

# **Hundreds of Navy SEALs, Veterans, and Patriots to March on Capitol Hill and Host Meet & Greet in Support of Pete Hegseth's Confirmation as Secretary of Defense**

## **JANUARY 13, 2024 – NAVY SEAL MEET & GREET FOR PETE HEGSETH**

### **WHAT:**

A special Meet & Greet event where nearly 100 Navy SEALs, veterans, and patriots will gather in Washington, D.C., to show their support for Pete Hegseth's confirmation as the next Secretary of Defense. Attendees will have the opportunity to connect, discuss Hegseth's leadership, and prepare for the following day's Senate confirmation hearing. Remarks will be delivered by Bill Brown and Robert Sweetman, other notable attendees include Stuart Scheller, Kaj Larsen, Mitch Aguiar, Ian Schinelli, Jeff Gum, and other military leaders.

### **WHEN:**

**Date:** January 13, 2024

**Time:** 12:00 PM

### **WHERE:**

**Location:** Lincoln Room, Residence Inn by Marriott Washington DC Foggy Bottom  
801 New Hampshire Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20037

### **WHY:**

This Meet & Greet will provide an opportunity to connect with political leaders and the media, while also serving as a rallying point for Navy SEALs, veterans, and military leaders to unite in support of Pete Hegseth's confirmation as the next Secretary of Defense. The following day, participants will march to the Senate office buildings to attend Hegseth's confirmation hearing and demonstrate their unwavering support in person.

### **WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- Remarks from Bill Brown, Robert Sweetman, Kaj Larsen, Mitch Aguiar, Ian Schinelli, Jeff Gum, and other military leaders.
- Informal meet-and-greet opportunities with veterans and patriots.
- Discussions on Hegseth's leadership and vision for national defense.

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## **JANUARY 14, 2025 – NAVY SEAL MARCH ON CAPITOL HILL FOR PETE HEGSETH**

### **WHAT:**

On January 14, 2025, 500 of Navy SEALs, veterans, and patriots will gather in Washington, D.C.,

to march in support of Pete Hegseth's confirmation as the next Secretary of Defense and to attend Pete Hegseth's Confirmation Hearing at the Dirksen Senate Office. Participants will meet at the Vietnam Memorial Wall, holding American flags, and march to the Korean War Veterans Memorial, the DC War Memorial, and the World War II Memorial. The march will conclude at an approved Demonstration Area, where notable SEALs, military leaders, and concerned citizens will show their strong support for Hegseth.

The event is organized by Navy SEAL Bill Brown, who organizes the annual [NYC Seal Swim](#) and Robert Sweetman's [62romeo](#) organization, emphasizing Hegseth's proven leadership and commitment to American strength and security.

**WHEN:**

**Date:** January 14, 2025

**Time:** 9:00 AM (March begins)

**WHERE:**

Participants will gather at the Vietnam Memorial Wall and march to the Korean War Veterans Memorial, the DC War Memorial, and the World War II Memorial, concluding at an approved Demonstration Area near Capitol Hill.

**WHY:**

The SEAL March for Pete Hegseth and attendance at hearing demonstrates strong and unwavering support from the warrior class for Pete Hegseth as he moves forward with his confirmation to become Secretary of Defense. These veterans and patriots will be there to show all Senate members that they stand firmly behind Pete, affirming their trust in his leadership and commitment to defending the values they've fought for.

**WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- Over 500 participants, including Navy SEALs, veterans, and patriots waving flags and marching across the DC Mall and attending Pete Hegseth's Senate confirmation hearing.
- A peaceful, respectful demonstration in the spirit of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s legacy of nonviolent action.
- Veterans and patriots united in support of Pete Hegseth's confirmation as Secretary of Defense.
- Speeches and remarks from military leaders and prominent supporters of Hegseth.

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**MEDIA DETAILS:**

- Media outlets are encouraged to attend and cover both events.