Congressman Mario Diaz- Balart

25th Congressional District of Florida

2013 Congressional Veteran Commendation

Congressman Diaz-Balart presents CVC to Cpt. Bolivar Perez-Rios, ARMY Retired

The Congressional Veteran Commendation (CVC) is a nominations-based program designed to recognize the wartime sacrifices and peacetime community involvement of veterans residing in Florida's 25th Congressional District.

The 2013 CVC honorees will be interviewed and their wartime recollections added to the Veterans History Project in the Library of Congress.

The deadline for submitting nominations is **November 1, 2013**. Those individuals selected will be announced in November of this year.

Eligibility Requirements

- Veteran must currently reside in the 25th Congressional District of Florida. Nominees residing outside the district will **not** be considered.
- Veteran was active duty in the United States Armed Forces or was a reservist called to active duty.
- Veteran retired from the United States Armed Forces or was honorably discharged.
- Veteran has not previously received the Congressional Veteran Commendation.

Congressman Diaz-Balart with Larry Sheets, Miami Lakes Councilman Tim Daubert and Miami Dade County Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz at the Veterans Day Ceremony in the City of Hialeah.

To obtain additional information regarding the Congressional Veteran Commendation, the Veterans History Project, nomination forms, or to confirm residency within the 25th District of Florida, please contact Congressman Diaz-Balart's Miami district office at (305) 470-8555 or visit his website www.house.gov/mariodiaz-balart.