

**(WASHINGTON)** – The U.S. Chamber of Commerce presented Congressman Coffman of Colorado with the annual Spirit of Enterprise Award for his support of pro-jobs, pro-growth policies during the first session of the 112th Congress on March 29.

“Over the past year, Congressman Coffman has worked to protect and advance the interests of America’s job creators,” said Thomas J. Donohue, president and CEO of the U.S. Chamber. “By supporting pro-growth policies, Congressman Coffman is helping unleash the power of free enterprise to put our economy back on track and put Americans back to work.”

The Chamber’s prestigious Spirit of Enterprise Award, in its 24th year, is given annually to members of Congress based on key business issues outlined in the Chamber publication *How They Voted*. Members who support the chamber’s position on at least 70 percent of those votes qualify to receive the award.

According to the scorecard, Coffman maintained a 94 percent rating with the chamber this year and collectively holds an 85 percent ranking during his tenure in Congress.

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