



U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations

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Schedule for the Week of March 12, 2012

Tuesday, March 13, 2012

Military Construction and Veterans Affairs and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Johnson)

Time and Location: **3:00 p.m., Dirksen 124**

Agenda: **FY 2013 Military Construction Budget Request for the Department of Defense and the Department of the Navy**

Witnesses: **Panel I**

The Honorable Robert F. Hale
Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)
and Chief Financial Officer

Dr. Dorothy Robyn
Deputy Under Secretary of Defense
(Installations and Environment)

Dr. Peter R. Lavoy
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense
(Asian and Pacific Security Affairs)

Panel II

The Honorable Jackalyn Pfannenstiel
Assistant Secretary of the Navy
(Energy, Installations and Environment)

Major General James A. Kessler
Commander, Marine Corps Installations Command
and Assistant Deputy Commandant for Installations and Logistics (Facilities)

Rear Admiral David M. Boone, USN
Director, Shore Readiness Division
and Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Readiness and Logistics)

Wednesday, March 14, 2012

Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Reed)

Time and Location: **9:30 a.m., Dirksen 124**

Agenda: Oversight of Federal Onshore and Offshore Energy Development Programs in the Department of the Interior

Witnesses: The Honorable Robert Abbey
 Director
 Bureau of Land Management
 United States Department of the Interior

 The Honorable Tommy P. Beaudreau
 Director
 Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
 United States Department of the Interior

 The Honorable James Watson
 Director
 Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement
 United States Department of the Interior

State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Subcommittee (Chairman Leahy)

Time and Location: **10:00 a.m., Dirksen 226** (Please note this is a Judiciary Committee hearing room)

Agenda: FY 2013 Budget Request for the United States Agency for International Development

Witnesses: Dr. Rajiv Shah
 Administrator
 United States Agency for International Development

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Inouye)

Time and Location: **10:30 a.m., Dirksen 192**

Agenda: FY 2013 Budget Request for the Department of the Air Force

Witnesses: The Honorable Michael B. Donley
 Secretary of the Air Force

 General Norton A. Schwartz
 U.S. Air Force Chief of Staff

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Harkin)

Time and Location: **10:30 a.m., Dirksen 138**

Agenda: **FY 2013 Budget Request for the Department of Labor**

Witness: The Honorable Hilda L. Solis
 Secretary
 United States Department of Labor

Energy and Water Development Subcommittee (Chairman Feinstein)

Time and Location: **2:30 p.m., Dirksen 192**

Agenda: **FY 2013 Budget Request for the Department of Energy**

Witness: The Honorable Steven Chu
 Secretary
 Department of Energy

Thursday, March 15, 2012

Transportation, Housing and Urban Development Subcommittee (Chairman Murray)

Time and Location: **9:00 a.m., Dirksen 138**

Agenda: **FY 2013 budget request for the Department of Transportation**

Witness: The Honorable Ray LaHood
 Secretary
 Department of Transportation

Commerce, Justice and Science, and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Mikulski)

Time and Location: **10:00 a.m., Dirksen 192**

Agenda: **FY 2013 budget request for the Federal Bureau of Investigation**

Witness: The Honorable Robert S. Mueller, III
 Director
 Federal Bureau of Investigation

Military Construction and Veterans Affairs and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Johnson)

Time and Location: **10:00 a.m., Dirksen 124**

Agenda: **FY 2013 budget request for the Department of Veterans Affairs**

Witnesses: The Honorable Eric K. Shinseki
 Secretary of Veterans Affairs

Accompanied by:

The Honorable Robert A. Petzel, MD
Under Secretary for Health

The Honorable Allison Hickey
Under Secretary for Benefits

The Honorable Steve L. Muro
Under Secretary for Memorial Affairs

The Honorable Roger W. Baker
Assistant Secretary for
Information and Technology

Mr. W. Todd Grams
Executive in Charge for the Office of Management and
Chief Financial Officer

Legislative Branch Subcommittee (Chairman Nelson)

Time and Location: **2:30 p.m., Dirksen 138**

Agenda: **FY 2013 Budget Request for the Government Accountability Office, Government Printing Office, and the Congressional Budget Office**

Witnesses: Mr. Gene L. Dodaro
 Comptroller General
 United States Government Accountability Office

Ms. Davita Vance-Cooks
Acting Public Printer
United States Government Printing Office

Dr. Douglas Elmendorf
Director
United States Congressional Budget Office