

## Idaho Advisory Committee

These business, faith, military, and community leaders believe that Idaho benefits when America leads in the world through investments in development and diplomacy.

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Assistance to Afghanistan Post-9/11  
Attacks  
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Chief Justice (2015-2017)  
Justice (2005-2017)  
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