## Congress of the United States

H.S. House of Representatives Committee on Small Business 2361 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515-0515

## NOTICE OF HEARING November 8, 2017 11:00 A.M., 2360 Rayburn House Office Building

**TO:** Members, Committee on Small Business

FROM: Steve Chabot, Chairman

DATE: Wednesday, November 1, 2017

The Committee on Small Business will meet for a hearing titled, "Hiring More Heroes: A Review of SBA's Office of Veterans Business Development." The hearing is scheduled to begin at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday, November 8, 2017 in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

The Committee will examine the United States Small Business Administration's (SBA) Office of Veterans Business Development's (OVBD) efforts to transition our nation's veterans from the battlefield to the small business realm. As the majority of veteran-owned businesses are small businesses, it is crucial that veterans have the tools and resources they need to get off the ground once they return home. The hearing will examine whether the OVBD is operating efficiently and effectively to serve our nation's veterans.

A staff briefing will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Monday, November 6, 2017 in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

If you or your staff have any questions, please contact Hannah Schmidt, Staff Assistant for the Committee, at 202-225-5821.