



Louisiana's 3rd Congressional District

CONGRESSMAN

CHARLIE
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“The debt our nation owes to those who protect our freedoms can never be fully repaid. In Congress, I’m working to honor our nation’s veterans.”

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Congressman Melancon thanks a Louisiana veteran for his service and tells him about recent veterans’ legislation passed by Congress.

CONGRESSMAN MELANCON SUPPORTS MODERN DAY GI BILL

Congressman Melancon voted for a modern day GI Bill to help service men and women achieve their educational dreams after their service has ended. In today’s world, it is harder and harder to succeed in life without a college education. Those who have risked their lives in serving our country deserve every opportunity to succeed.

New GI Bill will:

- ★ Guarantee full scholarship at any in-state public university
- ★ Provide a monthly housing stipend
- ★ Provide an annual book allowance of \$1,000
- ★ Extend education benefits to all service members (including activated Reservist and National Guard) who have served for at least three years on active duty

The original GI Bill of 1944 is credited with helping fuel America’s postwar prosperity. By the time the program ended in 1956, almost 8 million World War II veterans had used its funding for an education or training program.



Congressman Melancon Supports Affordable Housing for Veterans

Congressman Melancon supported a \$125,000 grant from a federally-chartered bank to build affordable housing for homeless veterans in Houma.

The funds – along with an additional \$400,000 from Veterans Affairs - will be used toward the construction of a 12-unit transitional housing facility for homeless veterans in Houma / Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

Congressman Melancon discusses concerns about veterans' funding with a veteran from Louisiana.



“America’s veterans have sacrificed so much to protect our freedoms, and it’s tragic that some of these heroes now face homelessness. I am proud that we have the opportunity to repay some of the debt by giving those who are struggling a helping hand.”

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Congressman Melancon speaks with veterans about recent Congressional action during a Louisiana Honor Air Event.



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STAY IN TOUCH WITH CONGRESSMAN MELANCON

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