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Hello,

Thank you for your continued support and interest in my work for you and our great state of Wyoming.

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You can partner with me in my work by sharing this newsletter with your friends and family, as well as by liking and subscribing to my social media channels. As Wyoming's lone Representative, I am working hard to communicate with you so I can continue to fight for the issues that matter to you most.

# **Fighting for Parents Rights**



Parents, families, and America's future won this week.

After a Judiciary subcommittee hearing exposing leftist attempts to indoctrinate our children and persecute parents, the House of Representatives **PASSED** H.R. 5, the Parents Bill of Rights Act.

It's time to return sanity to the schoolroom and bring accountability to those who have distorted the purpose of education in this country.

> Join the Fight for Parents Rights! Add Your Name Now

### **Moving My Legislation Forward**

Wyoming was at the House Natural Resources Committee this week, as three of my recent bills were discussed in subcommittee hearings.

On Thursday, the Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries subcommittee empaneled witnesses to discuss the delisting of grizzly bears in Montana and Wyoming. Grizzlies in Wyoming have surpassed over 1000 bears in recent years, more than doubling the recovery goal stated in the Endangered Species Act.

The Indian and Insular Affairs subcommittee, which I chair, met Friday with representatives from the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Seminole Tribe of Florida, and United Auburn Rancheria for a hearing on my bills that will amend existing laws to allow federally recognized tribes to enter 99-year leases for land held in trust and allow tribes to lease, sell, or transfer real property under fee title as they see fit.

Both of these current laws are regularly amended, creating a piecemeal approach to governing and provides no certainty for Tribes to plan their futures. Tribal governments already seek to make the best decisions for their members' social, cultural, and economic security. These bills will help ensure that Indian lands, whether owned in fee, owned in restricted fee, or held in trust for the benefit of tribes, are able to be used as tribes see fit.

Each of these bills will next go through a "mark-up" session, in which I and other members of the Natural Resources Committee debate the bills in-depth and vote on various proposed amendments before they finally advance to a full vote by the House of Representatives. You can watch my full comments on all three bills <u>on my YouTube page here</u>.

# Last Call for Summer Interns!

If you're a college student or recent graduate still searching for summer plans, look no further!

**Monday, March 27 at 5:00PM MT** is the deadline to submit an application to intern in one of my Wyoming-based offices, or my Washington, D.C. office. Don't miss out on a life-changing experience (and a pretty cool resume builder)!



Applications must include a resume, cover letter explaining why you'd like to join my team, and list which office you would like to intern with (DC, Casper, or Cheyenne). Please submit all documents via my website or email them directly to Laura.Lee@mail.house.gov by the deadline above.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE MARCH 27 APPLY HERE!

# Helping Native American Veterans Buy Homes

Native American military veterans, there are some big changes happening with VA loans.

This week, the Department of Veterans Affairs lowered interest rates for VA Native American Direct Loans (NADL) from 6% to 2.5% for homes on trust land. For more information on changes to the NADL program, call **888-349-7541** or email <u>NADL@va.gov</u> to talk with an NADL coordinator.

Please note that this loan is only available to Native American veterans, or to veterans who marry Native American non-veterans. Veterans who do not qualify for this program may still be eligible for housing assistance through standard VA-backed loans, which <u>can be found here.</u>

Stay Up to Date on What I'm Doing in DC! Follow Me on Social Media:

#### Mark Your Calendars: More Town Halls Are Coming!

I continue to spend district work weeks holding public town halls to talk about the happenings in D.C. and hear directly from you about issues you are facing! I have now held 10 town halls and have scheduled 6 more for April 3-6, the full schedule is listed below. I look forward to meeting many of you soon!

Niobrara County Town Hall: Mon, April 3 at 9:30 AM Niobrara Fairgrounds 4020 US-20 Lusk, WY

**Carbon County Town Hall:** Tue, April 4 at 5:30 PM Carbon County Library 503 W. Elm St. Saratoga, WY Converse County Town Hall: Mon, April 3 at 4:00 PM Converse Co. Library, Meeting Room 1 300 E. Walnut St Douglas, WY

**Uinta County Town Hall:** Wed, April 5 at 10:00 AM Uinta County Public Library 701 Main St Evanston, WY Laramie County Town Hall: Tue, April 4 at 8:00 AM Pine Bluffs Town Hall Multi-Purpose Room 215 Main St Pine Bluffs, WY

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Lincoln County Town Hall: Wed, April 5 at 4:00 PM Gold Buckle Grill 10501 US-30 Cokeville, WY

#### Team Hageman Hits the Road

My staff kicked off our "Congress in Your Community" spring tour this week hosting remote office hours in 6 counties and meeting with dozens of groups and individuals! The next events will be in Wheatland (3/27) and Torrington (3/29). More Congress in Your community events will be announced soon!

To reserve your time to meet with my staff: <u>complete our sign-up form here</u> or call Lisa Scaling at **307-261-6595** to schedule a meeting!



Thanks to Mr. and Mrs Bienz of Opal, for hosting Tyler from my Cheyenne office this week as part of Congress in Your Community!



Thank you, WY Secretary of State Gray, for visiting me in Washington this week!



Another Successful Wyoming Wednesdays! I hope you will join me in the future!



Tyler also toured Opal Ammunition, owned and operated by Dan Whiteford (left). He may have won the prize for most fun meetings this week!



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#### **Recent Votes**

To see my full voting record, click here.

- Voted YES on H.R. 5, The Parents Bill of Rights Act
- Voted **YES** on **H.R.1093**, directing the Department of State to compile a report on the implementation of advanced capabilities in the security partnership between the U.S., United Kingdom, and Australia
- Voted **YES** on **H.R.1159**, which provides periodic reviews and reports on the Department of State's guidance to federal agencies on the U.S.-Taiwan relationship
- Voted **NO** on **H.R. 406**, which would grant immunities and privileges to international appointees to the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, including Myanmar, which is currently ruled by a military junta which overthrew a democratically elected government
- Voted YES to override President Biden's veto of H.J. Res. 30, which would have nullified a
  Department of Labor rule promoting Environmental, Social, and Governance investment
  funds
- Voted **YES** on **H. Con. Res. 25**, allowing the use of the U.S. Capitol's Emancipation Hall for a ceremony remembering victims of the Holocaust

#### **Cosponsored Legislation**

Here are some highlights of bills I'm cosponsoring:

- H.R. 5, the Parents Bill of Rights Act
- **H.J.Res. 44**, which will reject the ATF's latest anti-Second Amendment rule banning firearms by changing the definition of a "stabilizing brace", transforming hundreds of thousands of lawabiding citizens into potential criminals overnight and without due-process
- **H.Res. 236**, which prevents the government from funding a massive new FBI headquarters outside of Washington, D.C., giving tacit approval to their nefarious behavior and suppression of conservative Americans
- H.R. 1768, which restructures the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases into 3 separate national research institutes led by Senate confirmed directors

#### **Tweets of the Week**



Rep. Harriet Hageman 🇇 @RepHageman

Biden's veto of a bipartisan bill that would stop woke ESG investing from crashing your 401k - a week after that same investing strategy bankrupted Silicon Valley Bank - is proof of how the progressive left is in control of this admin's policies.

5:07 PM · Mar 20, 2023 · 4,406 Views



Rep. Harriet Hageman 🍪 @RepHageman

For Biden's Department of Justice, parents concerned about the education of their kids are a threat, but 5 million illegal immigrants – many of whom are actually criminals, is perfectly fine.

House Judiciary GOP 
@JudiciaryGOP · Mar 22
#ICYMI: @Weaponization Report 'No legitimate basis' for Biden admin to target parents at school board meetings

foxnews.com/politics/house...

10:58 AM · Mar 22, 2023 · 9,375 Views

### Video of the Week





## In the News

Hageman to Newsmax: Biden Refuses to 'Crack Down' on China



Watch my interview with Newsmax about our efforts to expose the Biden Family's China ties



Wyoming Snubbed – Again – For Wildfire Protection, Delegation Blasts Biden Published on March 17, 2023 – in News/Wildfire

I won't stand by and let our state stand in jeopardy of wildfires. Click above to read more

# I Want to Hear From You!

EDUCATION

GOP Rep Grills Witness On Whether Banning Pornographic Magazines For First Graders Is 'Censorship'



Should 1st Graders have Penthouse Magazine in their classrooms? Our witness wasn't sure...



Harriet Hageman Clocks In For A Shift At Sheridan Home Depot Published on March 17, 2023 — In Harriet Hageman/News/Business Thank you, Brad, for a wonderful tour of the Sheridan Home Depot. Click above for more

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