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MEDIA ALERT

The following are the scheduled events for U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall for the week of April 20 - April 24:

Monday, April 20

11:00 am -- attend the flag raising ceremony and reception at the Beckley Housing Authority (100 Beckwood Drive in Beckley).

12:00 noon -- speak at the ribbon cutting ceremony for Beckley Appalachian Regional Hospital's new Behavioral Health Science Center (306 Stanaford Road in Beckley).

1:00 - 3:00 pm -- Rep. Rahall will be holding open office hours in his Beckley District office. Anyone having a problem or who needs advice concerning the federal government is invited to meet with the Congressman.

6:45 pm -- speak to the United Methodist Men at the United Methodist Church on 4th Street in Beaver, West Virginia (turn right off of 19-21 onto Blue Jay Drive).

Tuesday, April 21

11:30 am -- press conference with Cecil Roberts, Vice President of the UMWA, on the continuing effort to finance retired coal miner health benefits.

1:30 pm -- tour Ashland Coal's Dal-Tex operation near Sharples, West Virginia.

4:30 pm -- receive "Nam Prints" from West Virginia Vietnam Veterans Association (presentation will take place at Congressman Rahall's Huntington District Office - 815 Fifth Avenue, Huntington).

7:00 pm -- Speak at the town meeting sponsored by the Huntington Chamber of Commerce to announce formation of an airport committee on the regional airport study (Radisson Hotel in Huntington).

Wednesday, April 22

9:00 am -- speak to the students at the Summers County Career Center Adult "Transitions" Class (meeting will be held in the conference room of the Career Center in Hinton, West Virginia).

10:30 am -- drop by the Summers County visitor's center on Temple Street in Hinton, West Virginia.

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1:00 pm -- press conference with local public officials on the designation of a portion of the New River as a Wild and Scenic River (press conference will take place on the bank of the New River at Shanklins Ferry campground in Summers County).

6:30 pm -- speak at the dinner meeting of the Greenbrier County Planning Commission on highway projects and other public works projects designed to benefit Greenbrier County (meeting will be held at the Western Sizzlin Steak House in Lewisburg, West Virginia).

Thursday, April 23

9:30 am -- stop-by visit and lunch at Concord College in Athens, West Virginia.

7:00 pm -- attend the Hawaiian Luau put on by the West Virginia PTA at the Beckley Hylton Hotel in Beckley, West Virginia.

Friday, April 24

4:00 pm -- speak at the grand opening of the Itmann Homeless Shelter in Itmann, West Virginia (shelter is located in the Old Company Store across from the Itmann Senior Citizens Center).

7:30 pm -- attend the "WVU Salute to Buck Harless" in the Lowell Phipps Auditorium at Gilbert High School in Gilbert, West Virginia.