

WASHINGTON □ On the eve of the 35th Earth Day, Congressman John W. Olver (D-1st District) joined

Olver said, "America has made great progress on protecting the environment during the last three decades.

Olver added, "As a scientist, I personally believe that global warming is the most critical environmental

Global warming is caused mainly by carbon dioxide emitted from the burning of fossil fuels, according to

In the 109th Congress, Olver has introduced the Climate Stewardship Act, a bipartisan bill to fight global

Today, the House is expected to pass an energy bill (H.R. 6) wrought with serious environmental problems.

The energy bill allows more drilling on more public lands at taxpayer expense and lessens environmental

"It is ironic that on the day before the nation celebrates the 35th Earth Day, the House is poised to pass

During a time of record oil prices and industry profits, the energy bill also repeals consumer protection

"The energy bill does little to promote renewable energy or efficiency measures that could help lead the

Olver added, "Earth Day is a reminder of our collective responsibility to protect and preserve our environment.

Olver co-chairs the Climate Change Caucus, a clearinghouse for information and a forum to build support

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