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## **Democrats Agree to Adjourn, Fail to Act on Energy *Shuster Opposes Do-Nothing Congress' Recess Resolution***

*Washington, D.C.* – Today, **Congressman Bill Shuster** voted against a resolution that would adjourn the House of Representatives for its annual August recess. The resolution passed without any Republican support. Shuster released the following statement after the vote:

“Congress shouldn’t skip town for more than a month while the American people are struggling with high gas prices.

If the American people are fed up with prices at the pump they should be just as fed up with this Congress that has done nothing to lower gas prices or produce even a drop of new American-made energy.

Polls continue to show that the American people support proposals like my ‘Energy Independence Act’ that take a comprehensive approach to solving our energy problems through exploration, innovation, and conservation.

Instead of focusing her attention on saving the planet, Speaker Pelosi should do something to help Americans first by scheduling a vote on American-made energy.”

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