

Lou's tireless efforts to better her community are truly inspirational in a time where civic duties are declining. Aside from her duties as owner of the Wakefield Inn, Lou has been an active member of the Lions Club, the Women's Club, the Heritage Commission and a founding member of the Wakefield Arts Club. Her long list of involvements are a testament to her strong dedication to the community and her commitment to making various events and programs available to all Wakefield citizens.

Lou's hard work on the Sidewalk Committee led to the construction of numerous sidewalks throughout downtown Wakefield, making the streets safer for pedestrians. She is also involved in a summer youth program which recently created a two-mile heritage trail that outlines information about the town's historic sites, providing educational and recreational opportunities for all town residents. Lou truly enjoys volunteering and cites the friendly, personable town atmosphere as the true motivation for her efforts.

It is citizens like Lou who make our communities stronger and exemplify what is good about America today. Lou's dedication to making her community a better place to live is commendable. It is truly an honor to serve her in the United States Senate. ●

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:43 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4516) making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes, and agree to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon; and appoints Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. WAMP, Mr. LEWIS of California, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. HOYER, and Mr. OBEY, as the managers of the conference on the part of the House.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-9937. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Automatic rollover of involuntary cash-out" (Rev. Rul. 2000-36) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9938. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule

entitled "Guidance on section 403(b) plans" (Revenue Ruling 2000-35) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9939. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Default rollover of involuntary cash-out" (Rev. Rul. 2000-36) received on July 17, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9940. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Retention of Income Tax Return Preparers' Signatures" (RIN 1545-AW52) received on July 17, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9941. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Telefile Voice Signature Test" (RIN 1545-AR97) received on July 17, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9942. A communication from the Deputy Executive Secretary to the Department, Center for Health Plans and Providers, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program: Medicare and Choice" (RIN 0938-AI29) received on July 12, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9943. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Commission, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 737-600, -700, and -800 Series Airplanes; Docket No. 2000-NM-209" (RIN 2120-AA64 (2000-0376)) received on July 17, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9944. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Commission, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment to Class E Airspace; Oakley, KS; Docket No. 00-ACE-20 [7-147-17]" (RIN 2120-AA66 (2000-0175)) received on July 17, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9945. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments; FM Broadcast Stations Crystal Falls and Republic, Michigan" (MM Docket No. 98-128, RM-9308, RM-9385) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9946. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, DTV Broadcast Stations, Las Vegas, Nevada" (MM Docket No. 99-252, RM-9648) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9947. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of FM Allotments; FM Broadcast Stations Sulphur Bluff, Texas" (MM Docket No. 99-287, RM-9712) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9948. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass

Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, DTV Broadcast Stations, Reno Nevada" (MM Docket No. 99-291, RM-9665) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9949. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Tallulah, Louisiana)" (MM Docket No. 99-348; RM-9765) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9950. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments; FM Broadcast Stations (Hemet, California)" (MM Docket No. 99-349; RM-9766) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9951. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments; FM Broadcast Stations (Simmesport, Louisiana)" (MM Docket No. 99-350; RM-9769) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9952. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments; FM Broadcast Stations (Holbrook, Arizona)" (MM Docket No. 99-351; RM-9785) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9953. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments; FM Broadcast Stations (Mojave, California)" (MM Docket No. 99-353; RM-9787) received on July 14, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9954. A communication from the Associate Managing Director-Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 2000, Report and Order" (MD Docket No. 00-58, FCC 00-240) received on July 13, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9955. A communication from the Assistant Bureau Chief of Management, International Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Report and Order In the Matter of Redesignation of 17.7-19.7 GHz Frequency Band, Blanket Licensing of Satellite Earth Stations in 17.7-20.2 GHz and 27.5-30.0 GHz Frequency Bands, and Allocation of Additional Spectrum in 17.3-17.8 GHz and 24.75-25.25 GHz Frequency Bands for Broadcast Satellite-Service Use" (RIN IB Docket No. 98-172, FCC 00-212) received on July 13, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9956. A communication from the Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau,