

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

March 19, 2012

SENATE VETERANS JOBS CAUCUS KICK-OFF EVENT

Dear Colleague,

Please join us for the launch of the bipartisan Senate Veterans Jobs Caucus on Wednesday, March 28, 2012, at 3:30 pm in the Mansfield Room of the Capitol. The Senate Veterans Jobs Caucus will work to decrease the unemployment rate of the nation's 777,000 veterans who do not have a job.

During the launch, we will unveil the Senate "*I Hire Veterans*" program. If you have a veteran, or a current serving member of the National Guard or Reserves on your personal, state or committee staff, we invite you to display the "*I Hire Veterans*" logo in your office, on your business cards or anywhere that you choose. We hope to later expand use of this logo to Main Street America.

Senators will be given an opportunity to deliver remarks to the group of constituents, military and service organizations, and governmental leaders in attendance. The agenda is:

3:30 – 3:35 pm	Opening remarks from unemployed veterans
3:35 - 4:00 pm	Remarks from Senators and supporting organizations
4:00 pm	Group photo with the " <i>I Hire Veterans</i> " logo

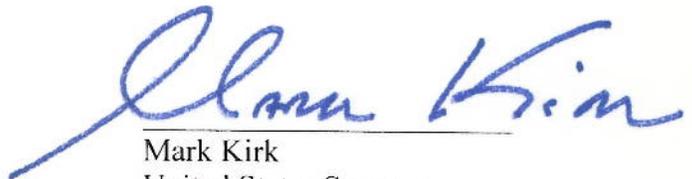
We hope that you consider joining us and our sponsoring organizations as we formally pledge our efforts to reduce the unacceptably high unemployment rate of our nation's veterans.

To RSVP for this event or to join the Senate Veterans Jobs Caucus, please contact Russ Cummings russ_cummings@manchin.senate.gov with Senator Joe Manchin at (202) 228-5513 or Brandon Greene brandon_greene@kirk.senate.gov with Senator Kirk at (202) 224-2854.

Sincerely,



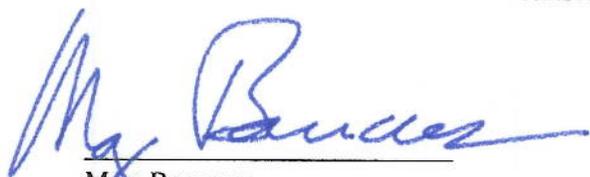
Joe Manchin III
United States Senator
Co-Chair



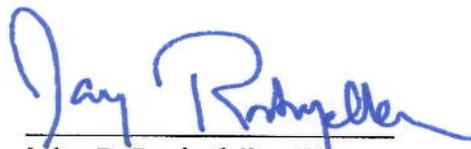
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United States Senator
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Max Baucus
United States Senator



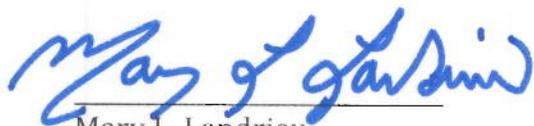
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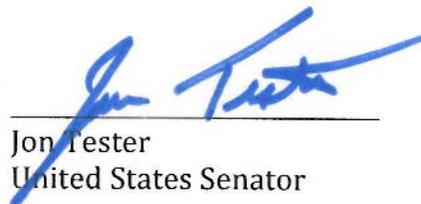
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United States Senator



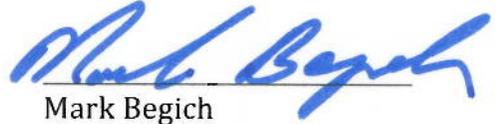
Jon Tester
United States Senator

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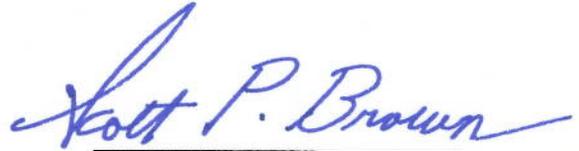
Jeanne Shaheen
United States Senator



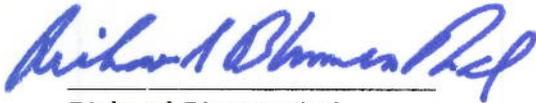
Mark Begich
United States Senator



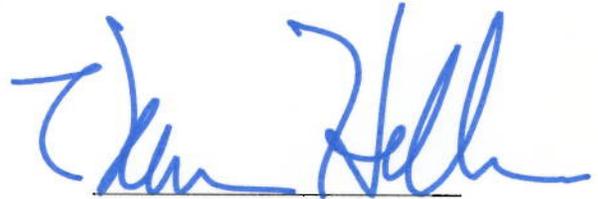
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Scott P. Brown
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Richard Blumenthal
United States Senator



Dean Heller
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