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Wreaths Across America Set for Saturday, December 17, 2022

(Fernley & Boulder City, Nev.) – Wreaths Across America will be held on Saturday, December 17, 2022, at both the Northern and Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemeteries beginning at 9:00 a.m.

The event provides the opportunity to honor, remember and teach future generations about the service and sacrifice of our military heroes through this annual event. Over the years, the event has become a tradition for many Nevada families, service organizations as well as church and civic groups. The ceremony remembers and honors veterans by having participants lay a "wreath of remembrance" on each gravesite and saying aloud the name of each veteran as they do so.

Special thanks to the Nevada Veterans Coalition in northern Nevada and the Civil Air Patrol 802nd Squadron in southern Nevada for their assistance and support for this event. Wreaths Across America is conducted at more than 2,100 locations in the United States to remember our fallen veterans, honor those who serve, and teach children the value of freedom.

The Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery is located at 1900 Veterans Memorial Drive in Boulder City.

The Northern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery is located at 14 Veterans Way in Fernley.

About the Nevada Department of Veterans Services (NDVS)

NDVS is dedicated to helping Nevada veterans obtain the services and benefits they have earned through military service in the U.S. Armed Forces. In addition to offering benefits counseling and assistance, including filing VA claims at no cost, NDVS manages the Northern and Southern Nevada State Veterans Homes and the Northern and Southern Veterans Memorial Cemeteries. To learn more about NDVS programs or services, visit veterans.nv.gov and follow us on Twitter @NVDeptVeterans and Facebook @NevadaDepartmentofVeteransServices.

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