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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), this board shall review and evaluate the initial appraisals of career senior executives' performance and provide recommendations to the appointing authority on performance ratings, pay adjustments and performance awards. The senior executives are as follows:

Todd A. Anthony  
Elizabeth P. Askey  
Scott A. Ballint  
Robert J. Bedoya  
Jennifer L. Best  
Orrin D. Byrd  
Julia W. Caldwell  
Tracey C. Carter  
Andrea L. Chapman  
Anthony S. Chavez  
Robert Choi  
James P. Clifford  
Amalia C. Colbert  
Erin M. Collins  
Lucinda J. Comegys  
Kenneth C. Corbin  
Robert S. Cox  
Brenda A. Dial  
Joseph Dianto  
Donald C. Drake  
Sheila Eason  
Randolph Edwards  
Maryann R. Enciso  
Guy A. Ficco  
James L. Fish  
Sharyn M. Fisk  
Julie A. Foerster  
Barbara B. Gourley  
Dietra D. Grant  
Susan B. Greer  
Phyllis T. Grimes  
Darren J. Guillot  
Todd L. Harber  
Keith A. Henley  
Robert E. Hill  
John W. Hinman  
Carrie Y. Holland  
Karen S. Howard  
Teresa R. Hunter  
Scott E. Irick  
Darren K. James  
Barry W. Johnson  
Nikki C. Johnson  
William H. Kea Jr  
Lou Ann Y. Kelleher  
Andrew J. Keyso Jr  
Edward T. Killen  
Jeffrey King  
Melanie R. Krause  
Kathleen M. Kruchten  
James C. Lee  
Tracy L. Lee  
Ronald J. Leidner Jr  
Terry L. Lemons  
Sofia Lofvenholm-Enggren  
Robert W. Malone  
Heather C. Maloy  
Paul J. Mamo  
Kevin Q. McIver  
Kevin M. Morehead  
Carolyn M. Morton  
Robin L. Moses

Bryan L. Musselman  
Douglas W. O'Donnell  
Victor G. Onorato  
Deborah T. Palacheck  
Kaschit D. Pandya  
Holly O. Paz  
Christopher J. Pleffner  
Mark E. Pursley  
Scott D. Reisher  
Julie A. Robbins  
Bridget T. Roberts  
Richard L. Rodriguez  
Kimberly D. Rogers  
Clifford R. Scherwinski  
Frederick W. Schindler  
Paul E. Selby  
Theodore D. Setzer  
Tracey L. Showman  
Susan A. Simon  
Eric D. Slack  
Harrison Smith  
Tommy A. Smith  
Kim S. Stewart  
Richard L. Tierney  
Guy A. Torres  
Jeffrey J. Tribiano  
Karen D. Truss  
Alfredo Valdespino  
Kathleen E. Walters  
Darrell S. White  
Lavena B. Williams  
Maha H. Williams  
Lisa S. Wilson  
Nancy R. Wiltshire  
Max R. Wyche

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Solicitation of Nominations for Appointment to the Veterans' Advisory Committee on Education

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), is seeking nominations from qualified candidates to be considered for appointment to the Veterans' Advisory Committee on Education. (hereafter referred to as "VACOE" or "the Committee").

**DATES:** Nominations for membership on the Committee must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. EST on August 31, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** All nominations should be emailed directly to [EDUSTAENG.VBAVACO@va.gov](mailto:EDUSTAENG.VBAVACO@va.gov). Please write "Nomination for VACOE Membership" as the subject line.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Joseph Maltby, VBA, Education Service,

VA via email at [Joseph.Maltby@va.gov](mailto:Joseph.Maltby@va.gov) or (202) 227-0879. Copies of the Committee charter, most recent report to the Secretary, and minutes from recent meetings can be obtained at [https://www.va.gov/ADVISORY/Veterans\\_Advisory\\_Committee\\_on\\_Education.asp](https://www.va.gov/ADVISORY/Veterans_Advisory_Committee_on_Education.asp).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Committee was established to provide advice to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs ("the Secretary") on the administration of education and training programs for Veterans and Service members, Reservists and Guard Personnel, and for dependents of Veterans, including programs under chapters 30, 32, 33, 35, and 36 of title 38 U.S.C. and chapter 1606 of title 10, U.S.C.

**Authority:** The Committee is authorized by 38 U.S.C. 3692 and operates under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. ch. 10). Public Law 117-180 section 404 extended the Committee's statutory authority to December 31, 2026. The Committee advises the Secretary on existing VA education benefits program and services and recommends new and improved education benefit programs and services. In addition, the Committee will submit its recommendations and reports to the Secretary; may also submits its reports to Congress.

**Membership Criteria:** VBA is requesting nominations for upcoming vacancies on the Committee. The Committee is composed of 12 members, in addition to ex-officio members. As required by statute, the members of the Committee are appointed by the Secretary from the general public, including representatives of organizations furnishing education or training to GI Bill students, Veteran Service Organizations, and current or former GI Bill students, particularly Veterans. The Committee conducts the following:

- Attending two public meetings a year, running approximately six to eight hours over two to three days. If the Committee decides to form subcommittees, participating in subcommittee meetings, which are typically no more than two hours once a month.
- Reviewing additional information and documentation outside of meetings on an ad hoc basis.
- Contributing to the drafting and review of recommendations and, as applicable, subcommittee findings.
- Taking Federal Advisory Committee Act training and ethics training when appointed and once a year after that.

- Notifying the Designated Federal Officer of any potential conflicts of interest.

In accordance with the Committee's charter, the Secretary shall determine the number, terms of service and pay and allowances of Committee members. The Committee is seeking one member to begin a term in in November or December 2023 and six members to begin terms in April 2024.

#### **Requirements for Nomination Submission**

Nominations should be typewritten. The nomination package should include: (1) a letter of nomination that clearly states the name and affiliation of the nominee, a summary of the nominee's experience and qualification relative to the membership criteria listed above, and a statement from the nominee indicating a willingness to serve as a member of the Committee; (2) the nominee's contact information, including name, mailing address, telephone numbers and email address;

and (3) the nominee's curriculum vitae or resume, not to exceed five pages. Nominations must state that the nominee is willing to serve as a member of the Committee and appears to have no conflict of interest that would preclude membership. An ethics review is conducted for each selected nominee.

Self-nominations are acceptable. Any letters of nomination from organizations or other individuals *must* accompany the package when it is submitted. Letters of nomination submitted without a complete nomination package *will not* be considered. If you are submitting a package on behalf of an individual, it *must* include all of the required components and complete contact information. Do not submit a package without the nominee's consent or awareness.

To the extent possible, the Secretary seeks members who have diverse professional and person qualifications including but not limited to subject matter experts in the areas described above. The Department makes every

effort to ensure that the membership of its advisory committees is fairly balanced in terms of points of view represented and the Committee's function. Every effort is made to ensure that a broad representation of geographic areas, gender, racial and ethnic minority groups, and the disabled are given consideration for membership. Appointment to this Committee shall be made without discrimination because of a person's race, color, religion, sex (including gender identity, transgender status, sexual orientation, and pregnancy), national origin, age, disability or genetic information. We ask that nomination include any relevant experience and information so that VA can ensure diverse Committee membership.

Dated: July 27, 2023.

**Jelessa M. Burney,**

*Federal Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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