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Washington D.C. --- Congressman Harold T (Bizz) Johnson, Chairman, Committee on Public Works and Transportation, U.S. House of Representatives, commended Congressman Nick J. Rahall (D-W. Va.), today for his work on the Committee.

Chairman Johnson stated, "I want to recognize the outstanding contributions of Congressman Rahall to the Committee during the first three months of this session. Although Congressman Rahall is a first-term Member of Congress, he has performed vigorously and conscientiously on all matters before the Committee."

Chairman Johnson applauded Congressman Rahall's active participation in Subcommittee and Committee hearings and in the drafting of several important pieces of legislation which have been reported from the Committee and sent to the House floor. Included are the Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Act of 1977 (Jobs Bill), reduced Air Fare for the elderly and handicapped, and Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments.

The California Congressman noted, "I am very impressed with Congressman Rahall's work, and I look forward to his leadership and full participation in the months ahead. He has already shown he is going to be a great asset to the Committee and to the House of Representatives."