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Speaker Biography for Thomas Martin  
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Thomas Martin is the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Veterans Homes at the California Department of Veterans Affairs (CalVet). Martin is responsible for strategic and operational oversight of the state's eight Veterans Homes, which provide long-term care and housing for up to 2,400 former servicemembers and spouses. Prior to joining CalVet in 2013, Martin served in multiple positions for the Office of Governor Jerry Brown. The son of a retired Navy veteran, Martin received a master's degree in government from California State University, Sacramento and a bachelor's degree in political science and history from the University of California, San Diego.