Congressman Pence has announced that he will be traveling to Afghanistan next month to visit with Afghan President Hamid Karzai, review military operations and evaluate progress in the war on terror.

Pence also announced **Operation Holiday Greeting**, an effort to collect cards from Hoosiers with their expressions of gratitude, personal wishes, words of encouragement and promises of prayer for the troops. Pence will be distributing these cards to the troops he meets while in Afghanistan.

Hoosiers wishing to participate can send their cards postmarked no later than November 23, 2004, to:

Operation Holiday Greeting
P.O. Box 407
Anderson, IN 46015