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Hello Laura,

I am excited to announce that my newsletter has reached over 30,000 subscribers! Thank you for your continued interest in this weekly update, through which I describe the work I am doing as your U.S. Representative. For this week's Wyoming Round-Up, we will primarily focus on the "One Big Beautiful Bill Act" (variously referred to as the "OBBBA" or the "O3BA"), legislation I voted for that not only delivers on key Republican priorities, but fulfills promises we made to the American people.

I trust that all of you properly celebrated our Independence Day in high style—Happy Birthday, America!—and were able to spend time with family, friends, and community. We are so blessed to live in the greatest country on Earth, and every 4th of July we are reminded that, as Americans, we enjoy a level of freedom, prosperity, security, and independence unrivaled in human history. Our Forefathers have left us a legacy that we must preserve and protect, and by reflecting on what that means every single year, we can ensure that their vision of personal autonomy, responsibility, limited government, and family will endure.

One Big Beautiful Bill Act Becomes Law

When Wyoming reelected me last year and sent President Trump back to the White House, you sent a clear message as to what you wanted us to prioritize—secure the border, restore affordable and reliable energy, reduce inflationary pressures, and spur economic growth by reducing the heavy hand of government. For our elected officials, we listened and did just that, and we have been working diligently to carry out your agenda. I proudly voted for the OBBBA this past Thursday, with President Trump wasting no time to sign it into law—most appropriately on Independence Day. Promises made, promises kept.

While this bill obviously has numerous national implications (tax relief, border security, spending cuts), we fought hard to ensure that Wyoming's interests were also protected. After years of the war on coal under the Obama and Biden administrations (adhering to the United Nations' disastrous "net zero" hysteria), this bill not only unwinds harmful policies, but mandates oil and gas and coal leasing to unleash our Wyoming producers now and into the future. I want to thank the Wyoming Energy Authority, the Wyoming Mining Association, and numerous and varied producers who played a key role in shaping this outcome. The Biden-era policies of denying access to and production of the assets that we own is over.

Our national forests also benefit from this bill, which mandates additional timber production under long-term forest management contracts, delivering a major win for our natural resource economy. We are tired of the man-made disaster associated with catastrophic forest fires and insect infestations, and this bill will help us to address these challenges.

By making the 2017 Trump tax cuts permanent, we have now prevented a devastating 22% tax hike on American families and expanded key tax relief measures to protect Wyoming citizens—including the death tax exemption and pro-growth provisions that help our small businesses thrive.

While President Trump has taken decisive action to secure our border, and our brave law enforcement officers continue to arrest and deport the illegal aliens allowed into our country under the Biden administration, it is clear that more resources are needed. This bill raises funds by requiring foreign persons to pay for the immigration services they use, rather than placing that burden on the American taxpayer. We can then use these funds to invest \$175 billion in border security, which will be the largest such investment in our history. This money will complete another 701 miles of the border wall, recruit and retain new law enforcement officers, and fund the detention and removal of these criminal aliens.

While immigration, tax reduction, and energy development were top priorities in the bill, it includes numerous other wins. [I have long fought for our uranium miners and workers](#) who have suffered dire medical problems as a result of our federal government's nuclear weapons program, and this bill reauthorizes the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act (RECA) to expand benefits to more Wyomingites harmed. This is a win for our miners, truckers, processors, and others so impacted.

For too long, blue states like New York and California have undermined the dignity of work by expanding Medicaid and food assistance programs in order to enable fraud, waste, and abuse, including to allow illegal aliens to access benefits. This bill strengthens eligibility requirements, removes those abusing the system, and puts the focus back where it belongs—on hardworking American families in need, including single mothers, individuals over 65, individuals with disabilities, etc.

Finally, we secured a number of longstanding conservative wins. The bill, for example, rescinds leftover funds from the so-called Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) so that the Democrats cannot continue to fund radical climate change policies. It also accelerates the termination of the IRA's "green" subsidies that are nothing of the sort, ending them much sooner than previously anticipated. It blocks Planned Parenthood and other abortion providers from receiving federal funds, reflecting our commitment to protecting life. Finally, the bill removes federal taxes on suppressors, short-barreled rifles, and short-barreled shotguns, which have impeded your Second Amendment rights.

It is my great honor to serve as your elected representative in Congress. For too long, Washington, D.C.'s policies were disconnected from the wishes of the American people that we are obligated to serve. In November, the American people made their wishes clear, and just months later, the Republican trifecta has delivered on the promises we made.

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Events and Announcements

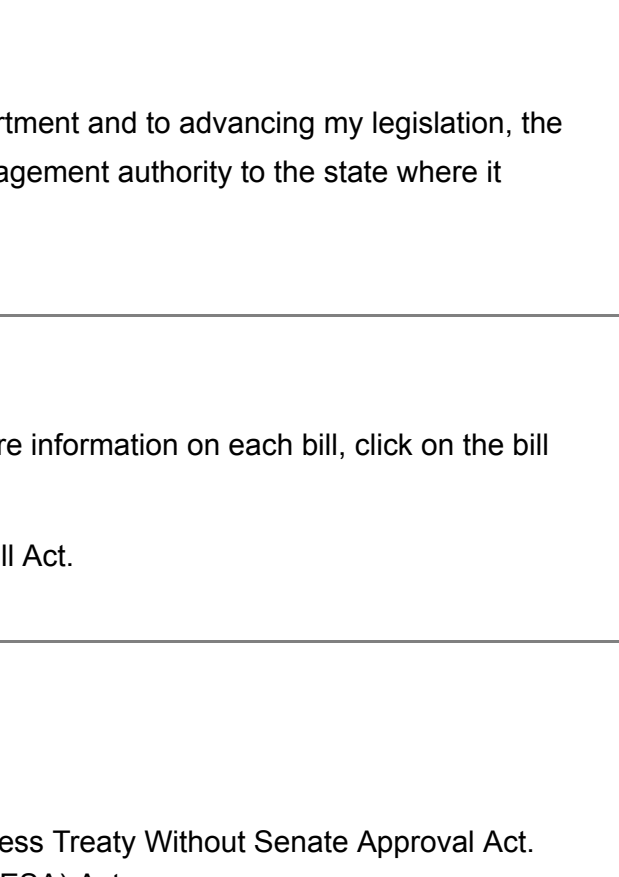
Volunteer to Support Wyoming's Veterans Today!

My staff had the pleasure of meeting with the Wyoming Veterans Commission, an organization doing incredible work on behalf of Wyoming's veterans. While their efforts are making a real difference, additional support is always needed—especially in securing transportation services to VA facilities through the Highly Rural Transportation Grants program. If you or someone you know is interested in volunteering to support America's heroes, please contact the Wyoming Veterans Commission at 307-777-8152.

Recent Photos



My staff and I had a wonderful visit to Terry Bison Ranch! This incredible mom-and-pop business is a true reflection of Wyoming's unique culture, natural beauty, and strong community spirit. We were grateful for the warm welcome and the opportunity to experience a place that represents the very best of our state.



While I was en-route to Washington, D.C. to vote on the OBBBA, my staff met with the Wyoming Game and Fish Department to discuss effective wildlife conservation and management practices, and how these efforts serve the best interests of communities across our state.

It is clear from this meeting that we must delist the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem grizzly bear as per the plain language and intent of the Endangered Species Act. Continued federal control poses an ongoing threat to Wyoming's wildlife, our agriculture industry, hunters and guides, and our hikers (among others). Public safety should be paramount, especially in light of the fact that the GYE grizzly bear has been recovered for over two decades.

I look forward to continuing our work with the Department and to advancing my legislation, the Grizzly Bear State Management Act, to return management authority to the state where it belongs.

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](#).

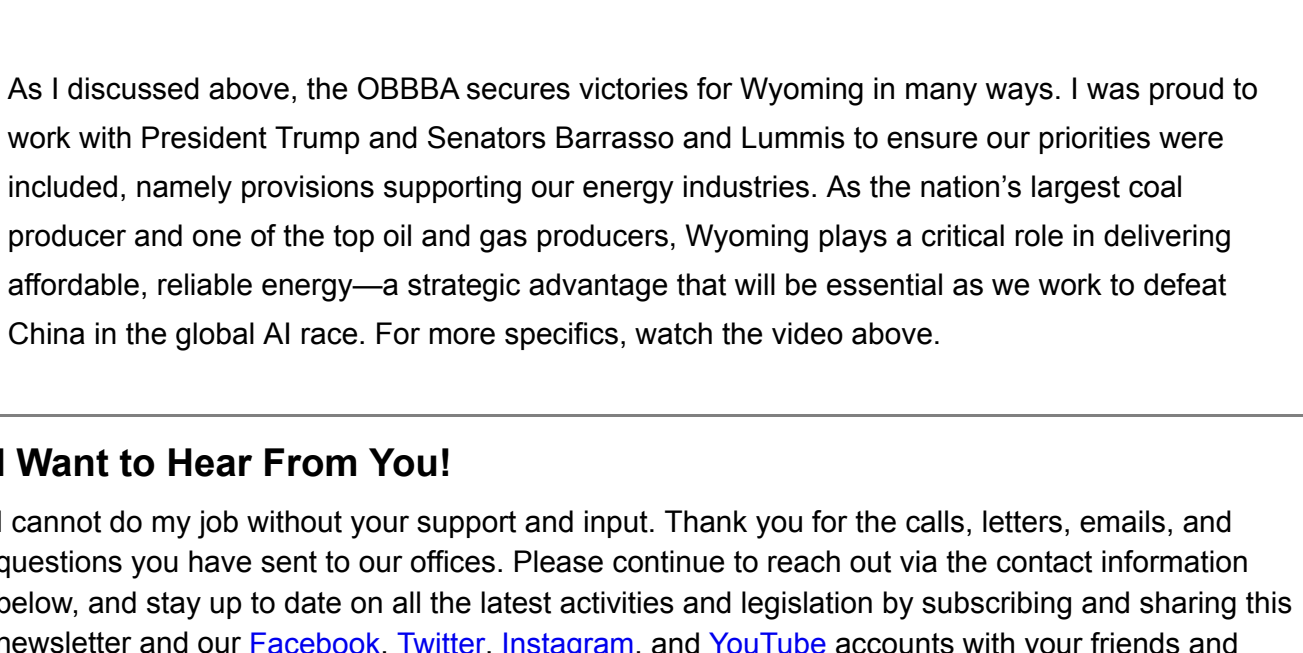
1. Voted YES on [H.R.1](#), the One Big Beautiful Bill Act.

Cosponsored Legislation

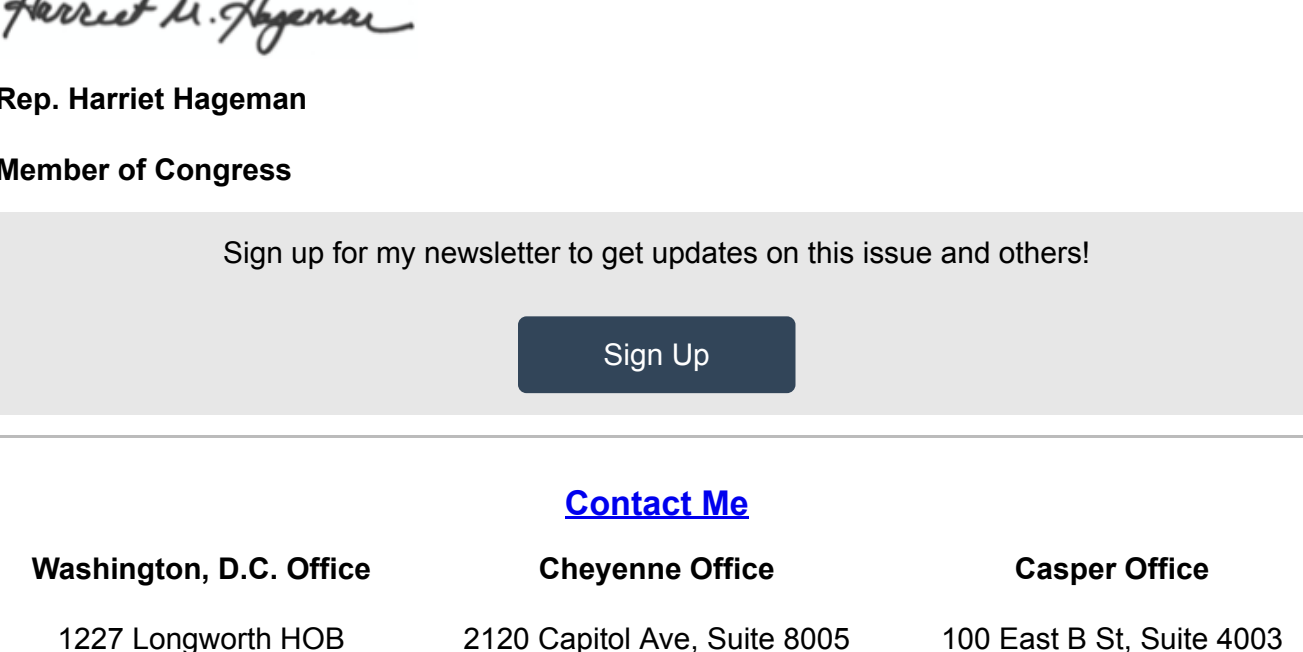
Here are some highlights of [bills I'm cosponsoring](#):

1. [H.R.4207](#), the No WHO Pandemic Preparedness Treaty Without Senate Approval Act.
2. [H.R.4255](#), the Enhancing Safety for Animals (ESA) Act.

Tweet of the Week



Video of the Week



As I discussed above, the OBBBA secures victories for Wyoming in many ways. I was proud to work with President Trump and Senators Barrasso and Lummis to ensure our priorities were included, namely provisions supporting our energy industries. As the nation's largest coal producer and one of the top oil and gas producers, Wyoming plays a critical role in delivering affordable, reliable energy—a strategic advantage that will be essential as we work to defeat China in the global AI race. For more specifics, watch the video above.

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