NATIONAL SECURITY DIVISION'S WEEKLY UPDATE

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November 8 – 12, 2021

STAFF ACTIVITY

- Staff continued preparation and work for the upcoming Commander's Far East Trip and the National Security Summit.
- Staff participated in the Marine Corps cake cutting ceremony, celebrating the 246th birthday of the United States Marine Corps.
- Staff escorted PNC Reistad to the Veterans Day wreath-laying ceremony at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial on November 11, 2021.
- Staff met with Kathy Daudistel, President of the American Legion Auxiliary and a "Gold Star Mothers" representative.
- Staff continued responding to inquiries sent to the Division inbox.
- Staff spoke with Tazanyia Mouton, Director, Community and Public Outreach Division, Office of the Secretary of the Air Force, regarding The American Legion's participation in next week's roundtable. A whole host of issues will be addressed to include an update on vaccination involving Airmen and Guardians.
- Staff participated in the Interagency Veterans Advisory Council quarterly roundtable.
- Staff completed bill review refresher training.
- Staff submitted a draft white paper to the Director on "Food Insecurity within the Military."

POW/MIA

November 8, 2021:

- Soldier accounted for from World War II (Fleeman, A.)
- Soldier accounted for from Korean War (Foreman, K.)

November 10, 2021:

- Soldier accounted for from World War II (Gutierrez, J.)
- Soldier accounted for from World War II (Ryan, E.)
- Soldier accounted for from Korean War (Rowland, J.)
- Soldier accounted for from Korean War (Lilley, J.)
- Soldier accounted for from Korean War (Lee, C.)

PROGRAMS (The American Legion Military Surplus Equipment)

- Processed requests for: Ammo – 12,400; Rifle – 11; Static Display – 0; Clips – 30
- Participants: 6 Departments and 6 Posts