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To the Tempered Steel staff and volunteers:

It is my pleasure to give my full support and gratitude to Tempered Steel. This organization provides a forum in which the men and women that have fought for our freedoms can use their experience to improve the lives of others. There are no words to convey the gratitude and compassion my fellow Americans and I feel for our troops. They have faced events beyond our imagination. Their sacrifice is an example that inspires us every day and it is evident through the mission of Tempered Steel.

I also extend my appreciation to Tempered Steel's co-founders, Ret. Army Sgt. Scott Stephenson and Luana Schneider. In the last four years Tempered Steel has touched numerous lives within our community. They have brought myself and others to a deeper understanding, respect, and admiration for what goes on beyond our nation's borders. I am encouraged by the work of Tempered Steel's Wounded Warriors, along with the staff and supporters, that have made this organization successful

I am honored to give my support to "A Night to Honor Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans." It is my hope that through non-profit organizations, such as Tempered Steel, America will remain strong and united. Once again, I want to say thank-you all, for proudly serving our great country, both at home and abroad.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Howard P. 'Buck' McKeon".

Howard P. "Buck" McKeon  
Member of Congress