

In particular, the Perkins loan program is extremely important to colleges and universities throughout the state of Michigan. At the University of Michigan and Eastern Michigan University, both of which are located in my district, 8,658 students received Perkins loans during the 2004–2005 school year. At a time when we should be actively supporting opportunities for higher education, this proposed cut is a cruel slap in the face for our colleges and universities and for their students.

The environment will also suffer if this bill passes. Funding for the Environmental Protection Agency will be cut by \$304 million from 2006, with most of this cut coming from programs that ensure clean drinking water and protect public health. The Clean Water State Revolving Fund is cut by 22 percent from 2006 which, when added to past years' cuts, represents a 49 percent decrease since 2004. Additionally, despite the growing backlog of infrastructure construction and maintenance projects, funding for the Army Corps of Engineers would be slashed by 11 percent. These cuts are ill-advised and will greatly undermine our Nation's ability to preserve and protect the resources we have been blessed with.

I would also like to mention one specific program that has been placed on the chopping block—the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP). This program provides nutritional food packages to over 475,000 low-income elderly, mothers and children, including 75,000 from my home state of Michigan. Under this budget resolution, CSFP would be eliminated, and all of these individuals would simply stop receiving their food packages. This is unacceptable. CSFP costs approximately \$110 million per year, which is .03 percent of the projected deficit for FY2007. This means that eliminating the CSFP program will barely make a dent in the deficit, but 475,000 seniors, women and infants will be in danger of going hungry.

It is for these reasons and many more that I stand here today to oppose this budget. The Democratic alternative would balance the budget by 2012 while rejecting deep cuts in essential federal programs. I urge my colleagues to vote yes on the Democratic substitute and no on the Republican budget.

The Acting CHAIRMAN. There being no further debate time, under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BOOZMAN) having assumed the chair, Mr. LAHOOD, Acting Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 376) establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2007 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2008 through 2011, pursuant to House Resolution 817, he reported the concurrent resolution, as amended pursuant to that rule, back to the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

The question is on the concurrent resolution.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on adoption of the concurrent resolution will be followed by a 5-minute vote on the motion to suspend the rules on House Resolution 740.

The vote on House Resolution 795 will be taken tomorrow.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 218, nays 210, not voting 5, as follows:

[Roll No. 158]

YEAS—218

Aderholt	Gibbons	Norwood
Akin	Gilchrest	Nunes
Alexander	Gillmor	Nussle
Bachus	Gingrey	Osborne
Baker	Gohmert	Oxley
Barrett (SC)	Goodlatte	Pearce
Bartlett (MD)	Granger	Pence
Barton (TX)	Graves	Peterson (PA)
Bass	Green (WI)	Petri
Beauprez	Gutknecht	Pickering
Biggett	Hall	Pitts
Bilirakis	Harris	Platts
Bishop (UT)	Hart	Poe
Blackburn	Hastert	Pombo
Blunt	Hastings (WA)	Porter
Boehler	Hayes	Price (GA)
Boehner	Hayworth	Pryce (OH)
Bonilla	Hefley	Putnam
Bonner	Hensarling	Radanovich
Bono	Herger	Regula
Boozman	Hobson	Rehberg
Boustany	Hoekstra	Reichert
Bradley (NH)	Hulshof	Reynolds
Brady (TX)	Hunter	Rogers (AL)
Brown (SC)	Hyde	Rogers (KY)
Brown-Waite,	Inglis (SC)	Rogers (MI)
Ginny	Issa	Rohrabacher
Burgess	Istook	Ros-Lehtinen
Burton (IN)	Jenkins	Royce
Buyer	Jindal	Ryan (WI)
Calvert	Johnson (CT)	Ryan (KS)
Camp (MI)	Johnson, Sam	Saxton
Campbell (CA)	Keller	Schmidt
Cannon	Kelly	Schwarz (MI)
Cantor	Kennedy (MN)	Sensenbrenner
Capito	King (IA)	Sessions
Carter	King (NY)	Shadegg
Castle	Kingston	Shaw
Chabot	Kirk	Shays
Chocola	Kline	Sherwood
Coble	Knollenberg	Shimkus
Cole (OK)	Kolbe	Shuster
Conaway	Kuhl (NY)	Simmons
Crenshaw	LaHood	Simpson
Cubin	Latham	Smith (NJ)
Culberson	LaTourette	Smith (TX)
Davis (KY)	Leach	Sodrel
Davis, Jo Ann	Lewis (CA)	Souder
Davis, Tom	Lewis (KY)	Stearns
Deal (GA)	Linder	Sullivan
DeLay	LoBiondo	Tancredo
Dent	Lucas	Taylor (NC)
Diaz-Balart, L.	Lungren, Daniel	Terry
Diaz-Balart, M.	E.	Thomas
Doolittle	Mack	Thornberry
Drake	Manzullo	Tiahrt
Dreier	Marchant	Tiberti
Duncan	McCaul (TX)	Turner
Ehlers	McCotter	Upton
Emerson	McCrery	Walden (OR)
English (PA)	McHenry	Walsh
Everett	McKeon	Wamp
Feeney	McMorris	Weldon (FL)
Ferguson	Mica	Weldon (PA)
Flake	Miller (FL)	Weller
Foley	Miller (MI)	Westmoreland
Forbes	Miller, Gary	Whitfield
Fortenberry	Moran (KS)	Wicker
Fossella	Murphy	Wilson (SC)
Fox	Musgrave	Wolf
Franks (AZ)	Myrick	Young (AK)
Frelinghuysen	Neugebauer	Young (FL)
Gallely	Ney	
Garrett (NJ)	Northup	

NAYS—210

Abercrombie	Barrow	Bishop (NY)
Ackerman	Bean	Blumenauer
Allen	Becerra	Boren
Andrews	Berkley	Boswell
Baca	Berman	Boucher
Baird	Berry	Boyd
Baldwin	Bishop (GA)	Brady (PA)

Brown (OH)	Hoyer	Pastor
Brown, Corrine	Inlee	Payne
Butterfield	Israel	Pelosi
Capps	Jackson (IL)	Peterson (MN)
Capuano	Jackson-Lee	Pomeroy
Cardin	(TX)	Price (NC)
Cardoza	Jefferson	Rahall
Carnahan	Johnson (IL)	Ramstad
Carson	Johnson, E. B.	Rangel
Case	Jones (NC)	Renzi
Chandler	Jones (OH)	Reyes
Clay	Kanjorski	Ross
Cleaver	Kaptur	Rothman
Clyburn	Kildee	Royal-Allard
Conyers	Kilpatrick (MI)	Ruppersberger
Cooper	Kind	Rush
Costello	Kucinich	Ryan (OH)
Cramer	Langevin	Sabo
Crowley	Lantos	Salazar
Cuellar	Larsen (WA)	Sanchez, Linda
Cummings	Lee	T.
Davis (AL)	Levin	Sanchez, Loretta
Davis (CA)	Lewis (GA)	Sanders
Davis (FL)	Lipinski	Schakowsky
Davis (IL)	Lofgren, Zoe	Schiff
Davis (TN)	Lowey	Schwartz (PA)
DeFazio	Lynch	Scott (GA)
DeGette	Maloney	Scott (VA)
Delahunt	Markey	Serrano
DeLauro	Marshall	Sherman
Dicks	Matheson	Skelton
Dingell	Matsui	Slaughter
Doggett	McCarthy	Smith (WA)
Doyle	McCollum (MN)	Snyder
Edwards	McDermott	Solis
Emanuel	McGovern	Spratt
Engel	McHugh	Stark
Eshoo	McIntyre	Strickland
Etheridge	McKinney	Sweeney
Farr	McNulty	Tanner
Fattah	Meehan	Tauscher
Filner	Meek (NY)	Taylor (MS)
Fitzpatrick (PA)	Meeke (NY)	Thompson (CA)
Ford	Melancon	Thompson (MS)
Frank (MA)	Michaud	Tierney
Gerlach	Millender-	Towns
Gonzalez	McDonald	Udall (CO)
Goode	Miller (NC)	Udall (NM)
Gordon	Miller, George	Van Hollen
Green, Al	Mollohan	Velázquez
Green, Gene	Moore (KS)	Visclosky
Grijalva	Moore (WI)	Wasserman
Gutierrez	Moran (VA)	Schultz
Harman	Murtha	Watson
Hastings (FL)	Nadler	Watt
Herseth	Napolitano	Waxman
Higgins	Neal (MA)	Weiner
Hinchee	Oberstar	Wexler
Hinojosa	Obey	Wilson (NM)
Holden	Olver	Woolsey
Holt	Ortiz	Wu
Honda	Otter	Wynn
Hooley	Owens	
Hostettler	Pallone	
	Pascarell	

NOT VOTING—5

Evans	Larson (CT)	Stupak
Kennedy (RI)	Paul	

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So the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

CALLING ON GOVERNMENT OF UNITED KINGDOM TO ESTABLISH INQUIRY INTO MURDER OF NORTHERN IRELAND DEFENSE ATTORNEY PAT FINUCANE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 740, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. MCCOTTER) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H.

Res. 740, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 390, nays 5, answered “present” 6, not voting 31, as follows:

[Roll No. 159]  
YEAS—390

Abercrombie	Davis (KY)	Jackson (IL)
Ackerman	Davis (TN)	Jackson-Lee
Aderholt	Davis, Tom	(TX)
Akin	Deal (GA)	Jefferson
Alexander	DeFazio	Jenkins
Allen	DeGette	Jindal
Andrews	Delahunt	Johnson (CT)
Baca	DeLauro	Johnson (IL)
Bachus	DeLay	Johnson, E. B.
Baird	Dent	Jones (OH)
Baldwin	Diaz-Balart, M.	Kanjorski
Barrett (SC)	Dingell	Kaptur
Barrow	Doolittle	Kelly
Bartlett (MD)	Doyle	Kennedy (MN)
Barton (TX)	Drake	Kildee
Bass	Dreier	Kilpatrick (MI)
Bean	Duncan	Kind
Beauprez	Edwards	King (IA)
Becerra	Ehlers	King (NY)
Berkley	Emanuel	Kingston
Berman	Engel	Kirk
Berry	English (PA)	Kline
Biggert	Eshoo	Knollenberg
Bilirakis	Etheridge	Kolbe
Bishop (NY)	Farr	Kucinich
Bishop (UT)	Feeney	Kuhl (NY)
Blackburn	Ferguson	LaHood
Blumenauer	Filner	Langevin
Blunt	Fitzpatrick (PA)	Lantos
Boehler	Flake	Larsen (WA)
Boehner	Foley	Latham
Bonner	Forbes	LaTourette
Bono	Ford	Leach
Boozman	Fortenberry	Lee
Boren	Fossella	Levin
Boswell	Fox	Lewis (CA)
Boucher	Frank (MA)	Lewis (GA)
Boustany	Franks (AZ)	Linder
Boyd	Frelinghuysen	Lipinski
Bradley (NH)	Gallely	LoBiondo
Brady (PA)	Garrett (NJ)	Lofgren, Zoe
Brady (TX)	Gerlach	Lowey
Brown (OH)	Gibbons	Lucas
Brown (SC)	Gilchrest	Lungren, Daniel
Brown, Corrine	Gillmor	E.
Brown-Waite,	Gingrey	Lynch
Ginny	Gonzalez	Mack
Burgess	Goode	Maloney
Burton (IN)	Goodlatte	Marchant
Butterfield	Gordon	Markey
Buyer	Granger	Marshall
Calvert	Graves	Matheson
Camp (MI)	Green (WI)	Matsui
Cannon	Green, Al	McCarthy
Cantor	Green, Gene	McCaul (TX)
Capito	Grijalva	McCollum (MN)
Capps	Gutierrez	McCotter
Capuano	Gutknecht	McDermott
Cardin	Hall	McGovern
Cardoza	Harman	McHenry
Carnahan	Harris	McHugh
Carson	Hart	McIntyre
Carter	Hastings (FL)	McKeon
Case	Hastings (WA)	McKinney
Castle	Hayes	McMorris
Chabot	Hayworth	McNulty
Chandler	Hensarling	Meehan
Chocola	Hergert	Meek (FL)
Clay	Herseth	Meeks (NY)
Cleaver	Higgins	Melancon
Clyburn	Hinche	Mica
Cole (OK)	Hinojosa	Michaud
Conaway	Hobson	Millender-
Conyers	Hoekstra	McDonald
Cooper	Holden	Miller (FL)
Costa	Holt	Miller (MI)
Costello	Honda	Miller (NC)
Cramer	Hoolley	Miller, Gary
Crenshaw	Hoyer	Miller, George
Crowley	Hulshof	Mollohan
Cuellar	Hunter	Moore (KS)
Culberson	Hyde	Moore (WI)
Cummings	Inglis (SC)	Moran (KS)
Davis (AL)	Inslee	Moran (VA)
Davis (CA)	Israel	Murphy
Davis (FL)	Issa	Musgrave
Davis (IL)	Istook	Myrick

Nadler	Rohrabacher	Strickland
Napolitano	Ros-Lehtinen	Sullivan
Neal (MA)	Ross	Sweeney
Neugebauer	Rothman	Tancredo
Nunes	Roybal-Allard	Tanner
Nussle	Royce	Tauscher
Oberstar	Ruppersberger	Taylor (MS)
Obey	Rush	Taylor (NC)
Oliver	Ryan (OH)	Terry
Ortiz	Ryan (WI)	Thomas
Osborne	Ryun (KS)	Thompson (CA)
Otter	Sabo	Thompson (MS)
Owens	Salazar	Tiberi
Pallone	Sánchez, Linda	Tierney
Pascarell	T.	Towns
Pastor	Sanchez, Loretta	Turner
Payne	Sanders	Tanner
Pearce	Saxton	Udall (CO)
Pelosi	Schakowsky	Udall (NM)
Peterson (MN)	Schiff	Upton
Peterson (PA)	Schmidt	Van Hollen
Petri	Schwartz (PA)	Velázquez
Pickering	Schwartz (MI)	Visclosky
Pitts	Scott (GA)	Walden (OR)
Platts	Scott (VA)	Walsh
Pombo	Serrano	Wamp
Pomeroy	Sessions	Wasserman
Porter	Shadegg	Schultz
Price (GA)	Shaw	Waters
Price (NC)	Shays	Watson
Pryce (OH)	Sherman	Watt
Putnam	Sherwood	Waxman
Rahall	Shimkus	Weiner
Ramstad	Shuster	Weldon (PA)
Rangel	Simmons	Weller
Regula	Simpson	Wexler
Rehberg	Skelton	Whitfield
Reichert	Smith (NJ)	Wicker
Renzi	Smith (TX)	Wilson (NM)
Reyes	Snyder	Wilson (SC)
Reynolds	Sodrel	Wolf
Rogers (AL)	Solis	Woolsey
Rogers (KY)	Souder	Wu
Rogers (MI)	Spratt	Wynn
	Stearns	Young (AK)
		Young (FL)

NAYS—5

Campbell (CA)	Sensenbrenner	Westmoreland
Cubin	Tiahrt	

ANSWERED “PRESENT”—6

Everett	Hostettler	Pence
Gohmert	Lewis (KY)	Poe

NOT VOTING—31

Baker	Hefley	Oxley
Bishop (GA)	Johnson, Sam	Paul
Bonilla	Jones (NC)	Radanovich
Coble	Keller	Slaughter
Davis, Jo Ann	Kennedy (RI)	Smith (WA)
Diaz-Balart, L.	Larson (CT)	Stark
Dicks	Manzullo	Stupak
Doggett	McCrery	Thornberry
Emerson	Murtha	Weldon (FL)
Evans	Northup	
Fattah	Norwood	

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Mr. POE changed his vote from “yea” to “present.”

So (two-thirds of those voting having responded in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The title of the resolution was amended so as to read: “Resolution calling on the Government of the United Kingdom immediately to establish a full, independent, public judicial inquiry into the murder of Northern Ireland defense attorney Patrick Finucane, as recommended by Judge Peter Cory as part of the Weston Park Agreement, in order to move forward on the Northern Ireland peace process.”

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. LARSON of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, I regret that I could not be present today, Wednesday, May 17, 2006 and Thursday, May 18, 2006 to vote on rollcall vote Nos. 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, and 159 due to a family medical emergency.

Had I been present, I would have voted: “Yea” on rollcall vote No. 147 on an amendment to H.R. 4200 to strike all exemptions and waivers of the National Historic Preservation Act, the Clean Water Act, the Endangered Species Act, and the National Environmental Policy Act;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 148 on an amendment to H.R. 4200 to allow emergency procedures authorized in the bill to be used on lands managed for timber production;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 149 on an amendment to H.R. 4200 to stipulate that the bill would not apply to any areas in the National Forest System that are designated as roadless areas;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 150 on an amendment to H.R. 4200 to direct the Interior Department and the Agriculture Department to consider the impact of any pre-approved management practice, forest recovery or research project on the risk of fire and on forest regeneration;

“No” on rollcall vote No. 151 on passage of H.R. 4200—the Forest Emergency Recovery and Research Act;

“No” on rollcall vote No. 152 on passage of H. Res. 815—the rule providing martial law consideration for H. Con. Res. 376—Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Resolution;

“No” on rollcall vote No. 153 on calling the previous question on H. Res. 815—the rule providing martial law consideration for H. Con. Res. 376—Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Resolution;

“No” on rollcall vote No. 154 on passage of H. Res. 817—the rule providing for consideration for H. Con. Res. 376—Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Resolution;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 155 on an amendment in the nature of a substitute to H. Con. Res. 376 offered by Representative WATT;

“No” on rollcall vote No. 156 on an amendment in the nature of a substitute to H. Con. Res. 376 offered by Representative HENSARLING;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 157 on an amendment in the nature of a substitute to H. Con. Res. 376 offered by Representative SPRATT;

“No” on rollcall vote No. 158 on passage of H. Con. Res. 376—Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Resolution;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 159 on passage H. Res. 740—Calling on the Government of the United Kingdom to immediately establish a full, independent, public judicial inquiry into the murder of Northern Ireland defense attorney Pat Finucane, as recommended by international Judge Peter Cory as part of the Weston Park agreement and a way forward for the Northern Ireland Peace.

## WHAT'S GOOD FOR FOX ISN'T GOOD FOR THE U.S.

(Mr. POE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. POE. Mr. Speaker, Mexican nationals are not happy about the U.S.