



Greg Gianforte
Congress of the United States
Montana

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Friends,

I am proud to have the honor of recognizing the USS Billings Commissioning Committee for its work in support of one of the Navy's newest Littoral Combat Ships. When she is commissioned by the U.S. Navy, the USS Billings will make our state proud, and many of our citizens will lend their support as the commissioning proceeds.

Montana has many Navy veterans and active duty service members. We as a state are incredibly proud of their service to our country. Having this warship with Montana's largest city as its namesake travel the globe will be a huge sense of pride for our state.

For those who sail aboard the USS Billings in the future, know you have the support of Big Sky Country. On behalf of all Montanans, we thank you for your bravery and service in defense of our country.

Thank you, again, for the work you have done in support of the commissioning the USS Billings. Know that my door is always open, please contact me or my staff for anything. I am here to serve.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Greg Gianforte", written in a cursive style.

Member of Congress