

TAPE FOR WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1

THIS IS YOUR CONGRESSMAN NICK RAHALL.

THIS WEEK, WE OBSERVE LABOR DAY, A DAY IN WHICH WE SHOULD ALL REFLECT UPON THE ROLE OF THE AMERICAN WORKER, AND THANK THE WORKING MEN AND WOMEN OF AMERICA FOR MAKING THIS COUNTRY WHAT IT IS TODAY -- THE GREATEST NATION IN THE WORLD.

AMERICA IS STRONG BECAUSE OF OUR WORKERS, AND THE WORK ETHIC WHICH WAS INSTILLED INTO US BY OUR PARENTS AND THE GENERATIONS BEFORE THEM. IT WAS THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION WHICH CATAPULTED THIS NATION TO HEIGHTS NEVER BEFORE REACHED. IT HAS BEEN THE AMERICAN WORKER PRODUCING GOODS, THE FINEST IN THE WORLD, BEARING THE WORDS "MADE IN THE U.S.A." WE HAVE SHOWN THE REST OF THE WORLD WHAT CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED THROUGH GOOD, OLD AMERICAN KNOW-HOW.

THIS LABOR DAY, PLEASE JOIN ME IN SALUTING THE AMERICAN WORKER -- THE BACKBONE OF OUR COUNTRY, AND OUR BRIGHTEST HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.

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