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Inductee #20

Curt Weldon

Congressman

Delaware County, Pennsylvania

Born: July 22, 1947



Curt Weldon served in the U.S. House of Representatives from the 7th District of Pennsylvania from 1987 until 2007. He founded the Congressional Fire Service Caucus in 1987, and consistently fought for increased funding for firefighters. He was the author of a bill that implemented a federal grant program for local fire departments¹ that evolved into the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program. He fought for mandatory safety sprinklers in college dormitories and training of fire departments to deal with terrorism incidents involving chemical and biological weapons.