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Martinsburg VAMC names Acting Medical Center Director

MARTINSBURG, W.Va. – Bryan C. Matthews has been named the Acting Director for the Martinsburg VA Medical Center (VAMC). Timothy J. Cooke, who was detailed as the acting director for the regulatory limit of 120 days, resumed his position as associate director.

Matthews has been the associate director of the Washington D.C. VA Medical Center since 2013. Prior to that, Matthews served as the Associate Director for the Jack C. Montgomery VA Medical Center in Muskogee, Okla. Matthews is an Air Force Veteran with 22 years of service. He is a graduate of the University of Maryland and received his Masters of Business Administration in Healthcare Management from the University of Phoenix.

The Martinsburg VAMC services more than 126,000 Veterans living in 22 counties in Western Maryland, West Virginia, South Central Pennsylvania, and Northwest Virginia.

The recruiting efforts are continuing to find a permanent replacement for the former medical center director, Ann R. Brown.