

SUB COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY

Meeting opened at 4:00 P.M. May 4, 2007 by Chairman Mark Smith (MD)

Members: Thomas Marsden (NJ)
 John Zgoda (MN)
 Jack Donnelly (PA)

Mark Smith talked about Ready Campaign literature. He will have literature for all N.E.C.'s on Sunday morning with the approval of Legislative Committee. If Spanish information is needed it may be ordered.

Mark will talk to George Evans about the possibility of the future of Homeland Security. Tom Marsden talked about the Washington conference and the increasing number of immigrants. There were many opinions on how to control the problem. We discussed adopting the American Legion polices that may be brought before us. The weekly news that we receive out of Washington on Homeland Security is very helpful to us.

Tom Marsden stated that we should push National POW_MIA recognition day. John discussed getting a name from each Detachment to contact for Homeland Security. Mark will bring this up again at the fall meeting.

Everyone should mark their calendars and add the month of September as "National Preparedness Month."

Mark is looking into getting N.O.A.H. put in schools. Mark asked Tom if he could talk to other National Vice Commanders next year to help support Homeland Security.

Meeting adjourned at 4:35 P.M.