

# This week: hearings on Trump’s nominees and the IRS

## Outlook, week of April 3, 2017:

*Tuesday,  
April 4*

- **Senate Homeland Security Committee** full committee hearing titled “Fencing Along the Southwest Border” (9:30AM)
- **Senate Armed Services Committee** full committee hearing on strategic command programs (9:30 AM)
- **House Veterans’ Affairs Committee** full committee hearing on concerns about the Veterans Crisis Line (10:00 AM)
- **Senate HELP Committee** full committee hearing titled "FDA User Fee Agreements: Improving Medical Product Regulation and Innovation for Patients Part II" (10:00 AM)
- **Senate Banking Committee** full committee hearing on the nomination of Jay Clayton to be a member of the SEC (10:00AM)

*Wednesday,  
April 5*

- **House Oversight and Government Reform Committee** full committee hearing on FEMA’s response to the Baton Rouge flood (9:30 AM)
- **House Agriculture Committee** full committee hearing titled "Agriculture and Tax Reform: Opportunities for Rural America" (10:00 AM)
- **Senate HELP Committee** full committee hearing on nomination of Scott Gottlieb to be commissioner of the FDA (10:00 AM)

*Thursday,  
April 6*

- **House Small Business Committee** full committee hearing titled "Scam Spotting: Can the IRS Effectively Protect Small Business Information" (10:00 AM)
- **Senate Finance Committee** full committee hearing titled "The 2017 Tax Filing Season: Internal Revenue Service Operations and the Taxpayer Experience" (10:00 AM)

## The White House:

- Trump will host Egyptian President Abdel-Fattah el-Sissi at the White House
- HHS and FDA hold a meeting on patient-focused drug development for sarcopenia (April 6 at 1:00 PM)
- USAID holds a discussion focusing on climate impacts on U.S. international interests (April 6 at 4:00 PM)

Sources: [National Journal Daybook](#), 2017. This schedule was updated on Monday April 3, 2017. It is not exhaustive and is subject to change.