

HCONRES 283

Honoring the commitment of the individuals participating in the Free Our People March and Rally.

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 23, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 16, 2003)

Honors: (1) the 200 activists marching from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Washington, D.C., in the Free Our People March; and (2) the 20,000 supporters of the marchers for actively participating in change in Medicaid to more effectively meet the needs of people with disabilities.

Commends: (1) ADAPT (a national grassroots disability rights group, which organized the March) for bringing people together for 20 years to work for equal opportunity and rights for individuals with disabilities; and (2) the nonprofit organizations and churches that assisted in the March by providing food and shelter.

Actions Timeline

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