

Project Manager: Scott Gookin & James T. Devine
 Superintendent: Donnie Stewart & Billy Huff
 Contractor: William A. Hazel, Inc.
 Engineer: Land Design Consultants, Inc.
 Site Inspector: Keith Anthony

SMALL SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL: ABBOTS WOOD

Owner: Palisades Development, LLC
 Project Manager: Mike Dropik
 Superintendent: Donnie Stewart & Billy Huff
 Contractor: William A. Hazel, Inc.
 Engineer: Walter L. Phillips, Inc.
 Site Inspector: Jim Getts

INFILL LOT: 9022 FALLS RUN ROAD, MCLEAN

Owner: Joe & Sarah Shames
 Project Manager: Ross Richmond
 Superintendent: Rich Shaffer
 Contractor: Joy Custom Design Build, LLC.

Engineer: LS2 PC Engineering
 Site Inspector: Frank Degboe
 Outstanding Engineering Firms: Wendel (Cinder Bed Road Bus Division)
 Outstanding Superintendent: Clarke Newbill and Billy Huff (Gambrell Pointe)

Outstanding Contractor: Strittmatter Contracting, LLC (Cinder Bed Road Bus Division)

Outstanding Developer/Owner: Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (Cinder Bed Road Bus Division)

Certificate of Voluntary Merit: Jackson Ayers, Member of Boy Scouts of America, Troop 1539, Eagle Scout Service Project

Best Protected Environmentally Sensitive Site: Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (Cinder Bed Road Bus Division)

Outstanding E/S Inspectors of the Year: Frank Degboe (North Branch), Jorge Tagle (Central Branch), Jim Getts (South Branch)

Outstanding E/S Plan Reviewers of the Year: Roshna Gafoor (North Branch), Jennifer Vargas (Central Branch), Ambachew Nigatu (South Branch)

TREE PLANTING AWARDS:

Project: Capital One—Rt. 123 Median and Tree Transplanting

Developer: Capital One
 Design: William H. Gordon and Associates, Inc.

Landscape: Ruppert Landscape, Inc. Davis/Gilford Construction

Project: East Market at Fair Lake, Phase III

Developer: Peterson Companies
 Design: Lewis Scully Gionet TWS Designs, Inc.

Landscape: KT Enterprises

Project: Jennings Toyota
 Developer: Chesapeake Contracting Group
 Design: Walter L. Phillips, Inc.
 Landscape: Live Green

Project: Newington DVS Maintenance Facility

Developer: EE Reed Construction
 Design: Adtek Engineers
 Landscape: Blake Landscapes

TREE PRESERVATION AWARD RECIPIENTS:

Project: National Library for the Study of George Washington

Developer: Mount Vernon Ladies' Association

Engineer: Rummel Klepper & Kahl
 Tree Preservation Consultant: The Care of Trees

Tree Preservation Contractor: Bartlett Tree Experts

Project: The Preserve at Scott's Run
 Builder: Stanley Martin Homes
 Engineer: Land Design Consultants
 Tree Preservation Consultant: Zimar & Associates

Project: Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax
 Developer: UUCF
 Engineer: Bowman Consulting Group, Ltd
 Tree Preservation Consultant: Davey Resource Group
 Tree Preservation Contractor: The Care of Trees

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in congratulating these honorees. Fairfax County and its residents have benefitted greatly from the collaborative spirit that is represented by these awards today, and I thank each of the awardees for their efforts.

IN SUPPORT OF THE TOM LANTOS FOUNDATION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS ANNUAL SOLIDARITY SABBATH

HON. ALCEE L. HASTINGS

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Mr. HASTINGS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in support of the Tom Lantos Foundation for Human Rights' annual Solidarity Sabbath. Held on May 22, 2015, this trans-Atlantic event provides a timely and unique framework within which leaders here in the United States and Europe can express solidarity with the Jewish community at a time when acts of social cohesion are more urgent than ever.

The Solidarity Sabbath encourages leaders of all faiths, races, and backgrounds to band together in support of Jewish communities across North America and Europe by participating in a range of Sabbath services and related activities. In the current geo-political climate, where we have seen the ugly resurgence of anti-Semitism and Holocaust denial, particularly in Europe, it is imperative that we unite against intolerance and baseless hatred. I urge leaders both at home and abroad to participate in this important event and stand up for tolerance, peace and co-existence. When leaders of diverse backgrounds come together in defense of fundamental human rights, all of our communities are the beneficiaries.

Indeed, this Solidarity Sabbath initiative is most timely. Sadly, in the past few months we have witnessed a dramatic surge in anti-Semitic incidents across Europe, including the January murders of four Jewish customers at a kosher supermarket in Paris, and the murder of a Jewish man guarding a synagogue in Copenhagen in February. Painful, vivid memories are being resurrected as Jewish communities around Europe are once again living under the cloud of social hostility, embarrassment and violent threats.

It is imperative that we stand with the Jewish community and demand that our European allies work diligently and without delay to confront and put an end to these heinous acts. Hatred and persecution based on race or religion have no place in our world. Each and every one of us has the responsibility to make our own communities safer and more tolerant.

For this very reason, I am pleased to have recently introduced a bipartisan resolution with Representative ROBERT DOLD of Illinois to combat the rise of anti-Semitism in Europe, which encourages our European friends to counter this disturbing trend while also committing the United States to abetting this effort in every way possible.

Mr. Speaker, the power of togetherness cannot be overemphasized. Indeed, it is the bond shared by those of us dedicated to love and tolerance that will form the basis upon which we will defeat bigotry and demagoguery in all of its forms. I urge my colleagues to stand with me in this important expression of tolerance and co-existence.

TRIBUTE TO SHERIFF MICHAEL "MIKE" SCROGGINS

HON. LUKE MESSER

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Mr. MESSER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to the life of Sheriff Michael "Mike" Scroggins, a devoted civil servant and long-time political leader in Delaware County.

Mike is a lifelong Hoosier and leaves behind a legacy of public service in our state. After nearly 30 years as a police officer, including 11 years as a Uniform Division Commander, he ran successfully for Delaware County Sheriff in both 2010 and 2014. He is also a proud graduate of the respected FBI National Academy.

He devoted his entire adult life to protecting and bettering his community and for that he will always be remembered. Sheriff Scroggins was a member of Whitney Lodge #229, the Indiana Sheriff's Association, and the Mt. Olive Community Church. He was also actively involved with the Delaware County Council, making public appearances regularly to advocate for his officers and his department. In his free time, Mike enjoyed fishing trips and spending time with his family.

Today, it is my privilege to honor the life of Mike Scroggins. My thoughts and prayers go out to Mike's family, and may God comfort those left behind with his peace and strength.

TRIBUTE TO VICTIMS OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE

HON. ADAM B. SCHIFF

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Mr. SCHIFF. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to memorialize and record a courageous story of survival of the Armenian Genocide. The Armenian Genocide, perpetrated by the Ottoman Empire from 1915 to 1923, resulted in the death of 1.5 million Armenian men, women, and children. As the U.S. Ambassador to the Ottoman Empire, Henry Morgenthau documented at the time, it was a campaign of "race extermination."

The campaign to annihilate the Armenian people failed, as illustrated by the proud Armenian nation and prosperous diaspora. It is difficult if not impossible to find an Armenian family not touched by the genocide, and while there are some survivors still with us, it is imperative that we record their stories. Through the Armenian Genocide Congressional Record Project, I hope to document the harrowing stories of the survivors in an effort to preserve their accounts and to help educate the Members of Congress now and in the future of the necessity of recognizing the Armenian Genocide. Below is one of those stories:

FROM ARSHALOUS DARBINYAN, AN ARMENIAN WOMAN, ON BEHALF OF HER FATHER, BABKEN VARDANI DARBINYAN, AND GRANDPARENTS. ARSHALOUS MARKARI DARBINYAN AND VARDAN SARKISI DARBINYAN

Arshalous Markari Darbinyan was happily married to Vardan Sarkisi Darbinyan. The Darbinyans were one of the wealthy families of Van. They were well respected community intellectual leaders. In the spring of 1915, at the time of deportation and forced relocation Arshalous Darbinyan was an expectant mother. Andranik Zorava (a very close friend of the family) personally appointed one of his assistants to deliver a carriage to the Darbinyan residence. They left everything behind, the house and most of their belongings. In a chaotic rush they were forced to even bury their gold and most of the jewelry in their garden, and left behind the pharmacy they owned. The handmade carpets and rugs, and furniture were stuffed in the wine cellar, as they naively believed that once everything settled they would return home.

Unfortunately, when they were halfway there in the middle of the road the carriage flipped over. Arshalous was injured the most. She lost her baby. Also, she received several injuries on her face. Her husband, though in pain himself did his best to help cope with the situation. They suffered emotionally and physically, went through hardships, eyewitnessed the genocide and were lucky enough to survive. They were separated from their siblings, and the family was scattered around the world. Some of them ended up in Fresno, CA and the rest settled in Armenia.

CITATION TO RECOGNIZE BRIGADIER GENERAL DENNIS D. DOYLE, DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3/5/7, OFFICE OF THE SURGEON GENERAL, U.S. ARMY

HON. MARCY KAPTUR

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Ms. KAPTUR. Mr. Speaker, we cannot thank our public servants enough for the job that they do for this country day in and day out. The Federal Government simply cannot function properly without good leaders who are committed to the world and security of our Nation.

BG Dennis Doyle distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious service and superb achievements to the Office of the Surgeon General and the United States Army from 1 November 2005 to 1 November 2015 while serving in a succession of several high positions of great importance. His outstanding leadership, passionate pursuit of excellence, and tireless efforts greatly contributed to the overall readiness of the Army, the transformation of Army Medicine to a System for Health and the delivery of high quality health care to our Armed Forces. During his tenure as Commander of the 10th Combat Support Hospital (CSH) in Fort Carson, Colorado, BG Doyle was hand selected to also command the 43rd Area Support Group (Rear) while the 4th Infantry Division deployed. He superbly commanded both organizations ensuring the Group sustained a high level of readiness in support of Fort Carson tenant units. He proved a staunch supporter to the installation, community, and all post operations supporting deployed Fort Carson units in combat. While deployed with the 10th CSH, BG Doyle delivered

world class combat health care for nearly 40,000 patients, which included 4,000 admissions and over 8,500 operating room procedures with many of these involving the most difficult combat trauma cases in the world. His success in this tremendously challenging mission was recognized as magnificent not only by his chain of command but also by the U.S. Ambassador, the Commander of Multinational Forces-Iraq, the Commander of Multinational Coalition-Iraq, the Iraqi Prime Minister, and many U.S. and Iraqi government officials. BG Doyle served as the Deputy Commander for Administration at Walter Reed Army Medical Center (WRAMC). During that time, Walter Reed was the largest military treatment facility in the Department of Defense and flagship for Army Medicine and Home of Warrior Care. During his tenure, BG Doyle's results-oriented approach ensured the command's success in every facet of customer service, operations, personnel readiness, and adequacy of human and monetary capital. He oversaw the establishment of a one stop welcome center to ease the logistical burden for our Warfighters and their Family Members. His keen administrative acumen and innovative problem solving were the driving force in over \$24M in facility renovations, \$4M in housekeeping service enhancements, improved logistics customer response times, and the establishment of a 24/7 operations cell.

Following Walter Reed, BG Doyle was centrally selected to command the 30th Medical Command (MEDCOM) in Germany. Despite assuming command just nine days before deploying to Operation Enduring Freedom, Afghanistan, BG Doyle expertly led his team to quickly assume its critical role as the first Theater Medical Command for Afghanistan, Task Force 30th MEDCOM. Combat seasoned, creative, articulate, technically and tactically proficient, and solution oriented, BG Doyle consistently provided sound, balanced operational advice as the medical Task Force Commander and USFOR-A Surgeon. His joint service command assessed the USFOR-A medical infrastructure and organization and took action to ensure the finest care was provided for all U.S., Coalition, and Afghan forces by a deliberate redistribution of scarce medical resources. He directed a comprehensive analysis of health service support for Regional Command West expansion efforts resulting in the development of force request that met the regional commander's need. BG Doyle led a joint team that provided unmatched combat health service support across the Combined Joint Operations Area—Afghanistan and delivered the highest war time survival rates up to that point in the conflict. A strategic thinker, BG Doyle also forged solid international relations with ISAF medical partners and host Nation assets to ensure unity of effect and effort for all medical assets in the area of responsibility. After Europe, the Surgeon General hand selected BG Doyle to command the William Beaumont Medical Center (WBAMC) in Fort Bliss, Texas. During this period, he also served as the Deputy Commanding General (DCG)—Readiness for Western Regional Medical Command (WRMC) and Chief of the Medical Service Corps. BG Doyle quickly transformed the William Beaumont culture to fully support the Fort Bliss transition from a TRADOC installation to the Army's largest and busiest FORSCOM power projection platform. He exploited partnering with the Veterans' Af-

fairs for a mutually efficient use of limited resources resulting in the award of the largest Fiscal Year 12 VA/DOD Joint Incentive Fund project valued at over \$5M. His team also opened a new WTB campus, established a collocated Integrated Disability Evaluation System site, and launched Embedded Behavioral Health, and Child and Family Assistance Centers. The Surgeon General recognized BG Doyle as a transformational leader and once again hand picked him to command the Pacific Regional Medical Command knowing that he possessed all the skill sets required to direct and influence the right Army Medicine capabilities in support of the Army's and DoD's rebalancing strategy. He was also designated as Commanding General, Tripler Army Medical Center, U.S. Army Pacific Surgeon, Chief, Medical Service Corps, and Manager for the Hawaii enhanced Multi-Service Market (eMSM). His overall performance and contributions were nothing short of stellar.

Balancing five hats, he effective established connections, and strengthened and influenced strategic partnerships with PACOM countries including Korea, Japan, Philippines and Thailand. His PRMC team provided unmatched support to USARPAC and USPACOM interests in the Asia-Pacific. His strategic leadership inspired trust in the health system throughout the Pacific achieving consistent patient satisfaction rates of over 85 percent. In addition, PRMC's Integrative Pain Management Center ranked as the best in the Army because of the close clinical collaboration with multiple disciplines and an emphasis on weaning Soldiers off their pain medication drugs. PRMC was recognized as one of the most productive Regional Medical Commands exceeding patient safety standards and quality measures as well as leading the way in an external accreditation survey and Risk Management oversight spanning the entire PACOM area of responsibility with facilities in Korea, Japan, and Hawaii. The Surgeon General personally selected BG Doyle to serve as her Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7 based on unequalled operational experience, strategic acumen and proven leadership. His transformative excellence was deemed an imperative during a period of significant cultural and organizational transformation. Upon assuming his role, BG Doyle was immediately faced with operationalizing The Surgeon General's transformation from a healthcare system to a System for Health. He infused irreversible momentum in promoting the Performance Triad, the primary mechanism to influence readiness and health by targeting Sleep, Activity and Nutrition behaviors for Soldiers, Family members and all 3.9 million beneficiaries. In the Total Army Force concept, BG Doyle has also been instrumental in driving toward COMPO 2 and implementation with full support from the Chief of the Army Reserve and Army National Guard. The nuances of implementation in the Reserve Components have been fully explored to ensure that this is executable for our Citizen Soldiers. Furthermore, BG Doyle's operational perspective was instrumental in ensuring the direct correlation of Army Medicine command structures with supported Army Corps and ASCC commanders. The decisions currently being enacted represent the largest organizational changes in the past few decades and will ensure that MEDCOM is a balanced, agile and streamlined organization postured to support Army Force 2025 and Beyond