

# Wayne Allard

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## **ALLARD RECEIVES “TAXPAYERS’ FRIEND AWARD”**

Washington, D.C. — U.S. Sen. Wayne Allard (R-CO) has received the “Taxpayers’ Friend Award” from the Nation Taxpayers Union (NTU) for his voting record to reduce the size of the federal government and its burden on taxpayers.

“While many members of Congress talk about reducing the size of government, Sen. Allard backed up those words with votes,” said John Berthoud, President of NTU. “This award proves that he is a consistent and effective ally in our battle to restore fiscal responsibility to Washington.”

The NTU annual rating takes into account every roll call vote affecting federal spending. In the Senate there were 137 votes selected for 1998. Allard was given ‘A’ grade for his voting record. His 74% rating placed him in the top five in the U.S. Senate.

“I am committed to reducing the size of government and reducing the enormous tax burden on the American people,” Allard said. “It is a great honor to once again receive this award.”