

March 17, 2009 - Murtha: "Dan Rooney will make an Outstanding Ambassador"

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Congressman

John P. Murtha (PA-12) released the following statement today following

President Obama's nomination of Dan Rooney to be the U.S. Ambassador to Ireland:

"President Obama couldn't have made a more appropriate selection in nominating Dan Rooney to be the new U.S. Ambassador to Ireland. His work and determination to bringing lasting peace to Ireland has been inspirational. Dan is a real hometown hero who has never forgotten his roots. He will make an outstanding Ambassador and will be a fine representative of the American people."

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