

We must de-escalate violence. This recent violence serves as a stark reminder that relations between law enforcement and the communities they serve remains extremely tense, and we must do everything we can not to inflame this tension even further. We need to recognize the root cause of this tension and work to end the divisiveness between law enforcement and citizens.

I do also want to commend the Dallas Police Department, Dallas Police Chief David Brown—a constituent and someone I work with very closely—and the Dallas Area Rapid Transit for their brave and swift response to the shooting. These officers are among some of the most capable and professional law enforcement officers in the country, and I commend them for their bravery during this incident.

Mr. Speaker, I ask not just for a moment of silence but also for firm action. We need to bring meaningful legislation to the floor that will help bridge the divide between law enforcement and our communities.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Members will rise for a moment of silence.

MOTION TO CLOSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MEETINGS ON S. 2943, NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

Mr. THORNBERRY. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 12 of rule XXII, I move that meetings of the conference between the House and Senate on S. 2943 may be closed to the public at such times as classified national security information may be broached, provided that any sitting Member of Congress shall be entitled to attend any meeting of the conference.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12 of rule XXII, the motion is not debatable, and the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 397, nays 14, not voting 22, as follows:

[Roll No. 400]

YEAS—397

Abraham	Black	Byrne
Adams	Blackburn	Calvert
Aderholt	Blum	Capps
Aguilar	Bonamici	Capuano
Allen	Boustany	Cárdenas
Amodie	Boyle, Brendan	Carney
Ashford	F.	Carson (IN)
Babin	Brady (PA)	Carter (GA)
Barletta	Brady (TX)	Carter (TX)
Barr	Brat	Castor (FL)
Bass	Bridenstine	Castro (TX)
Beatty	Brooks (AL)	Chabot
Becerra	Brooks (IN)	Chaffetz
Benishek	Brownley (CA)	Chu, Judy
Bera	Buchanan	Cicilline
Beyer	Buck	Clark (MA)
Bilirakis	Bucshon	Clarke (NY)
Bishop (GA)	Burgess	Clawson (FL)
Bishop (MI)	Bustos	Clay
Bishop (UT)	Butterfield	Cleaver

Clyburn	Hice, Jody B.	Mullin	Swalwell (CA)	Veasey	Westmoreland
Coffman	Higgins	Mulvaney	Takano	Velázquez	Whitfield
Cohen	Hill	Murphy (FL)	Thompson (CA)	Visclosky	Williams
Cole	Himes	Murphy (PA)	Thompson (PA)	Wagner	Wilson (FL)
Collins (GA)	Himnosa	Napolitano	Thornberry	Walberg	Wilson (SC)
Collins (NY)	Holding	Neal	Tiberi	Walden	Wittman
Comstock	Hoyer	Neugebauer	Tipton	Walker	Womack
Conaway	Hudson	Newhouse	Titus	Walorski	Woodall
Connolly	Huffman	Noem	Tonko	Walters, Mimi	Yarmuth
Conyers	Huizenga (MI)	Nolan	Torres	Walz	Yoder
Cook	Hultgren	Norcross	Trott	Wasserman	Yoho
Cooper	Hunter	Nunes	Tsongas	Schultz	Young (AK)
Costa	Hurd (TX)	O'Rourke	Upton	Watson Coleman	Young (IA)
Costello (PA)	Hurt (VA)	Olson	Valadao	Weber (TX)	Young (IN)
Courtney	Israel	Palazzo	Van Hollen	Wenstrup	Zeldin
Cramer	Issa	Pallone	Vargas	Westerman	Zinke
Crawford	Jackson Lee	Palmer			
Crenshaw	Jeffries	Pascrell			
Crowley	Jenkins (KS)	Paulsen			
Cuellar	Jenkins (WV)	Payne			
Culberson	Johnson (OH)	Pearce			
DeSantis	Johnson, E. B.	Pelosi			
DeSaulnier	Johnson, Sam	Perlmutter			
DesJarlais	Jolly	Perry			
Deutch	Jordan	Peters			
Diaz-Balart	Joyce	Peterson			
Dingell	Kaptur	Pingree			
Doggett	Katko	Pittenger			
Dold	Keating	Pitts			
Donovan	Kelly (IL)	Pocan			
Doyle, Michael	Kelly (MS)	Poliquin			
F.	Kelly (PA)	Pompeo			
Duckworth	Kennedy	Posey			
Duffy	Kildee	Price (NC)			
Duncan (SC)	Kilmer	Price, Tom			
Edwards	Kind	Quigley			
Ellison	King (IA)	Rangel			
Ellmers (NC)	King (NY)	Ratcliffe			
Emmer (MN)	Kinzinger (IL)	Reed			
Engel	Kline	Reichert			
Eshoo	Knight	Renacci			
Esty	Kuster	Ribble			
Farenthold	Labrador	Rice (NY)			
Farr	LaHood	Rice (SC)			
Fitzpatrick	LaMalfa	Richmond			
Fleischmann	Lamborn	Rigell			
Fleming	Lance	Roby			
Flores	Langevin	Roe (TN)			
Forbes	Larsen (WA)	Rogers (KY)			
Fortenberry	Larson (CT)	Rohrabacher			
Foster	Latta	Rokita			
Fox	Lawrence	Rooney (FL)			
Fox	Levin	Ros-Lehtinen			
Frankel (FL)	Lewis	Roskam			
Franks (AZ)	Lipinski	Ross			
Frelinghuysen	LoBiondo	Rothfus			
Fudge	Loeb	Rouzer			
Gallego	Loeb	Roybal-Allard			
Garamendi	Lofgren	Royce			
Garrett	Long	Ruiz			
Gibbs	Loudermill	Ruppersberger			
Gibson	Love	Rush			
Gohmert	Lowenthal	Russell			
Gohmert	Lowey	Ryan (OH)			
Goodlatte	Lucas	Salmon			
Gosar	Luetkemeyer	Salmon			
Gowdy	Lujan Grisham	Sanchez, Linda			
Graham	(NM)	T.			
Granger	Lujan, Ben Ray	Sanchez, Loretta			
Graves (GA)	(NM)	Sanford			
Graves (LA)	Lummis	Sarbanes			
Graves (MO)	Lynch	Scalise			
Grayson	MacArthur	Schakowsky			
Green, Al	Maloney,	Schiff			
Green, Gene	Carolyn	Schrader			
Griffith	Maloney, Sean	Schweikert			
Grihalva	Marino	Scott (VA)			
McClintock	Matsui	Scott, Austin			
McCollum	McCarthy	Scott, David			
McHenry	McCaul	Sensenbrenner			
McKinley	McClintock	Serrano			
McMorris	McCollum	Sessions			
Rodgers	McHenry	Sewell (AL)			
McNerney	McKinley	Sherman			
McSally	McMorris	Shimkus			
Meadows	Rodgers	Shuster			
Meehan	McNerney	Simpson			
Mehner	McSally	Sinema			
Meng	Meadows	Sires			
Messer	Gutiérrez	Slaughter			
Mica	Hahn	Smith (MO)			
Miller (FL)	Hanna	Smith (NE)			
Miller (MI)	Hardy	Smith (NJ)			
Moore	Harper	Smith (TX)			
Mooney (WV)	Harris	Smith (WA)			
Moore	Hartzler	Speier			
Moulton	Heck (NV)	Stefanik			
	Heck (WA)	Stewart			
	Hensarling	Stivers			
	Herrera Beutler	Stutzman			

NAYS—14

Amash	Johnson (GA)	McDermott
Blumenauer	Jones	McGovern
DeFazio	Lee	Polis
Gabbard	Lieu, Ted	Welch
Honda	Massie	

NOT VOTING—22

Barton	Hastings	Takai
Bost	Huelskamp	Thompson (MS)
Brown (FL)	Kirkpatrick	Turner
Cartwright	Marchant	Vela
Cummings	Nadler	Waters, Maxine
Delaney	Nugent	Webster (FL)
Duncan (TN)	Poe (TX)	
Fincher	Rogers (AL)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PAULSEN) (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

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So the motion to close portions of the conference was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PRESIDENTIAL ALLOWANCE MODERNIZATION ACT

Mr. CHAFFETZ. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 1777) to amend the Act of August 25, 1958, commonly known as the "Former Presidents Act of 1958", with respect to the monetary allowance payable to a former President, and for other purposes, with the Senate amendment thereto, and concur in the Senate amendment.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the Senate amendment.

The Clerk read as follows:

Senate amendment:

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Presidential Allowance Modernization Act of 2016".

SEC. 2. AMENDMENTS.

(a) *FORMER PRESIDENTS.*—*The first section of the Act entitled "An Act to provide retirement, clerical assistants, and free mailing privileges to former Presidents of the United States, and for other purposes", approved August 25, 1958 (commonly known as the "Former Presidents Act of 1958") (3 U.S.C. 102 note), is amended by striking the matter preceding subsection (e) and inserting the following:*

"(a) IN GENERAL.—Each former President shall be entitled for the remainder of his or her life to receive from the United States—

"(1) an annuity at the rate of \$200,000 per year, subject to subsection (c); and