



Media Advisory

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USCIS to Welcome 25 New Citizens During Fourth of July Celebration at McCoy Stadium

PROVIDENCE, R.I. — U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) Associate Director for Field Operations Debra Rogers, will administer the [Oath of Allegiance](#) to America's newest citizens during a special naturalization ceremony at McCoy Stadium, home of the Pawtucket Red Sox. The naturalization ceremony is being held in honor of the Fourth of July.

Honored guests and speakers include: Debra Rogers, Associate Director for Field Operations, USCIS, and Denis Riordan, USCIS District Director.

The 25 citizenship candidates originate from the following 16 countries: Barbados, Brazil, Cape Verde, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Iraq, Italy, Liberia, Morocco, Portugal, Russia, Senegal, Syria and Vietnam.

This ceremony is part of USCIS's annual celebration of Independence Day. An estimated 3,800 candidates will become citizens at 55 special ceremonies held around the world from July 1-6.

WHO: Debra Rogers, Associate Director for Field Operations, USCIS
Denis Riordan, District Director, USCIS
Dorothy Michaud, Field Office Director, USCIS

WHEN: Friday, July 2, 2010, 5:30 p.m.

WHERE: McCoy Stadium
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Pawtucket, RI

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