

RFI Category and Number: Retention Initiatives for Servicewomen, RFI #2

RFI Question:

In June 2022, the Committee received a briefing from the Department of the Air Force (DAF) Women's Initiatives Team (WIT). In September 2022, via RFI 5, the Committee asked the Military Services to provide a status update on their potential Women's Initiatives Team or working group like the DAF WIT. At the time, the Army was in the process of establishing a WIT and the Navy was in the process of developing one.

The Committee requests a written response update from the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and National Guard on whether your Service has implemented a WIT focused on identifying and resolving barriers that impact the retention of servicewomen? If so, provide additional details about your Service's WIT (e.g., policies, directives, charter, oversight authority, streamlined access to senior level decision-makers, etc.). If not, explain why a WIT has not or will not be founded.

RFI Response 2:

The Navy has not implemented a WIT yet. We anticipate launching in FY24.

Hours Expended Answering this RFI: .5 hours

POC or office responsible: Office of Women's Policy