational principles of Title IX to advance its radical gender ideology in the midst of an election year. Not only are equal opportunities for women and girls in education at stake, but these changes notably threaten their privacy and safety in schools. Biden's latest radical policy pronouncement does not advance the progress that has been made under Title IX. It instead seeks to disadvantage those very individuals who were meant to be protected upon its passage.

We must resist the Biden Administration's forceful attempts to institute those changes that run completely contrary to the intent behind Title IX. For these reasons, I am a proud original cosponsor of [H.J.Res.165](#), which passed the House of Representatives and would overturn the federal Department of Education's harmful rule. I have also cosponsored multiple other bills that seek to safeguard women and girls in sports, including [H.R. 734](#), the Protection of Women and Girls in Sports Act, which passed the House of Representatives, and [H.R. 7187](#), the Protection of Women in Olympic and Amateur Sports Act. As your representative, I will continue to do all that I can to support equal educational opportunities and provide for the safety of all women and girls in America.

## House Passes Bill to Ensure Fairness in Federal Elections

I am happy to announce that a bill I cosponsored, [H.R.8281](#), the Safeguard American Voter Eligibility Act (SAVE Act), passed the House of Representatives on Wednesday. This legislation would require states to obtain proof of citizenship—in person—when registering an individual to vote and requires states to remove non-citizens from existing voter rolls.

President Biden has actively allowed for the invasion of over 11 million illegal aliens into our country since he assumed office, and in that time, Massachusetts, Virginia, and Ohio have found and removed noncitizens from their voter registration rolls. However, many states have refused to verify their own records. The SAVE Act, along with other Republican-led efforts, would ensure election integrity through commonsense solutions such as voter ID, adopting safeguards preventing non-citizens from voting, requiring signature verification, and implementing chain-of-custody requirements for ballots.

It is absolutely critical to ensure that the privilege to vote in our federal elections remains one that *only* American citizens can exercise -- NOT illegal aliens. To this extent, I also cosponsored and worked toward the passage of [H.R.7109](#), the Equal Representation Act, which would require a citizenship question in any future census to bar illegals from being counted for purposes of Congressional and Electoral College apportionment.

## Update on My Efforts to Delist the GYE Grizzly Bear

Many of you are aware of my continued efforts to remove the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem (GYE) grizzly bear from the federal list of endangered and threatened species. The GYE grizzly bear population has more than fully recovered, and keeping the bear listed poses safety risks to humans, livestock, and other wildlife. This is why I introduced [H.R. 1245](#), the Grizzly Bear State Management Act, which would require the Department of the Interior (DOI) to delist the species.

On Tuesday, the House Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries, of which I am a member, held a hearing in which I questioned U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Deputy Director Guertin on the agency's failure to respond to the state of Wyoming's petition to delist the GYE grizzly within the 12-month window required by the Endangered Species Act. You can watch my questioning [here](#), and you can view a letter I wrote to the USFWS on this same issue [here](#). As for Mr. Guertin's testimony, I was pleased to hear him report that the USFWS intends to issue a decision *by the end of July* regarding whether to delist the GYE grizzly population. I was also able to get him to admit that if we had the number of bears at the time of listing that we do now, they never would have been listed in the first place. I think that is a telling admission, and I hope that the USFWS will move forward with delisting as soon as possible.

While I am somewhat confident that the USFWS will recommend delisting the GYE grizzly population, it is better to be safe than sorry. It is for that reason that, also on Tuesday, the House Appropriations Committee passed out of committee the Fiscal Year 2025 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act. I am extremely grateful that the appropriations bill includes an amendment offered by Rep. Ryan Zinke (R-MT) that requires the DOI to delist the GYE population of grizzly bears. The amendment is derived from my Grizzly Bear State Management Act, of which Rep. Zinke is an original cosponsor. It is my hope that this bill is quickly passed and signed into law, as it is vital to returning management of the grizzly population back to the states where it belongs. Moving forward with legislative delisting is important to remind these federal agencies that it is Congress that passes the laws, and if an agency has failed to comply with the law as written, we will step in and correct the situation.

See What I'm Doing in D.C.! Add Me on Social Media:



## Events and Announcements

### Nominations Now Open for the 2025 IMLS National Medal for Museum and Library Service!

Can you think of a museum or library that deserves national recognition? If so, my office is hoping to nominate outstanding museums and libraries for the 2025 Institute of Museum and Library Service's (IMLS) National Medal for Museum and Library Service. The IMLS National Medal is the nation's highest honor for museums and libraries and recognizes exceptional museums and libraries of any type and size. To learn more information or to see if your local museum or library qualifies, please [click here](#). To offer suggestions as to which museums and libraries I should nominate, please contact Christiana Nelson at [Christiana.Nelson@mail.house.gov](mailto:Christiana.Nelson@mail.house.gov) or 202-225-2311.

### Upcoming Congress in Your Communities

Each week that I am in DC, my staff members hold mobile office hours around the state to hear your concerns and assist with casework requests. Schedule an appointment [here](#) or by calling 307-261-6595. Exact addresses for Congress in Your Community locations will be provided once meeting times are confirmed.

#### Congress in Converse County:

Tuesday, July 23, 2024 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM  
Douglas, WY

#### Congress in Campbell County:

Thursday, July 30, 2024 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM  
Gillette, WY

## Recent Votes

See below for highlights of this week's votes; for more information on each bill, click on the bill number. For my full voting record, [click here](#).

1. Voted YES on [H.J.Res.109](#) - Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to "Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 121."
2. Voted YES on [H.J.Res.165](#) - Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Education relating to "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance."
3. Voted YES on [H.Res.1344](#) - Finding that Merrick Garland, Attorney General of the United States, is in contempt of the House of Representatives for disobeying a certain subpoena.
4. Voted YES on [H.R.8281](#) - Safeguard American Voter Eligibility (SAVE) Act.

## Cosponsored Legislation

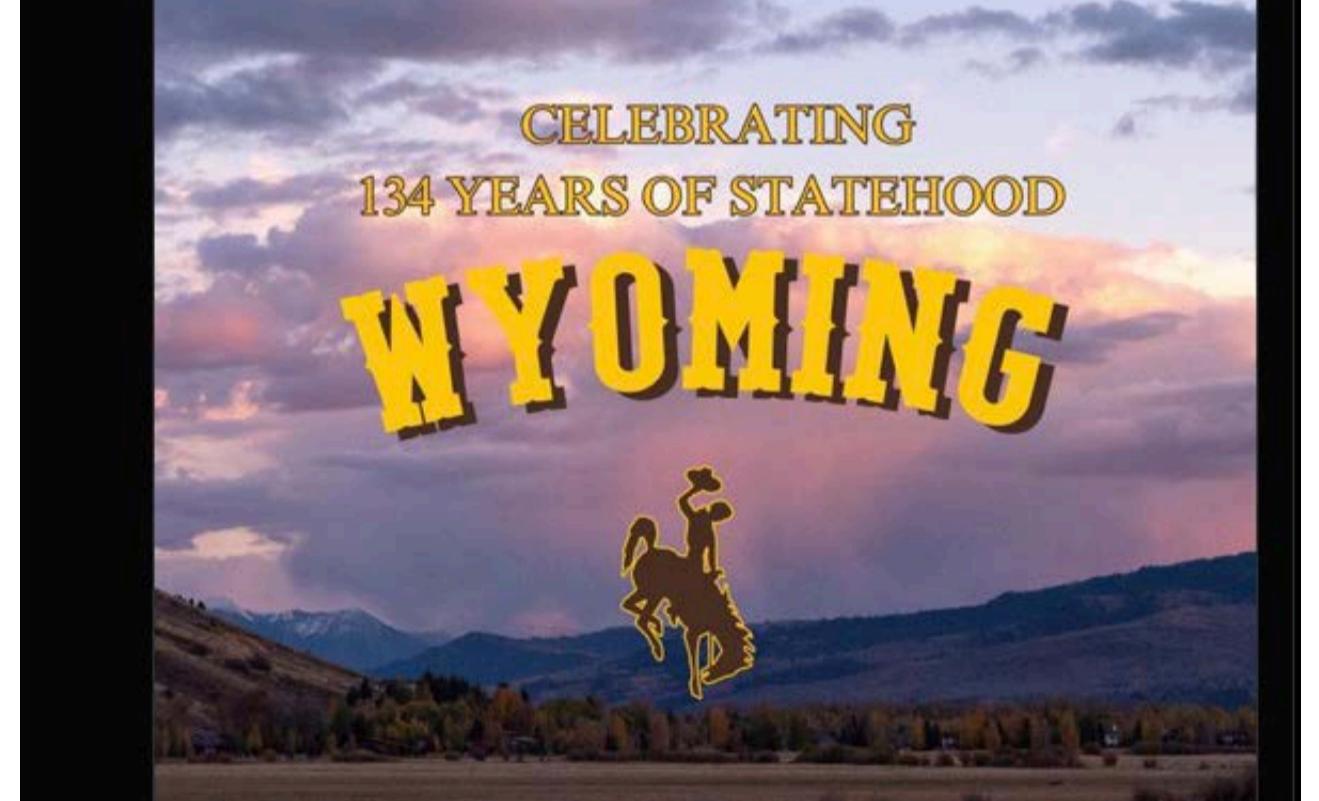
Here are some highlights of [bills I'm cosponsoring](#):

1. [H.Res.1305](#), which would rescind the subpoenas issued by the January 6th Select Committee and withdraw the recommendations finding Stephen K. Bannon, Mark Randall Meadows, Daniel Scavino, Jr., and Peter K. Navarro in contempt of Congress.
2. [H.J.Res.170](#), which would repeal the Biden Administration's mandate that new homes follow an expensive, international green energy standard.
3. [H.R.8950](#), which would amend the Small Business Act to require penalties for small business concerns falsely claiming goods or services are Made in America.
4. [H.R.8969](#), which would amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide that aliens who have been convicted of or who have committed an offense related to entering military, naval, or coast guard property, are inadmissible and deportable.

## Tweet of the Week



## Video of the Week



During a Weaponization of the Federal Government Subcommittee hearing, I questioned witnesses regarding DA Bragg's and Judge Merchant's clear bias against President Trump in the former president's hush money trial.

## Committee Clips



Watch my House Judiciary Committee hearing in which I questioned witnesses regarding reports that the Global Alliance for Responsible Media (GARM) is censoring conservative ideas and speech.



Watch my House Natural Resources Committee hearing in which I discuss the need for delisting the GYE grizzly bear.

## In the News

### Hageman Lobbies Trump To Help Stop Drug, Human Trafficking On Reservations

President Biden's reckless open border policies have resulted in the trafficking of humans and drugs into this country, including on Indian reservations. I have been speaking with former President Trump regarding his plan to combat this if he wins at the ballot box in November.

The Debate Continues: Rep. Harriet Hageman weighs in on the EID tag mandate

Click on the above article to learn more about the resolution I introduced to overturn the USDA's EID ear tag mandate. As your representative, I pledge to continue fighting against this unconstitutional rule for which our ranchers will be forced to foot the bill.

## I Want to Hear From You!

I cannot do my job without your support and input. Thank you for the calls, letters, emails, and questions you have sent to our offices. Please continue to reach out via the contact information below, and stay up to date on all the latest activities and legislation by subscribing and sharing this newsletter and our [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), and [YouTube](#) accounts with your friends and family!

Sincerely,

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