

Week of May 5th-May 9th, 2008

Cosponsored Legislation:

Budget/Tax

H.R. 1264; To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the dollar limitation on contributions to funeral trusts.

- This legislation would allow funeral directors to manage the taxes for funeral and burial trusts.

H.J. Res. 81, Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to control spending.

- This constitutional amendment would limit federal spending each year to the growth of the economy (nominal GDP), using 2007 as the baseline. Consequently, federal spending would be capped at 20% of GDP. The limit would be waived for any year that a declaration of war is in effect or by a two-thirds vote of Congress.

Energy

H.R. 3089 - No More Excuses Energy Act of 2007

- This legislation will work to increase our Domestic Supply of All Kinds of Energy, including: Expand Drilling for Oil and Gas, Encourage New Refineries, Broaden Nuclear Power, Boost Alternative Energy and Increase Recovery with CO2.