



Statement of Ed Martin on President Obama's Afghanistan Speech

Obama's Indecisiveness Endangers Troops

"Tonight, President Obama first spoke forcefully in favor of fighting and winning the war in Afghanistan by listening to his Generals. Then he undercut any chance of America winning by setting a schedule for leaving – and thereby losing – this war. This indecisiveness will be viewed by history as endangering our troops and for not furthering national security interests."

"I have learned from my brother, Jim, a Marine infantry veteran of the War on Terror, that when men and women are in the line of danger, there is only one way to fight: all out and all in. If President Obama cannot do this, then he should bring our men and women home. And he should bring them home now before one more son or daughter, father or mother, brother or sister dies."