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**MAYOR RAHM EMANUEL ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS TO CITY OF CHICAGO BOARDS  
AND COMMISSIONS**

Mayor Rahm Emanuel today announced his appointments to the Advisory Council on Veterans. These appointees represent a diverse group of community and business leaders from across the city.

"Throughout their careers, these individuals have shown a deep dedication to serving communities across Chicago," said Mayor Emanuel. "My administration is committed to providing people in every neighborhood with the highest quality and most effective services. I'm confident these appointees will help the City achieve its goals."

**Appointments being introduced to the Advisory Council on Veterans:**

**Aleida Barrera**, Assistant State's Attorney, Cook County State's Attorney's Office

**William D. Edwards**, Strategy Integration Specialist, The Boeing Company

**Marc A. Fisher**, Regional Emergency Preparedness Specialist, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

**James J. Flagg**, Vice-President and Co-Founder, Illinois Supporting All Veterans Equally

**Melissa Montalvo**, Case Manager, Jesse Brown VA Medical Center

**Anthony S. Kiefer**, Analyst, Chicago Policemen's Annuity and Benefit Fund

**Victor J. Lagroon**, Program Coordinator, University of Illinois at Chicago Cancer Center

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