

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 211, noes 208, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 40]

AYES—211

Aderholt	Fulcher	Miller-Meeks
Alford	Gaetz	Mills
Allen	Gallagher	Molinaro
Amodei	Garbarino	Moolenaar
Armstrong	Garcia, Mike	Moore (AL)
Arrington	Jimenez	Moore (UT)
Babin	Gonzales, Tony	Moran
Bacon	Good (VA)	Murphy
Baird	Gooden (TX)	Nehls
Balderson	Gosar	Newhouse
Banks	Granger	Norman
Barr	Graves (LA)	Nunn (IA)
Bean (FL)	Graves (MO)	Obernolte
Bentz	Green (TN)	Ogles
Bergman	Greene (GA)	Owens
Bice	Griffith	Palmer
Biggs	Grothman	Pence
Bilirakis	Guest	Perry
Bishop (NC)	Guthrie	Pf luger
Boebert	Hageman	Posey
Bost	Harshbarger	Reschenthaler
Brecheen	Hern	Rodgers (WA)
Buchanan	Higgins (LA)	Rogers (AL)
Buck	Hill	Rogers (KY)
Bucshon	Hinson	Rose
Burchett	Houchin	Rosendale
Burgess	Hudson	Rouzer
Burlison	Huizenga	Roy
Calvert	Hunt	Rutherford
Cammack	Issa	Salazar
Carey	Jackson (TX)	Schweikert
Carl	James	Scott, Austin
Carter (GA)	Johnson (SD)	Self
Chavez-DeRemer	Jordan	Sessions
Ciscomani	Joyce (OH)	Simpson
Cline	Joyce (PA)	Smith (MO)
Cloud	Kean (NJ)	Smith (NE)
Clyde	Kelly (MS)	Smith (NJ)
Cole	Kelly (PA)	Smucker
Collins	Kiggans (VA)	Spartz
Comer	Kiley	Staubert
Crane	Kustoff	Steel
Crawford	LaHood	Stefanik
Crenshaw	LaLota	Steil
Curtis	LaMalfa	Steube
D'Esposito	Lamborn	Strong
Davidson	Latta	Tenney
De La Cruz	LaTurner	Lawler
DesJarlais	Lawler	Thompson (PA)
Diaz-Balart	Lee (FL)	Tiffany
Donalds	Lesko	Timmons
Duarte	Letlow	Turner
Duncan	Loudermilk	Valadao
Dunn (FL)	Lucas	Van Drew
Edwards	Luetkemeyer	Van Duynes
Ellzey	Luttrell	Van Orden
Emmer	Mace	Wagner
Estes	Malliotakis	Walberg
Ezell	Maloy	Waltz
Fallon	Mann	Weber (TX)
Feenstra	Massie	Webster (FL)
Ferguson	Mast	Wenstrup
Finstad	McCauley	Westerman
Fischbach	McClain	Williams (NY)
Fitzgerald	McClintock	Williams (TX)
Fitzpatrick	McCormick	Wilson (SC)
Fleischmann	McHenry	Wittman
Flood	Meuser	Womack
Foxx	Miller (IL)	Yakym
Franklin, Scott	Miller (OH)	Zinke
Fry	Miller (WV)	

NOES—208

Adams	Bush	Cohen
Aguilar	Caraveo	Connolly
Allred	Carbajal	Correa
Amo	Cárdenas	Costa
Auchincloss	Carson	Courtney
Balint	Carter (LA)	Craig
Barragán	Cartwright	Crockett
Beatty	Casas	Crow
Bera	Case	Cuellar
Beyer	Casten	Daids (KS)
Bishop (GA)	Castor (FL)	Davis (IL)
Blumenauer	Castro (TX)	Davis (NC)
Blunt Rochester	Cherfilus-	Dean (PA)
Bonamici	McCormick	DeGette
Bowman	Chu	DeLauro
Boyle (PA)	Clark (MA)	DeBene
Brown	Clarke (NY)	Deluzio
Brownley	Cleaver	DeSaulnier
Budzinski	Clyburn	Dingell

Doggett	Leger Fernandez	Salinas
Escobar	Levin	Sánchez
Eshoo	Lieu	Sarbanes
Españolat	Loftgren	Scanlon
Evans	Lynch	Schakowsky
Fletcher	Magaziner	Schiff
Foster	Manning	Schneider
Foushee	Matsui	Scholten
Frankel, Lois	McBath	Schrier
Frost	McClellan	Scott (VA)
Gallego	McCollum	Scott, David
Garamendi	McGarvey	Sewell
Garcia (IL)	McGovern	Sherman
Garcia (TX)	Meeks	Sherrill
Garcia, Robert	Menendez	Slotkin
Golden (ME)	Meng	Smith (WA)
Goldman (NY)	Mfume	Sorensen
Gomez	Moore (WI)	Soto
Gonzalez,	Morelle	Spanberger
Vicente	Moskowitz	Stansbury
Gottheimer	Moulton	Stanton
Grijalva	Mrvan	Stevens
Harder (CA)	Mullin	Strickland
Hayes	Nadler	Swalwell
Himes	Napolitano	Sykes
Horsford	Neal	Takano
Houlihan	Neguse	Thanedar
Hoyer	Nickel	Thompson (CA)
Hoyle (OR)	Norcross	Thompson (MS)
Huffman	Ocasio-Cortez	Titus
Ivey	Omar	Tlaib
Jackson (IL)	Pallone	Tokuda
Jackson (NC)	Panetta	Tonko
Jackson Lee	Pappas	Torres (CA)
Jacobs	Pascarell	Torres (NY)
Jayapal	Payne	Trahan
Jeffries	Pelosi	Trone
Johnson (GA)	Peltola	Underwood
Kamlaager-Dove	Perez	Vargas
Kaptur	Peters	Vasquez
Keating	Pettersen	Veasey
Kelly (IL)	Pingree	Velázquez
Khanna	Pocan	Wasserman
Kildee	Porter	Schultz
Kilmer	Pressley	Waters
Krishnamoorthi	Quigley	Watson Coleman
Kuster	Ramirez	Wexton
Landsman	Raskin	Wild
Larsen (CA)	Ross	Williams (GA)
Lee (CA)	Ruiz	Wilson (FL)
Lee (NV)	Ruppersberger	
Lee (PA)	Ryan	

NOT VOTING—11

Carter (TX)	Kim (NJ)	Mooney
Green, Al (TX)	Langworthy	Phillips
Harris	Larson (CT)	Scalise
Kim (CA)	Luna	

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So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mrs. KIM of California. Mr. Speaker, had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on rollcall No. 40.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. LANGWORTHY. Mr. Speaker, due to a family emergency, I was unable to be present for votes today. Had I been present, I would have voted "no" on rollcall No. 39 and "aye" on rollcall No. 40.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. LARSON of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, I mistakenly voted "nay" on Motion to Recommit H.R. 485, rollcall Vote 39. I intended to vote "yea." Additionally, I regrettably missed recording my vote On Passage of H.R. 485, rollcall Vote 40. Had I recorded my vote, I would have voted "no."

PILOT BUTTE POWER PLANT CONVEYANCE ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the question on sus-

pending the rules and passing the bill (H.R. 3415) to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the Midvale Irrigation District the Pilot Butte Power Plant in the State of Wyoming, and for other purposes.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Arkansas (Mr. WESTERMAN) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

ADJOURNMENT TO FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2024; AND ADJOURNMENT FROM FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2024, TO TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2024

Mr. JAMES. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 10 a.m. on Friday, February 9, 2024; and further, when the House adjourns on that day, it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, February 13, 2024, when it shall convene at noon for morning-hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Michigan?

There was no objection.

PROTECTING AMERICANS' HEALTHCARE

(Mr. ROSE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. ROSE. Madam Speaker, I rise in support of the Protecting Health Care for All Patients Act of 2023. This important legislation aims to prevent discrimination against Americans with disabilities and expand access to life-saving cures.

It would end the use of quality-adjusted life years in all Federal programs. Quality-adjusted life years are factors used to rank whether a patient is worth the expense of a particular treatment. This rubric intentionally devalues treatment for those who have disabilities and those with chronic illnesses. This practice has been widely investigated by various nonpartisan groups, and yet QALYs are only prohibited to Medicare in a limited fashion.

We know of countries using these metrics much more aggressively to decide which treatments they will fund. We must stand against that in the United States. The government shouldn't decide which lives are valuable enough for care.

HAPPY LUNAR NEW YEAR

(Ms. STANSBURY asked and was given permission to address the House

for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. STANSBURY. Madam Speaker, I rise today to wish everybody who is celebrating in New Mexico and across the world a very happy Lunar New Year.

This Saturday, we will begin the Year of the Dragon, a symbol of strength, wisdom, and success.

Across New Mexico and the world, many will be celebrating with family and community traditions and joyful feasts. This holiday is a chance to reset and reconnect and is part of our history and culture as New Mexicans and the beautiful multicultural fabric that makes New Mexico who we are.

I hope all who are celebrating have a wonderful Lunar New Year full of celebrations and, of course, lots of delicious food. I wish everyone a happy, healthy, and prosperous Year of the Dragon.

HAPPY 95TH BIRTHDAY TO ANNIE RUTH NICKS

(Mr. JAMES asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. JAMES. Madam Speaker, while we often recognize noteworthy and acclaimed personalities, we have so many other great, unsung heroes and amazing souls who do a ton of heavy lifting with little to no recognition. Yet, if truth be told, they serve as the glue, sturdiness, strength, and all that is good about America. They go about their jobs quietly, without having the expectation of recognition. In fact, they do what they do because it is God's work, it is the right thing to do.

I am privileged to be in a position where I can acknowledge one such unsung hero who happens to be the grand matriarch of my family. Born February 14, 1929, to William E. and Lillie Mae Ward, she is my grandmother, Ms. Annie Ruth Nicks. In a few days, we are blessed to celebrate her 95th birthday.

I am standing here on the shoulders of giants, her shoulders, four generations removed from slavery, because my grandmother has always covered me in prayer, has always had my back when I needed her the most, and because she didn't kill me as a child when I put a hole in her wall, flung apple-sauce on her ceiling, and played with matches too close to the house in the Mississippi summertime. I thank my Grandma and wish her a happy birthday.

CHAMPION OF THE WEEK DETECTIVE LARRY RHODABACK

(Mrs. SYKES asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. SYKES. Madam Speaker, today I rise to recognize Akron Police Detective Larry Rhodaback as the Champion

of the Week for Ohio's 13th Congressional District.

Detective Rhodaback has worked for the Akron Police Department for 22 years and was working a secondary job in an apartment building when a 23-month-old girl went unconscious.

Detective Rhodaback immediately jumped into action and instructed the child's father to put the toddler on the table so he could perform CPR while the child's father called 911 for help. His lifesaving rescue efforts continued until emergency medical services crews arrived at the scene and the young girl was able to be transported to Akron Children's Hospital.

Detective Rhodaback reacted without hesitation to provide the necessary care the child needed to stay alive until more help could arrive. I thank Detective Larry Rhodaback for his heroic service to our community and his dedication to keeping members of our community safe.

RECLAIM CONGRESS' POLICYMAKING AUTHORITY

(Mr. KILEY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. KILEY. Madam Speaker, the Biden administration's Department of Labor has announced a new independent contractor rule that is a full-fledged assault on the right to earn a living in America.

It is estimated that this new rule will cost between 3.2 and 3.6 million American jobs, and this is not a matter of speculation. We have seen the devastating impact of the law that this rule was based upon, AB5 in California. A new study shows that this law in California led to a 10 percent decline in self-employment and a 4 percent decline in overall employment.

These are just numbers, though. What is really important to understand is the stories of folks who have lost everything because of AB5 in California.

This is from Daniel who said: I am a chiropractor in California. I was just terminated from my wonderful independent contract, 10-hour-per-week job. The company cited AB5. I have had this job for 10 years. The job allowed me flexibility to take care of my three special-needs kids. Now, it is gone.

To prevent millions of Americans from suffering the same fate as Daniel, I am sponsoring legislation under the Congressional Review Act to nullify this new rule from the Department of Labor, and I urge my colleagues on both sides of the aisle to reclaim the policymaking authority of Congress in this area.

STRONGER AIR POLLUTION STANDARDS

(Ms. McCLELLAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. McCLELLAN. Madam Speaker, I rise today to commend the Environmental Protection Agency on finalizing a stronger air pollution standard that will protect communities and achieve better outcomes across our Nation.

Under the leadership of the Biden-Harris administration, the EPA strengthened the national air ambient quality standard for soot, from 12 micrograms per cubic meter to 9. Today's final rule is a major step toward addressing one of the most dangerous environmental health risks in the country.

As is too often the case, low-income communities and communities of color are disproportionately impacted by soot pollution and experience worse health outcomes as a result, including higher rates of respiratory illnesses, particularly asthma, heart attacks, cancer, and infant mortality.

Strengthening these standards will prevent 4,500 premature deaths, avoid 290,000 lost workdays, and result in as much as \$46 billion in public health benefits.

Shortly after being sworn in, I called on the EPA to curb soot pollution and finalize a strong rule, and I am grateful for the administration's action which will begin to address historic inequities in our marginalized communities across the Nation.

CELEBRATING LUNAR NEW YEAR

(Mrs. KIM of California asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. KIM of California. Madam Speaker, I rise to celebrate Lunar New Year, Seollal, and Tet Festival as we ring in the new Year of the Dragon, symbolizing strength, power, and good fortune.

I wish success, opportunities, happiness, and good changes for you and your family this new year.

In Congress, I will embody the fighting spirit of the dragon to keep breaking through the partisan gridlock and delivering results to keep our communities safe and prosperous, make life more affordable, and expand opportunities for Americans to achieve their dreams.

Please allow me to offer best wishes to everyone in different Asian languages:

Korean: "saehae bok mani badeuseyo"

Mandarin: "Xin nián kuài lè"

Cantonese: "Gong hei fat choy"

Vietnamese: "Chúc Mừng Năm Mới". Happy new year.

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HONORING JOHN HAYWARD

(Ms. KAPTUR asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. KAPTUR. Madam Speaker, I rise to recognize John Hayward, a lifelong