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## NCIS AGENTS TO BE RECOGNIZED FOR SERVICE IN IRAQ

**Norfolk, VA (CNRMA)**- Twelve Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS) Special Agents from the NCIS field office in Norfolk will be recognized in a special ceremony on Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 1:00 p.m. at Naval Station Norfolk. They will be recognized for their sustained meritorious service while serving in Iraq at different times over the past year. The twelve—Special Agents Brian Bozin, Jeffrey Brackett, Thomas Canizzo, Craig Covert, Mark Garhart, David Glover, Terrence Guishard, Jeffrey Henson, Richie McMorris, Brian Platt, Jonathan Robbins and Frank Ripa— all civilians who volunteered for this assignment, will be awarded the Navy's Meritorious Civilian Service Medal for conducting high-risk missions under difficult conditions and for their support of the war effort and of the Coalition Provisional Authority's goals.

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**MEDIA NOTE:** Media desiring interviews, photo/b-roll opportunities regarding this event, please meet Commander Navy Region Mid-Atlantic staff, Mr. Don Kennedy or JO2(SW) Bratt outside of Gate 3A, Naval Station Norfolk at 12:30 p.m.