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Hello Laura,

We have had an interesting week in Washington, D.C., but I look forward to returning to Wyoming to meet with constituents and travel the state. I will be hosting the Chairman of the Natural Resources Committee's Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources Pete Stauber (MN-08) in Gillette to provide him with a first-hand look at the Powder River Basin, including touring a coal mine. I will also be hosting two town halls, one in Campbell County and one in Crook County. Keep reading below for more information on my upcoming town halls as well as an update on the work I am doing as your lone representative in Congress.

House Votes to Hold AG Garland in Contempt of Congress

In February, the Judiciary Committee subpoenaed Attorney General Merrick Garland for information relating to Special Counsel Hur's report on President Biden's unlawful retention and mishandling of classified documents. This subpoena identified both the written transcript of Mr. Hur's interview with President Biden as well as audio recording. To date, and although AG Garland produced a copy of the transcript, he is still refusing to turn over the audio recording which is needed for the Biden impeachment inquiry and to understand how Hur came to the conclusion not to pursue charges against Biden based on his poor memory.

The audio recording of President Biden is the best evidence regarding what he said, how he said it, how long it took for him to answer, and whether he could fully understand the questions being asked. It is also important that Congress obtain a copy of the audio recording to ensure that we have received an accurate rendition of what occurred during that interview. The Biden Administration is notorious for altering transcripts in order to cover up his misstatements, gaffs, incoherence, and confusion. Having turned over the interview transcript, President Biden waived any claim of privilege that he may have had (although I disagree that any privilege attaches to either the written transcript or recording). The fact that AG Garland and President Biden are refusing a duly-issued and proper subpoena indicates that we are dealing with a cover-up. Congress has the right to obtain the audio recording and we will push forward until we do.

After providing ample time to comply with the subpoena, on Wednesday the House of Representatives voted to hold AG Garland in contempt of Congress. No executive branch official has the right to ignore a duly issued subpoena. I am proud to have played a role in getting this measure through the Judiciary and Rules Committees as well as help secure its passage on the floor of the House. Click [here](#) to watch my testimony before the Rules Committee explaining why Mr. Garland must be prosecuted.

Fighting Back Against APHIS' Erroneous EID Ear Tag Rule

On Thursday, I introduced [H.J.Res.167](#) which would block the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service rule mandating electronic identification (EID) ear tags for bison and cattle moving interstate. This rule is a solution in search of a problem that would result in the chipping and tracing of our livestock. America produces the highest quality meat in the world, thanks to the effective traditional disease traceability system that starts with our ranchers. This rule is nothing less than a federal mandate that American ranchers will have to pay for, non-compliance resulting in loss of access to traditional markets, furthering vertical integration of the U.S. food supply chain.

I fought the Department of Agriculture's attempts to impose this mandate as a private attorney and will continue to do so as your representative. I have spearheaded the charge in Congress to block this harmful rule, having obtained support from a broad range of members and Committee Chairs. In addition to this legislation, I have also opposed the mandate during debate on the House floor and have authored three op-eds describing the threats and consequences of this rule, which you can read [here](#), [here](#), and [here](#).

Working to Protect Wyoming's Postal Facilities

While we secured a temporary win when the Postal Service paused its Mail Processing Facility Review, there is more work to be done to protect Wyoming's mail processing and distribution centers. That's why this week I introduced [H.R.8730](#), the Postal Processing Protection Act, which requires the USPS, when considering the closure or consolidation of a facility, to apply the same set of rigorous standards and procedures that currently exist for storefront post offices to sorting, distribution, and processing facilities to effectively measure the impact on rural mail service and ensure timely notice and opportunity for feedback to those affected. This is in addition to the [POSTAL Act](#) that the Wyoming delegation introduced to block consolidation of Wyoming's facilities. As your representative, I will continue to fight for the certainty, integrity, and efficiency of Wyoming's mail system.

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



Events and Announcements

Attend My Upcoming Town Halls!

My town halls in Campbell and Crook Counties will be held this week! If you are in the area, I look forward to seeing you there.

Campbell County Town Hall

Tuesday, June 18, 2024 - 6:00 to 7:00 PM

Gillette College Technical Center Flex Space

3251 S 4-J Rd, Gillette, WY 82718

Crook County Town Hall

Wednesday, June 19, 2024 - 7:30 to 8:30 AM

Crook County Courthouse Basement

309 E Cleveland St, Sundance, WY 82729

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 Goshen County:

Friday, June 28, 2024 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Lingle, WY

Congress in Sheridan County:

Thursday, July 11, 2024 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

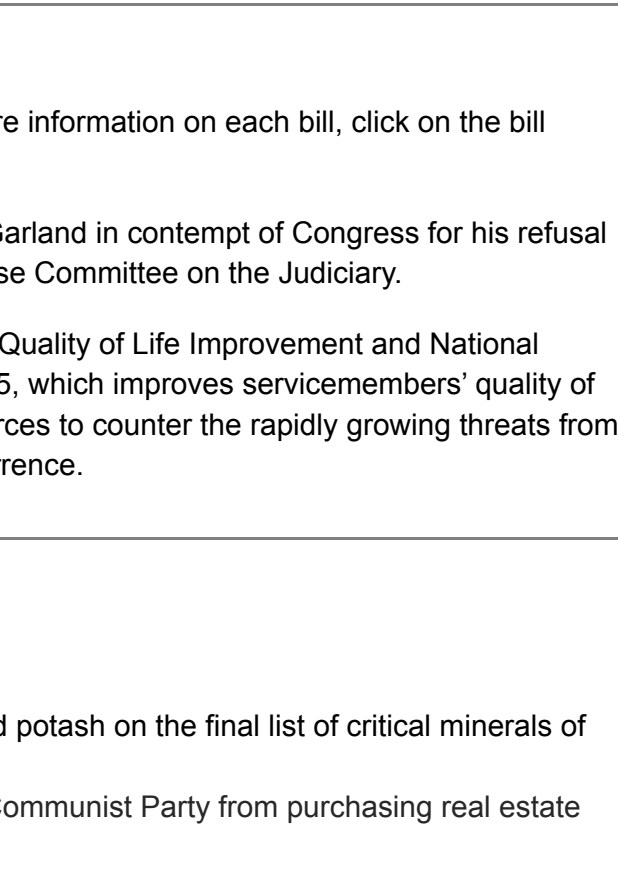
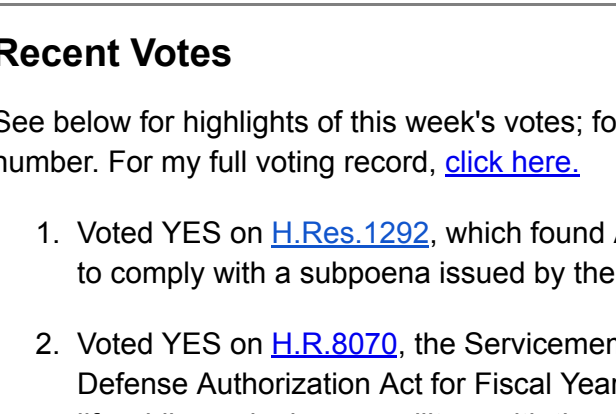
Sheridan, WY

Congress in Converse County:

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

Glenrock, WY

Recent Photos



I was honored to visit with Wyoming's Congressional Award Medalists! These young people exhibit the ideals of volunteerism, physical fitness, personal development, and exploration that have embodied the Congressional Award Program since its establishment in 1979.

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.Res.1292](#), which found AG Garland in contempt of Congress for his refusal to comply with a subpoena issued by the House Committee on the Judiciary.
2. Voted YES on [H.R.8070](#), the Servicemember Quality of Life Improvement and National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2025, which improves servicemembers' quality of life while equipping our military with the resources to counter the rapidly growing threats from Communist China and restore American deterrence.

Cosponsored Legislation

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

1. [H.R.4059](#), which would include phosphate and potash on the final list of critical minerals of the Department of the Interior.
2. [H.R.8693](#), which would prohibit the Chinese Communist Party from purchasing real estate adjacent to federal lands in the United States.

Tweet of the Week



Video of the Week

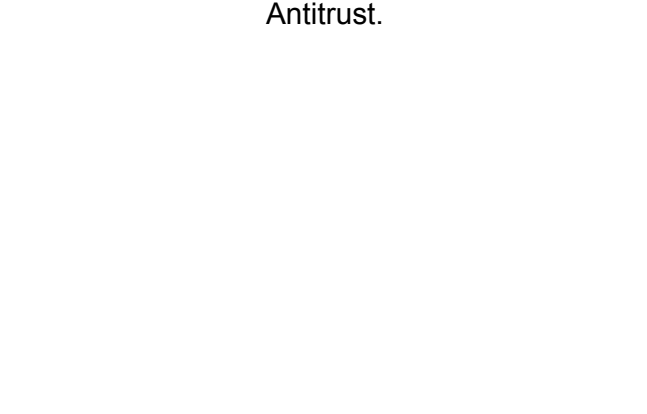


On Tuesday, I waived onto the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs Subcommittee on Technology Modernization hearing to question the VA on its decision to remove travel reimbursement kiosks.

Committee Clips



Watch my questioning during a House Judiciary Committee hearing in which the lawfare against President Trump is further exposed.



Watch as pro-ESG, anti-consumer advocates attempt to dodge my questions during a hearing in the House Judiciary Subcommittee on the Administrative State, Regulatory Reform, and Antitrust.

In the News

Hageman, Congressional Coal Caucus challenge new EPA rule
I will continue to fight back against the Biden administration's destructive anti-coal agenda.

Wyoming Delegation Pushes For Federal Money For Quick Teton Pass Fix
On Wednesday, I joined Senators Barrasso and Lummis, as well as Idaho's congressional delegation, in sending a [letter](#) to Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg requesting that his Department act quickly to provide emergency relief funds for the repair of Highway 22.

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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