



## **Protecting and Fighting For Our Veterans**

Our veterans have made immense sacrifices to protect our freedoms and sacred way of life as Americans. We will never be able to fully repay the debt we owe them, but Congresswoman Lauren Boebert has fought every day for responsible funding and meaningful resources for 3<sup>rd</sup> District veterans to make sure they are taken care of when they retire from duty.

Read more on how Congresswoman Boebert has stood up for veterans in the 3<sup>rd</sup> District and across the country every single day:

### **-SUPPORTING PRO-VETERAN LEGISLATION**

Congresswoman Boebert has voted for four major veteran bills that were signed into law, including funding for permanent benefits for veterans and a significant 2022 COLA increase for veterans receiving compensation for their service. These were common-sense bills that directly impacted and improved the lives of veterans in the 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

### **-INTRODUCING BIPARTISAN AMENDMENTS TO INCREASE FUNDING FOR VETERANS**

As part of the 2023 VA Appropriations Bill that passed through the House, Congresswoman Boebert introduced and passed with bipartisan approval six different amendments that increased funding by millions for veterans on issues like prosthetic research, suicide awareness, burial services, and extended care for veterans. Congresswoman Boebert introduced more pro-veteran amendments than any other Member of Congress as part of the most recent VA Appropriations bill.

### **-HOLDING BUREAUCRATS ACCOUNTABLE AND IMPROVING SERVICE FOR VETERANS**

When government bureaucrats refused to come to work after the COVID pandemic, Congresswoman Boebert held them accountable by demanding they return to the office to start addressing the unacceptable backlog of VA cases. Thanks to Congresswoman Boebert's efforts, bureaucrats returned to working in-person and we saw the backlog of VA cases dramatically reduced.

### **-FIGHTING FOR SOLUTIONS THAT WORK, NOT BILLS THAT WASTE**

Veterans deserve legislation that makes sense and invests resources toward helping them get the care they deserve, not wasteful & frivolous spending that creates more problems. Congresswoman Boebert has responsibly voted no on bills that drastically

**increase our backlog of VA cases without a meaningful solution to fix the problem or long-term revenue to pay for the costs. Rep. Boebert will always stand with veterans when resources go to improving their care and bills are paid for without saddling future generations with more debt.**