

NOMINATIONS  
IN THE AIR FORCE

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be brigadier general*

Col. George H. Sebren, Jr.

IN THE NAVY

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Navy to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be rear admiral*

Rear Adm. (lh) Brad J. Collins

IN THE ARMY

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

*To be lieutenant general*

Maj. Gen. John L. Rafferty, Jr.

IN THE AIR FORCE

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

*To be general*

Lt. Gen. Dale R. White

IN THE ARMY

The following named Army National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., sections 12203 and 12211:

*To be brigadier general*

Col. Brad W. Pierson

The following named officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grade under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

*To be brigadier general*

Col. Clinton Mead

IN THE MARINE CORPS

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Marine Corps to the grade indicated while serving as the Chief Defense Counsel for Military Commissions under article II, section 2, clause 2 of the United States Constitution and section 1037 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014:

*To be brigadier general*

Col. Jonathan H. Vaughn

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S  
DESK

IN THE AIR FORCE

PN659 AIR FORCE nomination of Jeremy P. Garlick, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN660 AIR FORCE nomination of Robert D. Huhn, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN661 AIR FORCE nomination of Dawn R. Hardwick, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

IN THE ARMY

PN674 ARMY nomination of George A. Mesias, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 1, 2025.

PN678 ARMY nomination of Peter S. Salfeety, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 2, 2025.

PN679 ARMY nominations (5) beginning Sean M. Dixon, and ending Patrick D.

McGrail, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 2, 2025.

PN692 ARMY nominations (27) beginning Kathleen A. Agbayani, and ending Mikel J. Wier, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 10, 2025.

PN693 ARMY nomination of Myles T. Coleman, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 1, 2025.

IN THE MARINE CORPS

PN662 MARINE CORPS nomination Sarah B. Pezzat, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN663 MARINE CORPS nomination of Robert J. Hillery, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

IN THE NAVY

PN664 NAVY nomination of Sarah D. Rushnov, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN665 NAVY nomination of William F. Murphy, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN666 NAVY nomination of Kevin A. Witte-Hunt, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN667 NAVY nomination of Michael J. Beer, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN668 NAVY nomination of Michael K. Mosi, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN669 NAVY nomination of Jeffrey T. Vanak, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN694 NAVY nominations (3) beginning Brian W. Mendenhall, and ending Ashish C. Sinha, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 10, 2025.

PN695 NAVY nominations (3) beginning Thomas S. Giugliano, and ending Sehba Husain-Krautter, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 10, 2025.

IN THE SPACE FORCE

PN670 SPACE FORCE nomination of Marc B. Green, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

PN671 SPACE FORCE nominations (3) beginning JACOB A. DAHLKE, and ending JASMINE C. TOYE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2025.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will resume legislative session.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY,  
DECEMBER 18, 2025

Ms. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand adjourned until 10 a.m. on Thursday, December 18; that following the prayer and pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired,

morning business be closed, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate proceed to executive session and resume consideration of the en bloc nominations provided for under the provisions of Executive Calendar No. 4, S. Res. 532, postcloture, and that all time during recess, adjournment, morning business, and leader remarks count postcloture; further, that at 12 noon, the Senate resume legislative session to execute the order of December 10 in relation to S.J. Res. 82, and the Senate vote on passage, and upon disposition of S.J. Res. 82, the Senate resume executive session; finally, that if any nominations are confirmed during Thursday's session of the Senate, the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table, and the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M.  
TOMORROW

Ms. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask that it stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 8:05 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, December 18, 2025, at 10 a.m.

CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate December 17, 2025:

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be brigadier general*

COL. GEORGE H. SEBREN, JR.

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE  
ADMINISTRATION

JARED ISAACMAN, OF PENNSYLVANIA, TO BE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION.

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOUGLAS WEAVER, OF MARYLAND, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2026.

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

*To be rear admiral*

REAR ADM. (LH) BRAD J. COLLINS

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

*To be lieutenant general*

MAJ. GEN. JOHN L. RAFFERTY, JR.

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

*To be general*

LT. GEN. DALE R. WHITE

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED ARMY NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 12203 AND 12211:

*To be brigadier general*

COL. BRAD W. PIERSON

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

*To be brigadier general*

COL. CLINTON MEAD

IN THE MARINE CORPS

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE SERVING AS THE CHIEF DEFENSE COUNSEL FOR MILITARY COMMISSIONS UNDER ARTICLE II, SECTION 2, CLAUSE 2 OF THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION AND SECTION 1037 OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014:

*To be brigadier general*

COL. JONATHAN H. VAUGHN

IN THE AIR FORCE

AIR FORCE NOMINATION OF JEREMY P. GARLICK, TO BE COLONEL.

AIR FORCE NOMINATION OF ROBERT D. HUHN, TO BE COLONEL.

AIR FORCE NOMINATION OF DAWN R. HARDWICK, TO BE MAJOR.

IN THE ARMY

ARMY NOMINATION OF GEORGE A. MESIAS, TO BE MAJOR.

ARMY NOMINATION OF PETER S. SALFEETY, TO BE COLONEL.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING WITH SEAN M. DIXON AND ENDING WITH PATRICK D. MCGRAIL, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON DECEMBER 2, 2025.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING WITH KATHLEEN A. AGBAYANI AND ENDING WITH MIKEL J. WIER, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON DECEMBER 10, 2025.

ARMY NOMINATION OF MYLES T. COLEMAN, TO BE COLONEL.

IN THE MARINE CORPS

MARINE CORPS NOMINATION OF SARAH B. PEZZAT, TO BE COLONEL.

MARINE CORPS NOMINATION OF ROBERT J. HILLERY, TO BE COLONEL.

IN THE NAVY

NAVY NOMINATION OF SARAH D. RUSHNOV, TO BE COMMANDER.

NAVY NOMINATION OF WILLIAM F. MURPHY, TO BE CAPTAIN.

NAVY NOMINATION OF KEVIN A. WITTE-HUNT, TO BE CAPTAIN.

NAVY NOMINATION OF MICHAEL J. BEER, TO BE CAPTAIN.

NAVY NOMINATION OF MICHAEL K. MOSI, TO BE CAPTAIN.

NAVY NOMINATION OF JEFFREY T. VANAK, TO BE CAPTAIN.

NAVY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING WITH BRIAN W. MENDENHALL AND ENDING WITH ASHISH C. SINHA, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON DECEMBER 10, 2025.

NAVY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING WITH THOMAS S. GIUGLIANO AND ENDING WITH SEHRA HUSAIN-KRAUTTER, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON DECEMBER 10, 2025.

IN THE SPACE FORCE

SPACE FORCE NOMINATION OF MARC B. GREEN, TO BE MAJOR.

SPACE FORCE NOMINATIONS BEGINNING WITH JACOB A. DAHLKE AND ENDING WITH JASMINE C. TOYE, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON NOVEMBER 18, 2025.