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## Petty Officer Larry Talley (Ret.) U.S. Navy Monument, CO

Larry Talley served in the U.S. Navy for 20 years from 1987 to 2007 as an intelligence specialist and was stationed at the Naval Special Warfare Unit Eight in the Republic of Panama from 1991 to 1998. While stationed in Panama, Talley deployed frequently to various locations in Central and South America in support of counter-drug operations where he formulated and implemented eradication strategy in conjunction with the Drug Enforcement Agency and many countries in the region.

Larry participated in eradication efforts targeting cocaine, marijuana, and opiates. Under the Joint Interagency Task Force, the organization in charge of counter-drug missions, his command was tasked with many different interdiction operations; some included training Colombian troops for eradication, and others included direct interdiction where he would storm drug labs with the D.E.A. He worked for Commander in Charge, General McCaffrey, who later became Drug Czar.

Talley has attended Arizona State University, the Naval War College, Texas College, Florida State University, University of North Texas, Old Dominion University, and Capella University, from which he has a B.S. in Information Technology.

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