



CITIZENS COINAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

801 9TH STREET, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20220

February 24, 2026

The Honorable Scott Bessent
Secretary of the Treasury
Department of the Treasury
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20220

Dear Mister Secretary:

The Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee (CCAC) held a public meeting on February 24, 2026, during which the CCAC reviewed the candidate designs for the Billie Jean King Congressional Gold Medal.

At our public meeting, the CCAC was joined by Billie Jean King and Marjorie Gantman, Managing Director of Billie Jean King Enterprises. The CCAC was presented with one obverse and reverse, which were the strong preferences of Billie Jean King. She took time to explain to the CCAC why she felt strongly about these designs and the story they told. There was a discussion between the CCAC Members and Billie Jean King about whether her signature on the reverse, paired with the inscription from the Act of Congress, was confusing. It was decided that this pairing was appropriate, and the CCAC voted by voice vote to recommend the designs.

It was my honor for this meeting to serve as the Acting Chair of the CCAC.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Donald Scarinci", is written over a faint, larger version of the same signature.

Donald Scarinci
Acting Chairperson
Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee