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### **Congresswoman Marsha Blackburn Receives ASCF Congressional Advisory Appreciation Award**



Mr. Mark Renehan, Mr. Robert Johnson, Gen. Frederick Kroesen (ASCF 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President), Brig. Gen. Donald B. Smith (ASCF Chairman), Cong. Marsha Blackburn (R-TN) Hon. Bill McCollum, Mr. H. Daniels Corrigan, Ms. Elly Manov, Mrs. Betsy Fischer, Dr. Henry A. Fischer (ASCF President & CEO)

On March 10, 2011 Congresswoman Marsha Blackburn (R-TN) received the American Security Council Foundations Congressional Advisory Board Appreciation Award for her excellent voting record regarding issues the ASCF deem vital to a strong America.

In presenting the award, Brigadier General Donald Smith, who is chairman of the American Security Council Foundation's Board of Directors, said, "In recognition for her leadership, and your continued efforts as a Congressional Advisory Board Member and for supporting the mission of the American Security Council Foundation, it's activities and programs that promote and strengthen national security, economic security and the moral leadership of the United States of America.

Dr. Henry Fischer, president of the Foundation, added, "We thank you, Congresswoman Blackburn, for your years of leadership and inspiration to our elected officials.

Gen. Smith applauded Congresswoman Blackburn's outstanding voting record on matters of military issues as one of the best in Congress.

The American Security Council Foundation also recognized Sens. Ben Nelson (D-NE), Orrin Hatch (R-UT.), Jon Kyl (R-AZ) and Reps. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R-Fla.) and Connie Mack (R-FL) with other 2011 Congressional Leadership Awards.

The American Security Council Foundation has been at the forefront of the defense and foreign policy debate for more than 50 years. President Reagan credited the organization for developing the doctrine of "Peace through Strength" that won the Cold War.

Originally known as the Institute for American Strategy, the foundation focuses on a wide range of educational programs which address critical challenges to U.S. foreign policy, national security and the global economy.

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