

Dr. Burgess Weekly Address September 1, 2018

Supporting American Workers

Hello, this is your Congressman Michael Burgess.

This week, Americans around the country are preparing to reflect and celebrate the value of work. Each year, Labor Day is an opportunity to consider how American workers are contributing to the advancement of our economy while creating a strong foundation for themselves and their families.

Over the last year, we have seen how the continued growth in our economy has fostered a healthy workforce. More Americans are working and keeping a greater portion of their hard-earned money. Thanks to tax reform, American business leaders are investing additional resources into growing their businesses.

This is all good news for American families.

Despite these improvements – including record low unemployment – I am committed to working to facilitate increased wages that match American jobs.

When we invest in the economy and experience economic growth, wages should increase as well. At my town halls earlier this summer, I heard from many of you about this concern. As your Congressman, I am dedicated to promoting growth to help North Texans and Americans around the country thrive.

Our goal must always be to build American jobs, for American workers, at American wages.

As you prepare for the weekend ahead, I wish you and your family a safe Labor Day.

As always, I appreciate your comments and your questions on this issue or any other issue. May God bless you and your family, God bless American workers, and as the song says, God bless you Texas.