



## Fmr. Senate Sgt-At-Arms Michael Stenger Dies Ahead Of Last-Minute J6 Hearing

### Description

USA: Michael Stenger, the former US Senate sergeant-at-arms in charge of security during the January 6, 2021 US Capitol breach, **died on Monday** at the age of 71. The cause and circumstances of his death were not immediately clear.



*Former Senate Sergeant-at-Arms Michael Stenger testifies before a congressional committee in February 2021. Stenger died on June 27, 2022. (CSPAN/Screenshot via The Epoch Times)*

A resident of Falls Church, VA, Stenger resigned the day after the J6 riot at the request of then-Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, who had originally hired Stenger for the post in 2018.

Stenger was responsible for **security in the Capitol and all Senate buildings, and serves as the Senate doorkeeper.**

*In remarks ([pdf](#)) before a congressional hearing on Feb. 23, 2021, **Stenger called the events of Jan. 6 “a violent, coordinated attack where the loss of life could have been much worse.”** He called for an investigation of “professional agitators” at the [January 6](#) protests.*

*“There is an opportunity to learn lessons from the events of January 6th,” he testified. “**Investigations should be considered as to funding and travel of what appears to be professional agitators.**” -Epoch Times*

Stenger's death was reported by Fox News' Chad Pergram on Monday, and tweeted by Rep. Marjorie Taylor Greene (R-GA), who said that he was “found dead today.”

Michael Stenger, Senate Sergeant at Arms on January 6th, was found dead today..

[pic.twitter.com/9upvUwrdtl](https://pic.twitter.com/9upvUwrdtl)

— Rep. Marjorie Taylor Greene?? (@RepMTG) [June 28, 2022](#)

According to former US Capitol Police Chief Steven Sund, Stenger and former House Sergeant-at-Arms Paul Irving **pushed back on an initial request to deploy the National Guard** after it became obvious that large crowds were amassing on Jan. 6.

**Stenger's death came one day before a J6 panel hearing that was abruptly added to the schedule**, in which an aide to former White House Chief-of-Staff Mark Meadows will testify to present “recently obtained evidence and receive witness testimony.”

*Cassidy Hutchinson, who served as a special assistant in the White House during the Trump administration, will take the stand to provide intel on last year's Capitol insurrection and the administration's response.*

*The House panel has yet to explain the newly added 1 p.m. hearing after Washington lawmakers were away on a two-week recess. The committee said last week no more hearings would be held until July. —[NY Post](#)*

Stenger said that the J6 riot went “well beyond disobedience.”

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