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Washington, D.C. – Congressman Jerry McNerney (CA-11) today announced that his office is accepting applications for the fall 2010 Congressional Page program. The Congressional Page program provides high school juniors the opportunity to work for the U.S. House of Representatives while attending school and living in Washington, D.C.

Members of Congress are chosen on a rotating basis to sponsor a student from their district to participate in the Congressional Page program. Congressman McNerney will nominate one student from the 11th Congressional District to participate in the program this fall.

The Congressional Page program is open to all students entering their junior year of high school who reside in the 11th Congressional District. Additional requirements for the program include:

- Must be at least 16 years old but no older than 17 by September 6, 2010
- Minimum 3.0 GPA in English, math, science, social studies, and foreign language

The application is due by Wednesday, July 21, 2010 and can be submitted at either of Congressman McNerney's district offices. Interviews will take place on Saturday, July 24, 2010 for all applicants. To obtain a copy of the application, or for more information about the program, contact Rep. McNerney's Pleasanton office at 925-737-0727.