

## **MEMO**

**DATE:** March 21, 2012

**TO:** All House Members

**FROM:** Representative Dante Santoni, Jr.  
Representative Jim Cox

**SUBJECT:** Resolution Recognizing the IM ABLE Foundation and its founder,  
Mr. Chris Kaag

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In the near future, Representative Cox and I will be introducing a resolution recognizing the IM ABLE Foundation and its founder, Mr. Chris Kaag for encouraging people with disabilities to live more active lifestyles.

Mr. Kaag was an active 21 year old Marine when he was diagnosed with AMN (adrenomyeloneuropathy), which eventually affected his ability to walk. After his diagnosis he decided not let this condition stand in the way of his progress. His enthusiasm and drive that he conveys through his foundation is admirable. The overall goal of the IM ABLE Foundation is to help all individuals, disabled and able-bodied, to redefine the way they view their own personal challenges. The Foundations commitment to helping people realize their potential to go further and push harder than their preconceived limits, allows them to realize their potential.

Please contact Deb Oswalt at [doswalt@pahouse.net](mailto:doswalt@pahouse.net), if you would like to join Representative Cox and me in honoring this outstanding young man and his foundation.