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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION

Last Day: October 19

October 13, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT
FROM: JIM CANNON *Jim Cannon*
SUBJECT: S. 999 - J. Allen Frear Building

*Posted
10/15/76*

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Attached for your consideration is S. 999, sponsored by Senator Biden.

The enrolled bill would designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Delaware, as the "J. Allen Frear Building".

Additional information is provided in OMB's enrolled bill report at Tab A.

OMB, Max Friedersdorf, Counsel's Office (Kilberg) and I recommend approval of the enrolled bill.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign S. 999 at Tab B.



OCT 14 1976



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

OCT 11 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Subject: Enrolled Bill S. 999 - J. Allen Frear Building
Sponsor - Sen. Roth (R) Delaware and
Sen. Biden (D) Delaware

Last Day for Action

October 19, 1976 - Tuesday

Purpose

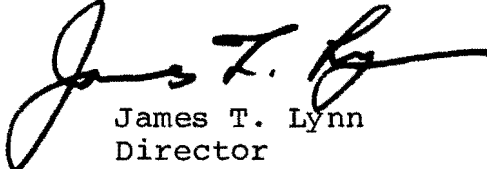
Provides for naming a Federal building after former Senator J. Allen Frear.

Agency Recommendations

Office of Management and Budget	Approval
General Services Administration	No objection

Discussion

The enrolled bill would designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Delaware, as the "J. Allen Frear Building". J. Allen Frear served as United States Senator from the State of Delaware for two terms; he was first elected to the Senate in 1948 and re-elected in 1954.


James T. Lynn
Director

Enclosures

THE WHITE HOUSE

ACTION MEMORANDUM

WASHINGTON

LOG NO.: 19

Date: October 11

Time: 1000pm

FOR ACTION: Max Friedersdorf *ok* cc (for information): Jack Marsh
Lynn May *ok* EdmSchmults
Bobbie Kilberg *ok* Steve McConahey *ok*

FROM THE STAFF SECRETARY

DUE: Date: October 13

Time: 500pm

SUBJECT:

S.999-J.Allen Frear Bldg.

ACTION REQUESTED:

- For Necessary Action
- For Your Recommendations
- Prepare Agenda and Brief
- Draft Reply
- For Your Comments
- Draft Remarks

REMARKS:

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K. R. COLE, JR.
For the President

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20405



October 7, 1976

Honorable James T. Lynn
Director, Office of
Management and Budget
Washington, DC 20503

Dear Mr. Lynn:

By letter of October 6, 1976, you requested the views of the General Services Administration (GSA) on enrolled bill S. 999, "To designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Delaware, as the 'J. Allen Frear Building'."

GSA has completed its review of this bill and offers no objection to presidential approval.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Terry Chambers". The signature is fluid and cursive.

TERRY CHAMBERS
Deputy Administrator

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oppose to May 10/12/76

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James M. Cannon

for the President

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*Recommend
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Mey*

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James W. Gardner
Staff Secretary

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recommended approval*

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J. ALLEN FREAR BUILDING

SEPTEMBER 16, 1976.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. JONES of Alabama, from the Committee on Public Works and Transportation, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 4847]

The Committee on Public Works and Transportation, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 4847) to designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Delaware, as the "J. Allen Frear Building", having considered the same, report favorably thereon without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass.

The former Senator J. Allen Frear was born on March 7, 1903, and dedicated his public career to serving both his community and his country. He served his community as a Commissioner of Delaware State College, was a Member of the Delaware Old Age Welfare Commission, was Director and then Chairman of the Board of the Federal Land Bank Board in Baltimore, was Director of Farmers Bank of Dover and Baltimore Trust Company of Camden, Delaware, and was President of Kent General Hospital in Dover. During World War II, Allen Frear achieved the rank of Major in the Army, with overseas service in the European Theater of Operations with the military government. His interest in national affairs resulted in his being chosen a delegate to three Democratic National Conventions.

Allen Frear was elected to the United States Senate in 1948 and was re-elected in 1954. Senator Frear contributed to the course of government and nation by serving on the Banking and Currency Committee, the Senate Finance Committee, the Joint Committee on Defense Production and the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation. After his service in the Senate, he was appointed to the Securities and Exchange Commission in 1961, from which he resigned in 1963. He was appointed to the office of Vice President of Wilmington Trust Company in Delaware.

COSTS OF THE LEGISLATION

Clause 7(a) of rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives requires a statement of the estimated cost to the United States

which would be incurred in carrying out H.R. 4847, as reported. There would be no costs resulting from enactment of H.R. 4847, as reported.

VOTE

The committee ordered the bill reported by voice vote.

COMPLIANCE WITH CLAUSE 2(1) OF RULE XI OF THE RULES OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

(1) With reference to clause 2(1)(3)(A) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, no separate hearings were held on the subject matter of this legislation by the Subcommittee on Investigations and Review. However, the Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held hearings on this subject matter which resulted in the reported bill.

(2) With respect to clause 2(1)(3)(B) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives the bill, as reported, does not provide new budget authority or increased tax expenditures. Accordingly, a statement pursuant to section 308(a) of the Congressional Budget Act is not required.

(3) With reference to clause 2(1)(3)(C) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the committee has not received an estimate and comparison prepared by the Director of the Congressional Budget Office under section 403 of the Congressional Budget Act.

(4) With reference to clause 2(1)(3)(D) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the Committee has not received a report for the Committee on Government Operations pertaining to this subject matter.

(5) With reference to clause 2(1)(4) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, H.R. 4847, as reported, will not affect prices and costs since it does not authorize additional funds. Therefore, H.R. 4847, as reported, would not have an inflationary impact on the national economy.

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“J. ALLEN FREAR BUILDING”

NOVEMBER 20 (legislative day, NOVEMBER 18), 1975.—Ordered to be printed

MR. RANDOLPH, from the Committee on Public Works,
 submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. 999]

The Committee on Public Works, to which was referred the bill (S. 999) to designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Delaware, as the “J. Allen Frear Building,” having considered the same, reports favorably thereon without amendment and recommends that the bill do pass.

GENERAL STATEMENT

J. Allen Frear was born on a farm near Rising Sun, Delaware, on March 7, 1903. Following graduation from the University of Delaware in 1924, he entered the retail business in Dover, Delaware. He became quite active in local affairs, serving as a Commissioner of both Delaware State College and the Delaware Old-Age Welfare Commission and as president of Kent General Hospital.

During the Second World War, Senator Frear served in Europe, attaining the rank of major in the Army. Following his return to civilian life, he was elected to the United States Senate in 1948 and re-elected in 1954. During most of his Senate career, he served on both the Finance and the Banking Committees. His extensive knowledge of financial matters thrust him into a leadership position in developing tax reform and housing legislation.

Senator Frear’s great love for his home State also led him to initiate a number of programs to benefit Delaware. He was instrumental in the revival of Dover Air Force Base, as well as the authorization of a number of major public works projects. Upon leaving the Senate, Senator Frear was appointed to the Securities and Exchange Commission, where he served until retirement.

COMMITTEE VIEWS

The Committee believes it would be most appropriate to name the new Federal Building in Dover the "J. Allen Frear Building", as a tribute to this distinguished former United States Senator.

COST OF LEGISLATION

Section 252(a)(1) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1970 requires publication in this report of the Committee's estimate of the cost of reported legislation, together with estimates prepared by any Federal agency. There is no cost to the Federal Government as a result of this legislation.

ROLLCALL VOTES

Section 133 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1970 and the rules of the Committee on Public Works require that any rollcall votes be announced in this report. During the Committee's consideration of this bill no rollcall votes were taken. The measure was unanimously ordered reported.

CHANGES OF EXISTING LAW

In compliance with subsection 4 of the rule XXIX of the Standing Rules of the Senate, it is reported that this bill effects no change in existing law.



Ninety-fourth Congress of the United States of America

AT THE SECOND SESSION

*Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the nineteenth day of January,
one thousand nine hundred and seventy-six*

An Act

To designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Delaware, as the
"J. Allen Frear Building".

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Federal
office building located in Dover, Delaware, is designated as the
"J. Allen Frear Building", in honor of Senator J. Allen Frear.*

SEC. 2. Any reference to such building in any law, rule, document,
map, or other record of the United States is deemed to be a reference
to such building by the name designated for such building by the
first section of this Act.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

*Vice President of the United States and
President of the Senate.*