Mr.

Speaker, as a fighter pilot who flew 62

combat missions in Korea against aggression

in the fifties, Americans need

to know that just as North Korea prepares

to launch a missile aimed at

American citizens in Hawaii, the

Democrats slashed 19 missile interceptors

from the Defense Department

budget that we are voting on today.

The President’s failure to sternly address

North Korea’s provocative threat

is extremely troubling. Added to the

fact that the Democrats are cutting

missile interceptors, I’m very, very

concerned for the future of this country,

the safety of our Nation, and the

security of our homeland.

The President comes across as lacking

resolve. The Democrats in Congress

look weak, and that is not a good place

for America to be in. Wake up, America.