

# SENATE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE

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**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS**  
**Chair, Senator Josh Newman**

**SENATE BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE NO. 4**  
**Chair, Senator Richard D. Roth**

**JOINT OVERSIGHT HEARING:**

**California National Guard's "Work for Warriors" Program:  
Best Practices in Job Placement for Guard Members & Veterans  
&  
Veterans Treatment Courts:  
Best Practices and Program Barriers**

City Hall, City of Brea  
1 Civic Center Circle

Friday, May 12, 2017  
1:00 p.m.

**OPENING REMARKS** – Co-Chairs and Committee Members

## **PROGRAM 1**

Panel A: Work for Warriors (W4W)

- Major General Matt Beevers, Deputy Adjutant General, California National Guard
- Major Chris Mitchell, Program Director, W4W
- Two local area W4W business partners (employers)

Panel B: Innovations in Workforce Development and Job Placement

- Mary Ann Profeta, VP, Career Success Institute/VetNet Working Wardrobes
- Chase Wickersham, Director, Tierney Center for Veteran Services, Goodwill of Orange County

**PROGRAM 2**

Panel A: Veterans Treatment Courts (VTC) – Best Practices & Lessons Learned

- The Hon. Mary Kreber Varipapa, Presiding Judge, Orange County VTC
- The Hon. Mark A. Mandio, Presiding Judge, Riverside County VTC
- Deborah Lucky, Supervising Deputy District Attorney, Riverside County VTC
- Kelly Ross, Veterans Justice Outreach Coordinator, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Loma Linda

Panel B – Outside Perspectives on VTCs

- The Hon. Nathan Fletcher, former member, California State Assembly
- Duncan McVicar, California Veterans Legal Task Force

**PUBLIC COMMENT** (If time available) – Co-Chairs

**CLOSING REMARKS** – Co-Chairs and Committee Members