NATIONAL SECURITY DIVISION'S WEEKLY REPORT

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STAFF ACTIVITY

- The National Security Division welcomed two interns from the Washington Center this week.
- Staff attended a hearing titled "*Cybersecurity and Risk Management at VA; Addressing Ongoing Challenges and Moving Forward*" hosted by the House Veterans Affairs Committee.
- Director Marquez met with the National Museum and Center for Service.
- Staff attended a webinar on "*Cyber, Innovative Technologies, and Information Systems"* hosted by the House Armed Services Committee.
- Staff attended the "*Intelligence and Special Operations Mark-up"* hosted by the House Armed Services Committee.
- Staff attended a hearing on "*Seapower and Projection Forces"* hosted by the House Armed Services Committee.
- Staff attended a hearing on "*Military Personnel"* hosted by the House Armed Services Committee.
- Director Marquez met attended a meeting with the Veterans Affairs Council (VAC), Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office (TECRO).
- Staff continues to prepare for National Convention and the NS Commission and Committee meetings.
- Director Marquez participated in and interview with "Stars and Stripes" involving Department of Homeland Security and Department of Veterans efforts involving deported veterans and their families.
- Senior National Security Policy Analyst De Jesus joined the National Commander in meetings with NATO, Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE), NATO and the Special Operations Headquarters in Belgium.

POW/MIA

June 8, 2022

- USS Oklahoma Sailor accounted for from World War II (Blaylock, C.)

PROGRAMS (The American Legion Military Surplus Equipment)

- Processed request: Ammo – 12,400; Rifle – 39; Clips – 125; Static Display – 2
- Participants: Post – 13; Department – 10

Junior ROTC and JROTC

- Department – 1
- Scholastic Awards – 1
- Military Awards - 1