



National Commission on the Future of the Army



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National Commission on the Future of the Army to Hold Open Meeting on June 18

The National Commission on the Future of the Army (NCFA) will hold an open meeting from 8:30AM-12:45PM on June 18. The meeting will take place in the Polk Building in Crystal City. During the morning session (from about 9:00AM to noon), the Commission will hear from representatives of several interested parties representing stakeholders, including the Association of the United States Army, the Enlisted Guard Association of the U.S., and the Army Reserve Forces Policy Committee.

The public is invited to make oral comments, and/or provide written statements to the Commission. That portion of the meeting will begin at 12:10PM. Members of the public wanting to make a concise oral statement to the Commissioners can sign up at the venue prior to the meeting or by registering with Mr. Don Tison, the NCFA's Designated Federal Officer, via email at: dfo.public@ncfa.ncr.gov. All speakers are asked to confine their remarks to addressing the criteria outlined below. Written comments will be accepted at any time, and members of the public can leave comments for the Commissioners at the meeting or do so via the NCFA website: <http://www.ncfa.ncr.gov/publicComments.html>

Where: Polk Conference Room
Room 12158
James Polk Building
2521 Clark Street, Arlington, VA 22202

When: June 18, 2015, 8:30AM-1:00PM

The NCFA has been charged by Congress to examine the structure of the Army and policy assumptions related to the size and force mix. The Commission has been tasked with making recommendations on modifications to the structure of the Army related based on current and anticipated mission requirements and acceptable levels of national risk, consistent with available and anticipated future resources. The Commission will also specifically examine the transfer of Army National Guard AH-64 Apache attack helicopters from the Army National Guard to the Regular Army. The Commission will issue its report no later than February 1, 2016.

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