

**Witness List**  
**House Committee on Veterans' Affairs**  
**Hearing of the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs**

**“Defined Expectations:  
Evaluating VA’s Performance in the Servicemember Transition Process”**

Thursday, May 29, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.  
334 Cannon House Office Building

**Panel 1**

**Ms. Nancy E. Weaver**  
Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense  
Warrior Care Policy  
Department of Defense

*accompanied by:*

Mr. Dave Bowen  
Director of Health Information Technology  
Defense Health Agency  
Department of Defense

**Ms. Diana Rubens**  
Deputy Under Secretary for Field Operations  
Veterans Benefits Administration  
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

Accompanied by:

Thomas Murphy  
Director of Compensation Service  
Veterans Benefits Administration  
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

**Panel 2**

**Ms. Linda A. Halliday**  
Assistant Inspector General for Audits and Evaluations  
Office of Inspector General  
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

*accompanied by:*

Ms. Nora Stokes  
Director  
Bay Pines Benefits Inspection Division  
Office of Inspector General  
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

and

Mr. Ramon Figueroa  
Project Manager  
Bay Pines Benefits Inspection Division  
Office of Inspector General  
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**Panel 3**

**Mr. Eric Jenkins**  
Rating Veterans Service Representative  
Winston Salem Regional Office  
American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO  
and the AFGE National VA Council

**Ms. Debra J. Gipson**  
Individual Servicemember

**Mr. Gerardo Avila**  
National MEB/PEB Representative  
The American Legion

**Mr. Paul Raymond Varela**  
Assistant National Legislative Director  
Disabled American Veterans

**Mr. Brendon Gehrke**  
Senior Legislative Associate  
Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States