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#### Hello,

I was able to be home in Cheyenne this weekend for events and meetings, after enjoying a brief stop in Denver for my speech at the Western Conservative Summit (WCS). I am always proud to speak about our western heritage and way of life- and I hope some folks from the east and west coasts can learn a bit more about us. If you haven't yet watched my WCS speech, you can view it here.

# The Bipartisan Effort to Counter China

The danger China poses to global security and American prosperity continues to grow, and will become increasingly threatening to regional stability for the foreseeable future. China is working to expand its influence in the Pacific through coercive tactics and promises of untold riches if the south Pacific islands will only follow their lead, borrow lots of money, and mortgage their critical infrastructure. We must therefore meet their latent aggression and malign influence with a sound comprehensive policy and work to counter them economically, politically, and ideologically. The south Pacific islands are critically important to our national security and to blocking China's efforts. I am proud to have joined the Natural Resources Committee's bipartisan Indo-Pacific Task Force created to protect American security.

This task force is composed of equal numbers of Republicans and Democrats, and representatives from America's three Pacific territories (American Samoa, Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands). We are developing and advancing ideas to protect our nation's security and economic interests in the region while also continuing strong relations with the Freely Associated States and allies throughout the Indo-Pacific. Working toward a common goal, members of this task force form a united front to counter Chinese aggression and ensure America's role and interests in the region remain undiminished.

# A Lifetime of FFA Advocacy

Growing up on my family ranch outside Fort Laramie, I learned about the dedication, expertise, and just plain hard work that is required to feed our nation. Like many of you, I joined my peers in "Learning to Do, Doing to Learn; Earning to Live, Living to Serve" and cherish my time as a member of the Lingle-Fort Laramie FFA Chapter in High School.

I am proud to be the newest member of the Congressional FFA Caucus. Much like FFA chapters across the nation, our goal is to advocate for greater youth involvement in agriculture, natural resources, and related science careers. FFA was instrumental in making me the person I am today, and I am excited to make sure that we provide a new generation with the experiences and the opportunities provided by FFA.



#### **Town Halls Return!**

In two weeks, I will be hosting another round of town halls! Town halls are a great way for me to share information about what is happening in Congress and learning about the issues that are important to you. I enjoy providing a brief update and then opening up the discussion to questions from the crowd. It is a wonderful chance to learn about what my constituents are concerned about, as well as to identify the concerns you would like me to address back in Washington.

I hope you will attend!

**Carbon Co. Town Hall:** Wed, June 28 at 6:00 PM Platte Valley Community Ctr. 210 W Elm Ave Saratoga

Niobrara Co. Town Hall: Fri, June 30 at 4:00 PM Niobrara Co. Fairgrounds 4080 US-20 Lusk Platte Co. Town Hall: Thu, June 29 at 10:00 AM Platte County Library 904 9th St Wheatland Goshen Co. Town Hall: Thu, June 29 at 6:00 PM Goshen Co. Fairgrounds 4740 US HWY 26/85 Torrington

**Converse Co. Town Hall:** Fri, June 30 at 6:30 PM Eastern WY College, Douglas Campus 800 S Wind River Dr Douglas

#### A Taste of Home for Troops Abroad

This week, I was honored to assist in assembling USO care package for our men and women overseas. It is easy to take for granted the pleasures and comforts we experience in the United States. For those deployed, something as small as a package of Skittles, powdered Gatorade, or travel-sized toiletries provides a taste of home to boost morale and remind them of our gratitude for their service. This is especially true for those service members who are deployed without family; we need them to know that the are not forgotten.

If you'd like to learn about the different ways that you can partner with the USO to support our troops and military families, use the button below to visit their website.



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# **Featured Photos**







It was a privilege to speak at the memorial ceremony for Anna Swanson, WY's only WWI "Hello Girl".

Cokeville High School was in DC this week! I'm so glad I had the chance to talk with them briefly in between committee hearings.

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# **Recent Votes**

To see my full voting record and more information on each bill, click here.

- Voted YES on H.R. 2793, the Encouraging Public Offerings Act.
- Voted **YES** on H.R. 2812, the *Middle Market IPO Cost Act*, which directs the SEC to study the costs imposed on smaller companies when pursuing an initial public offering.

#### **Cosponsored Legislation**

Here are some highlights of bills I'm cosponsoring:

- **H.Res. 437**, condemning and censuring Rep. Adam Schiff for perpetuating lies about President Trump's collusion with Russia, as unveiled within the Durham report.
- H.R. 3825, which prohibits the use of DOD funds for adult cabaret performances, drag shows, exotic dances, and similar activities.
- **H.R. 3001**, the *Embrace Fossil Fuel Recruitment Act*, which guarantees fossil fuel sector companies the same access to schools for recruitment purposes as any other energy sector business.

#### **Tweet of the Week**



Rep. Harriet Hageman 🗇 @RepHageman

From FFA Sweetheart to joining the FFA Caucus in Congress – I'll always support our farmers and ranchers.



# Video of the Week



"Rep Hageman before House Rules Committee: Congress, and Congress alone, has the right to legislate"

#### In the News

Rep. Harriet Hageman Says, "We Were Never Going To Default" Mac Watson | Ame 5, 2023 | 101 pm



The "default deadline" was manufactured by the Democrats and wholly bought by the media, just to keep their spending spree alive.



Make no mistake: the Left is radically opposed to conservative and Christian ideologies and will do anything it can to undermine them.

#### POLITICS

EXCLUSIVE: House Republicans Introduce Legislation To Stop DOD From Funding Drag Shows



The DOD should focus on using its money to fight wars, not funding drag story hours and flying troops to pride parades.



Unelected bureaucrats should not be making \$100 million decisions without Congressional oversight and input.

#### 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 <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>YouTube</u> accounts with your friends and family!

Sincerely,

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