

CONGRESSIONAL HEARING ON MEMORIAL IS FEBRUARY 26, 2017

Washington, DC, February 21, 2014 -- National Desert Storm War Memorial Association has received notice that the House Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation will be holding a legislative hearing next Wednesday the 26th of February at 10:00am EST.

On the agenda for this hearing is consideration of our bill, <u>H.R. 503 "National Desert Storm and Desert Shield War Memorial Act"</u>. This is an extremely important step in the process to move our legislation to the floor for a vote. If you have not called your Congressional Representative and asked them to cosponsor this measure, do so now.

The hearing will be carried on CSPAN,

We could not have asked for a more suitable date for Congress to finally consider the building of a National Desert Storm War Memorial. On the 26th of February, 1991, coalition forces were involved in some of the most intense combat of the war, including the infamous Battle of 73 Easting. Also on this day, Saddam Hussein ordered Iraqi troops to withdraw from Kuwait. The next day coalition forces would enter Kuwait City and would engage Republican Guard forces in several battles, including the Battle of Medina Ridge.

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