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RAHALL NOMINATES WYOMING STUDENTS TO SERVICE ACADEMIES

Beckley, W.Va. - U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D-W.Va.) has nominated two Wyoming County students to the U.S. Service Academies. Jerry Hill of Pineville was nominated to the U.S. Naval Academy and Frederick Hatfield of Marianna was nominated to the Air Force and Merchant Marine Academies. Both are now eligible to apply for admission to those academies.

"Only a select few of our nation's students are given the opportunity to apply for admission to our four military academies," Rahall stated. "Jerry and Frederick have, through their hard work and dedication, shown the characteristics that could enable them to succeed at the Naval Academy, the Air Force Academy or the Merchant Marine Academy. They could certainly provide leadership for our nation well into the 21st century."