Dear Friends,

Thank you so much for the invitation to tonight’s Workers’ Memorial Day commemoration. Please accept my apologies that I could not be with you, but know that my thoughts are with you as you honor the countless contributions of New Hampshire’s workers to our state.

On Workers’ Memorial Day, we stop to remember the men and women who have been injured and even killed because of accidents and dangerous conditions at the workplace. Across New Hampshire, at least two people lost their lives on the job last year, and many more were injured. These terrible occurrences should never happen, and we must continue fighting to make workplaces safe for all Granite Staters and all Americans. That’s what makes the work of the New Hampshire Coalition for Occupational Safety and Health so essential. Thank you for your leadership and advocacy on issues of workplace safety.

Our country was built on a strong middle class, and I believe that Congress must support the millions of workers that drive our economy forward. I am dedicated to bolstering workplace responsibility and economic opportunity that creates jobs for Granite Staters and helps keep workers out of harm’s way. As long as I am in Congress, I will continue to work with my colleagues on both sides of the aisle to find a balanced, bipartisan approach to reducing the number of unemployed workers and improving safety standards in the workplace.

On behalf of my constituents all across New Hampshire’s Second Congressional District, I want to thank the Coalition for Occupational Safety and Health and workers all across our state for all you do to keep our workplaces safe. Please know that I am committed to working with you to preserve the public welfare and protect our workers. I look forward to our continued work together. Thank you again for all that you do to make our state a safer place to live and work.

Sincerely,

Ann McLane Kuster
Member of Congress