Washington, DC- Congressman Steve King released the following statement to honor the anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor:

"As I reflect on the ultimate sacrifice that was made by more than 2,400 service Americans on this day seventy years ago, I am reminded of the magnitude of the American spirit," King said. "The loss of life was tragic, yet the country stood strong in in the face of tyranny. As the son of a World War II Veteran, I have the utmost respect for the valor and strength it takes to defend liberty. In my duties in Congress I have had the opportunity to meet the brave men and women who fight to keep us safe, just as my father did in the Pacific during World War II. On this anniversary, every American should take the opportunity to not just reflect upon the attack on Pearl Harbor but also to consider the principles of American exceptionalism that set our nation apart. We are a nation founded on liberty and we must continue to both stand strong against our enemies as well as set the example for freedom around the world."

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