

Northup	Roukema	Stump
Norwood	Roybal-Allard	Stupak
Nussle	Royce	Sununu
Oberstar	Rush	Talent
Obey	Ryun	Tanner
Olver	Sabo	Tauscher
Ortiz	Salmon	Tauzin
Owens	Sanchez	Taylor (MS)
Oxley	Sanders	Taylor (NC)
Packard	Sandlin	Thomas
Pallone	Sanford	Thompson
Pappas	Sawyer	Thornberry
Pascrell	Saxton	Thune
Pastor	Scarborough	Thurman
Payne	Schaefer, Dan	Tiahrt
Pease	Schaffer, Bob	Tierney
Pelosi	Schumer	Torres
Peterson (MN)	Scott	Towns
Peterson (PA)	Sensenbrenner	Traficant
Petri	Serrano	Turner
Pickering	Sessions	Upton
Pickett	Shadegg	Velazquez
Pitts	Shaw	Vento
Pombo	Sherman	Visclosky
Pomeroy	Shimkus	Walsh
Porter	Shuster	Wamp
Portman	Sisisky	Waters
Poshard	Skaggs	Watkins
Price (NC)	Skeen	Watt (NC)
Pryce (OH)	Skelton	Watts (OK)
Quinn	Slaughter	Waxman
Radanovich	Smith (MI)	Weldon (FL)
Rahall	Smith (NJ)	Weldon (PA)
Ramstad	Smith (OR)	Weller
Rangel	Smith (TX)	Wexler
Redmond	Smith, Linda	Weygand
Regula	Snowbarger	White
Reyes	Snyder	Whitfield
Riggs	Solomon	Wicker
Riley	Souder	Wise
Rivers	Spence	Wolf
Rodriguez	Spratt	Woolsey
Roemer	Stabenow	Wynn
Rogan	Stark	Yates
Rogers	Stearns	Young (AK)
Rohrabacher	Stenholm	Young (FL)
Ros-Lehtinen	Stokes	
Rothman	Strickland	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

Paul

NOT VOTING—16

Becerra	Hutchinson	Parker
Berman	Inglis	Paxon
Farr	Johnson, Sam	Shays
Gillmor	Lewis (GA)	Smith, Adam
Gonzalez	MEEKS (NY)	
Hilliard	Moakley	

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

156.19 CLERK TO CORRECT ENGROSSMENT

On motion of Mr. GEKAS, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That in the engrossment of the foregoing bill the Clerk be authorized to correct section numbers, cross references, and punctuation, and to make such stylistic, clerical, technical, conforming, and other changes as may be necessary to reflect the actions of the House in amending the bill.

156.20 CONDEMNING THE BRUTAL KILLING OF JAMES M. BYRD, JR.

Mrs. WATERS, by unanimous consent, moved that the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from further consideration of the following resolution (H. Res. 466):

Resolved.

SECTION 1. FINDINGS.

The House of Representatives finds as follows:

(1) Mr. James Byrd, Jr., a 49-year-old disabled African American male from Jasper County, East Texas, was last seen walking home from a niece's bridal shower on June 6, 1998, and allegedly was offered a ride by 3

young white men, who then proceeded to physically and mercilessly beat Mr. Byrd in Jasper, Texas, then chained him to the back of a pickup truck and dragged him until the torso of his body was torn to pieces.

(2) Mr. James Byrd, Jr.'s body was found Sunday, June 7, 1998, on a bumpy, winding country road about 10 miles from his Jasper home, at the end of a trail of blood along a 2-mile stretch of road with his head, neck, and right arm severed.

(3) Mr. Byrd was so brutally disfigured that his head and torso were completely severed, with his head, neck, and right arm found about a mile away, and only finger prints could be used to identify him.

(4) Mr. Lawrence Russell Brewer, 31, of Sulphur Springs, Texas and Mr. Shawn Allen Berry, 23, and Mr. John William King, 23, of Jasper, Texas, all of whom have past criminal records and have served time in prison or were on probation, have been charged with murder and are being held without bail.

(5) The police released an affidavit of probable cause in which Mr. Berry said they had been out drinking and picked up Mr. Byrd as he walked down Martin Luther King Drive in Jasper early Sunday.

(6) Mr. Berry said that he stopped at a convenience store, but Mr. King was angry that he was giving a ride to a black man, so he took over at the steering wheel and drove to a remote area 7 miles outside of town, where they killed Mr. Byrd.

(7) The 3 men were known to be members of various hate groups, including the Ku Klux Klan and the Aryan Brotherhood.

(8) This was not a random act of violence, but a senseless, hate-filled crime.

(9) The Federal Bureau of Investigation also is investigating to see if the 3 could be charged with violating Mr. Byrd's Federal civil rights.

(10) One of the suspects allegedly said that they wanted to "start the Turner Diaries early," referring to a novel about race war that is popular reading among some hate groups and white supremacists.

(11) This incident is reminiscent of the brutal slayings that occurred at the turn of the century and in the 1920s and 1930s, with brutal hangings which brought the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People into existence and contributed to its growth in its early days.

(12) This and similar incidents threaten the peaceful coexistence, security, and foundation of all communities.

SEC. 2. CONDEMNING THE KILLING OF JAMES BYRD, JR.

The House of Representatives—

(1) condemns the actions which occurred in Jasper, Texas as unacceptable and outrageous, to be condemned by all people of all races, creeds, and religions;

(2) pledges to do everything in its power, including holding public hearings, to probe the underlying causes of this brutal killing and to make sure that the United States does not return to the days when such hatred, brutality, violence, hangings, and murder were deemed acceptable;

(3) calls on the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Department of Justice, the White House, and all other Federal law enforcement agencies to conduct an immediate, full, and fair investigation into all of the facts of the case to aggressively respond to this tragedy with indictments, and urges the prosecution proceed aggressively with a fair but speedy trial;

(4) calls upon each Member of Congress and every citizen of the United States, in his or her own way, through his or her church, synagogue, mosque, workplace, or social organization, to join in denouncing and getting others to denounce this outrageous murder of another human being; and

(5) pledges to join in efforts to bring an end to racism and an end to the fear and hatred which underlie it, and to encourage all Americans to dedicate themselves to ending racism and violence in the United States, that the resolution be considered immediately in the House; that debate on the resolution continue not to exceed 20 minutes, equally divided and controlled by the gentlewoman from Kentucky, Mrs. NORTHUP and the gentlewoman from California, Ms. WATERS; and that the previous question be considered as ordered on the resolution to final adoption without intervening motion or demand for division of the question.

Ms. WATERS, by unanimous consent, was authorized to add by the end of the business day the following Members as original cosponsors to the resolution (H. Res. 466) condemning the brutal killing of James M. Byrd, Jr.:

Ms. WATERS, Mrs. NORTHUP, Messrs. CONYERS, CLAY, STOKES, RANGEL, DIXON, OWENS, TOWNES, LEWIS of Georgia, PAYNE, Mrs. NORTON, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Messrs. CLYBURN, HASTINGS of Florida, HILLIARD, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Messrs. RUSH, SCOTT, WATT of North Carolina, WYNN, THOMPSON, FATTAH, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Messrs. DAVIS of Illinois, FORD, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. LEE, Messrs. TURNER, LAMPSON, CONZALEZ, FROST, STENHOLM, HALL of Texas, ORTIZ, EDWARDS, GREEN, BENTSEN, DOGGETT, RODRIGUEZ, HINOJOSA, REYES, SANDLIN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Messrs. BRADY of Pennsylvania, TRAFICANT, McNULTY, WAMP, SHAYS, MENENDEZ, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Messrs. SISISKY, ENGEL, Ms. FURSE, Messrs. MILLER of California, OLVER, Ms. HARMON, Mrs. BONO, Messrs. KING of New York, BACHUS, and POSHARD.

Mrs. NORTHUP, by unanimous consent, was authorized to add the following Members as original cosponsors to the resolution (H. Res. 466) condemning the brutal killing of James M. Byrd, Jr.:

Messrs. GINGRICH, ARMEY, HASTERT, BOEHNER, LINDER, WATTS of Oklahoma, GEPHARDT, BONIOR and FAZIO of California, Ms. DUNN, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio and Mrs. KENNELLY.

When said resolution was considered. During debate,

By unanimous consent, debate on the resolution was extended an additional ten minutes, equally divided and controlled by Messdmes. NORTHUP and WATERS.

After debate,

By unanimous consent and pursuant to the foregoing order of the House, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, announced that the yeas had it.

Ms. WATERS objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 397
Nays 0

¶56.21

[Roll No. 231]
YEAS—397

Abercrombie	DeGette	Istook
Ackerman	Delahunt	Jackson (IL)
Aderholt	DeLauro	Jackson-Lee
Allen	DeLay	(TX)
Andrews	Deutsch	Jefferson
Archer	Diaz-Balart	Jenkins
Army	Dickey	John
Bachus	Dicks	Johnson (CT)
Baessler	Dingell	Johnson (WI)
Baldacci	Dixon	Johnson, E. B.
Balenger	Doggett	Jones
Barcia	Dooley	Kanjorski
Barrett (NE)	Doolittle	Kaptur
Barrett (WI)	Doyle	Kelly
Bartlett	Dreier	Kennedy (RI)
Bass	Duncan	Kennelly
Bateman	Dunn	Kildee
Bentsen	Edwards	Kilpatrick
Bereuter	Ehlers	Kim
Berry	Ehrlich	Kind (WI)
Bilbray	Emerson	King (NY)
Bilirakis	Engel	Kingston
Bishop	English	Kleczka
Blagojevich	Ensign	Klink
Bliley	Eshoo	Klug
Blumenauer	Etheridge	Knollenberg
Blunt	Evans	Kolbe
Boehlert	Ewing	Kucinich
Boehner	Fattah	LaFalce
Bonilla	Fawell	LaHood
Bonior	Fazio	Lampson
Bono	Filner	Lantos
Borski	Foley	Latham
Boswell	Forbes	LaTourette
Boucher	Ford	Lazio
Boyd	Fossella	Leach
Brady (PA)	Fowler	Lee
Brady (TX)	Fox	Levin
Brown (CA)	Frank (MA)	Lewis (CA)
Brown (FL)	Franks (NJ)	Lewis (KY)
Brown (OH)	Frelinghuysen	Linder
Bryant	Frost	Lipinski
Bunning	Furse	Livingston
Burr	Galleghy	LoBiondo
Burton	Ganske	Lofgren
Buyer	Gekas	Lowe
Calvert	Gephardt	Lucas
Camp	Gibbons	Luther
Campbell	Gilchrest	Maloney (CT)
Canady	Gilman	Maloney (NY)
Cannon	Goode	Manton
Capps	Goodlatte	Manzullo
Cardin	Goodling	Markey
Carson	Gordon	Martinez
Castle	Goss	Mascara
Chabot	Graham	Matsui
Chambliss	Granger	McCarthy (MO)
Chenoweth	Green	McCarthy (NY)
Christensen	Greenwood	McCollum
Clay	Gutknecht	McCrery
Clayton	Hall (TX)	McDade
Clement	Hamilton	McDermott
Clyburn	Hansen	McGovern
Coble	Harman	McHale
Coburn	Hastert	McHugh
Collins	Hastings (FL)	McInnis
Combest	Hastings (WA)	McIntosh
Condit	Hayworth	McIntyre
Conyers	Hefley	McKeon
Cook	Herger	McKinney
Costello	Hill	McNulty
Cox	Hilleary	Meek (FL)
Coyne	Hinche	Menendez
Cramer	Hinojosa	Metcalf
Crane	Hobson	Mica
Crapo	Hoekstra	Millender-
Cubin	Holden	McDonald
Cummings	Hooley	Miller (CA)
Cunningham	Horn	Miller (FL)
Danner	Hostettler	Minge
Davis (FL)	Hoyer	Mink
Davis (IL)	Hulshof	Mollohan
Davis (VA)	Hunter	Moran (KS)
Deal	Hutchinson	Moran (VA)
DeFazio	Hyde	Morella

Myrick	Roemer	Stenholm
Nadler	Rogan	Stokes
Neal	Rogers	Strickland
Nethercutt	Rohrabacher	Stump
Neumann	Ros-Lehtinen	Stupak
Ney	Rothman	Sununu
Northup	Roybal-Allard	Talent
Norwood	Royce	Tanner
Nussle	Rush	Tauscher
Oberstar	Ryun	Tauzin
Obey	Sabo	Taylor (MS)
Olver	Salmon	Taylor (NC)
Ortiz	Sanchez	Thomas
Owens	Sanders	Thompson
Oxley	Sandlin	Thornberry
Packard	Sanford	Thune
Pallone	Sawyer	Thurman
Pappas	Saxton	Tiahrt
Pascarell	Scarborough	Tierney
Pastor	Schaefer, Dan	Torres
Paul	Schaffer, Bob	Towns
Payne	Scott	Trafficant
Pease	Sensenbrenner	Turner
Pelosi	Serrano	Upton
Peterson (MN)	Sessions	Velazquez
Peterson (PA)	Shadegg	Vento
Petri	Sherman	Visclosky
Pickering	Shimkus	Walsh
Pickett	Shuster	Wamp
Pitts	Sisisky	Waters
Pombo	Skaggs	Watkins
Pomeroy	Skeen	Watt (NC)
Porter	Skelton	Watts (OK)
Portman	Slaughter	Weldon (FL)
Poshard	Smith (MI)	Weldon (PA)
Price (NC)	Smith (NJ)	Weller
Pryce (OH)	Smith (OR)	Wexler
Quinn	Smith (TX)	Weygand
Radanovich	Smith, Linda	White
Rahall	Snowbarger	Whitfield
Ramstad	Snyder	Wicker
Rangel	Solomon	Wise
Redmond	Souder	Wolf
Regula	Spence	Woolsey
Reyes	Spratt	Wynn
Riley	Stabenow	Yates
Rivers	Stark	Young (AK)
Rodriguez	Stearns	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—36

Baker	Gutierrez	Meeks (NY)
Barr	Hall (OH)	Moakley
Barton	Hefner	Murtha
Becerra	Hilliard	Parker
Berman	Houghton	Paxon
Callahan	Inglis	Riggs
Cooksey	Johnson, Sam	Roukema
Everett	Kasich	Schumer
Farr	Kennedy (MA)	Shaw
Gejdenson	Largent	Shays
Gillmor	Lewis (GA)	Smith, Adam
Gonzalez	Meehan	Waxman

So the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶56.22 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. HASTERT, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Monday, June 15, 1998 at 12 o'clock noon.

¶56.23 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. HASTERT, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 16, 1998, for "morning-hour debate."

¶56.24 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. HASTERT, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, June 17, 1998, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the

Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

¶56.25 SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 1364. An Act to eliminate unnecessary and wasteful Federal reports; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

¶56.26 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 423. An Act to extend the legislative authority for the Board of Regents of Gunston Hall to establish a memorial to honor George Mason.

¶56.27 BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on this day present to the President, for his approval, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 2709. An Act to impose certain sanctions on foreign persons who transfer items contributing to Iran's efforts to acquire, develop, or produce ballistic missiles, and to implement the obligations of the United States under the Chemical Weapons Convention.

¶56.28 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. SHAYS, for after 12:30 p.m. today.

And then,

¶56.29 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. PEASE, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to at 6 o'clock and 50 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 15, 1998.

¶56.30 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. GILMAN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. METCALF, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. MCINTOSH, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. UPTON):

H.R. 4035. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and title 10, United States Code, with respect to the administration to members of the Armed Forces of certain drugs without the informed consent of the members; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on National Security, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. GILMAN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. METCALF, Mr.