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Forbes Leading Congressional Delegation to Iraq

Washington, D.C. – Congressman J. Randy Forbes (VA-04), along with Congressman Ike Skelton (MO), are leading a congressional delegation on a bi-partisan trip to Iraq. The delegation, comprised of members of the House Armed Services Committee, departed from Washington, D.C. today.

Forbes, a member of the House Armed Services Committee, will visit U.S. troops stationed in Iraq, bringing them his message of thanks and appreciation for protecting and defending our nation. Forbes will also gain first-hand experience on U.S. reconstruction efforts in Iraq.

“There is no greater honor than to have this opportunity to travel to Iraq and personally thank our men and women in uniform for their service and sacrifice,” Forbes said. “I’m proud of each and every soldier, sailor, airman and Marine who put their own lives on the line every day to keep Americans free and safe. I am also interested to hear directly from them about our efforts to rebuild Iraq.”

Congressman Forbes will be available for media inquiries upon his return. Please contact Christine Shott, (202) 225-6365, for more information.

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