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American War Hero

ALLEN WEST
FOR CONGRESS

Tuesday, August 5th, 2008
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p. m.

Soldiers', Sailors', Marines', Coast Guard and Airmen's Club
283 Lexington Ave. (at 37th St.)
New York, NY 10016

Suggested Minimum Contribution: \$50
Donations made payable to Allen West for Congress.
Maximum contribution per individual: \$4,600

Please RSVP to Leah Chambliss at
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LTC Allen West has lived his life in service to America. He retired to Broward County, FL after a distinguished twenty-two year career in the US Army that included deployments to Iraq in Operations Desert Storm and Iraqi Freedom, and also spent more than two years in Afghanistan where he trained their army officers.

Allen has been tested by circumstances which few of us ever face. He was awarded (among others) the Bronze Star, three Meritorious Service Medals, and three Army Commendation Medals, one with valor. As battalion commander for the Army's 4th ID in Iraq, he made a decision that ended his military career but saved the lives of his men. Those who know him have described him best:

"It is obvious to me that, not your words but your actions have proven your true leadership abilities to the people that you have served. There are few in the world today who really have these special leadership capabilities." Det. Sgt Major Marc Kahlberg (Ret), Israel

"I served under you in Iraq at the al-Taji airbase... You made a statement during your trials when asked if you would do it again, to which you said "If it's about the lives of my men and their safety, I'd go through hell with a gasoline can." Well sir if you would have to go through hell with a gas can I would drive for you." Michael Montas

Allen holds masters degrees in political science and history. On today's issues, he:

- Supports complete energy independence through use of ALL of our natural resources;
- Supports making the tax cuts permanent, abolishing the death tax, and cutting corporate taxes, and he opposes the use of earmarks;
- Supports enforcement of existing immigration laws and deportation for immigrant felons, and opposes use of "anchor babies" to gain legal status;
- Will call for Israel's membership in NATO, to share its protection with all member nations;
- Will call for border patrol to be moved from INS to Department of Defense.

Allen's wife, Angela, holds a PhD and is a financial planner. They have two daughters, Aubrey and Austen.

Visit some of the links below to find out more about Lt Col Allen West.

- **Vision:** <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qSnRlmo7og>
- **Recommit:** http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ourckH0S_k8&feature=related
- **Hero Lt. Col. Allen West's Response to Black Conservatives Voting For Obama** http://www.theodoresworld.net/archives/2008/06/hero_lt_col_allen_wests_respon.html
- **Music Video:** <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=piiTXrYgRG8&feature=related>
- **Vets For Freedom:** <http://www.vetsforfreedom.org/pac/candidates/west.aspx>
- **The Next Ronald Reagan is Running for Congress. Did Al Jazeera Just Try to Kidnap Him?** <http://canadafreepress.com/index.php/article/4009>