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National FOP President Testifies in Support of Barr Nomination *Tells Committee FOP will gladly welcome back Barr as "Top Cop"*

Chuck Canterbury, National President of the Fraternal Order of Police, testified before Senate Committee on the Judiciary in strong support of William P. Barr to be the next Attorney General of the United States.

"Mr. Barr is an outstanding choice for Attorney General whom we believe will work to improve the safety of the public and the rank-and-file law enforcement officers who are on the beat," Canterbury said. "We are confident in his leadership, his commitment to the rule of law and, of course, his experience as Attorney General."

Mr. Barr began his public service as a clerk for a judge on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia and a short tenure in the Reagan White House before joining the Administration of President George H.W. Bush. He served as head of the Office of Legal Policy, as Deputy Attorney General, as Acting Attorney General and, finally, was confirmed as the 77th Attorney General of the United States.

"During his tenure as Attorney General, Mr. Barr transformed the Justice Department by refocusing its resources to help State and local law enforcement combat violent crime—particularly gang crime," said Canterbury. "This Administration has prioritized public safety and we believe that Mr. Barr is the perfect person to execute this mission."

You can watch the testimony of National President Canterbury and the rest of the panel here:
<https://www.judiciary.senate.gov/meetings/01/16/2019/nomination-of-the-honorable-william-pelham-barr-to-be-attorney-general-of-the-united-states>

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