

# ONE-MINUTE LEADER BOARD

DELIVERING A GOP MESSAGE IN SIXTY SECONDS OR LESS

## GOLD MINUTEMEN

	Virginia Foxx, NC	(35)
	Ted Poe, TX	(35)
	Joe Wilson, SC	(30)
	Marsha Blackburn, TN	(27)
	Ric Keller, FL	(25)
	Phil Gingrey, GA	(20)
	Joe Pitts, PA	(18)
	Tom Price, GA	(18)
	Mike Pence, IN	(14)
	Patrick McHenry, NC	(10)
	Candice Miller, MI	(9)
	Ileana Ros-Lehtinen, FL	(9)
	Ginny Brown-Waite, FL	(8)
	Sue Kelly, NY	(7)
	Cliff Stearns, FL	(7)
	Mark Foley, FL	(7)

## SILVER MINUTEMEN

	Shelley Moore Capito, WV	(5)
	Mark Kennedy, MN	(5)
	J. Gresham Barrett, SC	(5)
	Tim Murphy, PA	(4)
	John Shimkus, IL	(4)

**3 Each:** Jack Kingston, GA; Mike Burgess, TX; Steve Chabot, OH; Sam Johnson, TX; Thaddeus McCotter, MI; Jerry Weller, IL; Virgil Goode, VA; Tom Osborne, NE

## BRONZE MINUTEMEN

**2 Each:** Mike Conaway, TX; Robin Hayes, NC; John Carter, TX; Deborah Pryce, OH; Thelma Drake, VA; Melissa Hart, PA; David Dreier, CA; Sue Myrick, NC; Jon Porter, NV; Frank Wolf, VA; Eric Cantor, VA; Louie Gohmert, TX

# The Weekly Theme Teamer

JACK KINGSTON, CHAIRMAN

A VERY SPECIAL THEME TEAM

## TOM DELAY

THEME TEAM DISCUSSION  
Thursday, 9 AM, H-236

MEMBER PROFILE:

Tom  
DeLay



### Working For America:

Late last week, the Commerce Department reported that real GDP growth for the first quarter was revised UP from 4.8 percent to 5.3 percent – the fastest growth in two-and-half years. Republicans continued to keep this economic boom moving with passage of The American-Made Energy and Good Jobs Act. This bill will increase energy security and independence, safeguard our economy and create new American jobs. With 201 of their members voting against it, the Democrats demonstrated once again that they really are the “Party of No.”



## Statesman Spotlight Tom DeLay

**The “Hammer” Has A Big Heart.** Tom and his wife Christine have been involved in children’s issues since 1994, when Christine DeLay, a teacher, became a trained Court

Appointed Special Advocate. Since then, the DeLay’s have been foster parents and have dedicated themselves to improving the plight of abused children through the development of **Rio Bend**, a unique community to provide a permanent, safe home for abused and neglected children.

### Just Point, Aim, And Shoot, Right?

Tom and his brothers used to serve as hunting guides for some of their father’s clients. On one of these trips, a hunter in the group got turned around just about the time Tom flushed out some quail. As luck would have it, the hunter fired two rounds of a 20-gauge shotgun into Tom’s face. **And** most boys think acne is bad for the

complexion: Try spending an afternoon picking quail shot out of your face.

**Some Of Tom’s Best Friend(s).** Tom has three dogs: two Bichon Frise, Baily and Taylor respectively, and one mini Dachshund, Scooter.

### What Is Tom Listening To?

Tom’s favorite music is jazz—but talk radio is music to his ears...



## Messenger Of The Week Virginia Foxx



*“Democrats unveiled their national security agenda recently with much fanfare. High on their agenda was improving border security. So how can Democrats improve border security? Here are some suggestions. First, you get a border security bill that addresses the hiring of illegal immigrants and gaining control of our borders. Second, you can have a bill that completes the mission of the 9/11*

*Commission recommendations by implementing common-sense reforms in order to better protect our homeland. Mr. Speaker, I guess the Democrats left improving border security on their list because they didn’t vote for either bill. But I say they should check it off. House Republicans have already accomplished it.”*

*[Rep. Virginia Foxx On Border Security 05/23/2006]*

## Ronald Reagan Award Winners

Congrats to the latest Ronald Reagan Award Winners!



- ★ Dennis Hastert
- ★ John Boehner
- ★ Virginia Foxx
- ★ Melissa Hart
- ★ Thelma Drake
- ★ Gresham Barrett