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BOARD OF VISITORS TO MEET IN WASHINGTON – February 22, 2017

WEST POINT, N.Y. – The Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy will meet Wednesday, February 28, at the Members Room, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C., starting at 1 p.m. The board will review and receive updates on the academic, physical and military programs.

The Board of Visitors is appointed under the provision of [Section 4355 of Title 10](#) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972. It is the duty of the board to inquire about the academy's morale and discipline, curriculum, instruction, physical equipment, fiscal affairs and academic methods. The board consists of presidential appointees and members of Congress.

Presidential appointees are Vice Chair Brenda Sue Fulton; Elizabeth Young McNally; Jane Holl Lute; Frederick H. Black, Sr.; Bridget Altenburg and Gerald McGowan. The Senators are, Chris Murphy, Richard Burr, Kirsten Gillibrand and Jerry Moran. Representatives include Chair Steve Womack, Mike Conaway, Sean Patrick Maloney, Stephanie Murphy and Tom Rooney.

About West Point:

The U.S. Military Academy at West Point is a four-year, co-educational, federal, liberal arts college located 50 miles north of New York City. It was founded in 1802 as America's first college of engineering and continues today as the world's premier leader-development institution, consistently ranked among top colleges in the country. Its mission remains constant—to educate, train, and inspire the Corps of Cadets so that each graduate is a commissioned leader of character committed to the values of Duty, Honor, Country and prepared for a career of professional excellence and service to the nation as an officer in the U. S. Army. For more information, go to www.westpoint.edu.

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Editor's Note: Media who plan on attending must contact the academy via email by noon Monday, February 26 at BoV@usma.edu or Deadra.Ghostlaw@usma.edu. Additionally, recording devices and photography are **restricted**.