

**Witness List
House Committee on Veterans' Affairs
Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity
Field Hearing on:**

“Texas’ Innovative Approaches to Jobs and Employment for Veterans”

November 6, 2013 10:00 A.M.
Bill Daniel Student Center – Baylor University
1311 S. 5th Street Waco, TX 76798

Panel 1

Ms. Mary Kennedy Thompson
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Mr. Rooter, LLC

Mr. David Amsden
Vice President, Recruiting
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Mr. Chris Burton
Store Manager
The Home Depot

Mr. John Vizner
Facility Manager
Caterpillar Global Work Tools – Waco

Mr. Joseph Kopser
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Panel 2

Dr. Janet Bagby
VETS Coordinator
Senior Lecturer, Department of Education Psychology
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Mrs. Kris Cervantes
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Mr. Rob Wolaver
Executive Vice-President
Texas State Technical College – Waco

Col. Gerald “Jerry” L. Smith USMC (Ret.)
Director Veteran Resource and Support Center
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Panel 3

Mr. Andres Alcantar
Chairman
Texas Workforce Commission

Mr. Shawn DeBay
Director, Veterans Employment Services
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