2015

VETERANS
MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY

“REMEMBERING”

OUR FALLEN COMRADES

DATE:  May 25th 2015- MONDAY
TIME:  10:00 A.M.

PLACE:  GREENVILLE COUNTY SQUARE
301 UNIVERSITY RIDGE
GREENVILLE, S.C. 29601
GREENVILLE COUNTY AND THE JOINT VETERAN'S COUNCIL WELCOMES YOU TO OUR 2015 MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY. WE ARE HONORED TO HAVE YOU AT THIS SPECIAL EVENT WHICH PAYS TRIBUTE TO OUR FALLEN COMRADES.

PRELUDE
UPSTATE SENIOR CONCERT BAND

OPENING REMARKS
GREENVILLE VETERANS AFFAIRS OFFICER
GEORGE BLEVINS

MASTER OF CEREMONIES
MILITARY ORDER OF PURPLE HEART
COMMANDER DOUGLAS GREENLAW

COLOR PRESENTATION
THE JAMES F. DANIEL, JR., POST #3
AMERICAN LEGION COLOR GUARD
CMDR. CHUCK ROUSE

OPENING PRAYER
SC STATE SENATOR
REVEREND KARL ALLEN

POW/MIA FLAG PLACEMENT
KOREAN WAR, MR FRANK TOOLEY
MARINE CORPS LEAGUE
PAST COMMANDANT BOB BURNS

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
RET AF COL STEPHAN CARROLL

NATIONAL ANTHEM
UPSTATE SENIOR CONCERT BAND
AND FIRST BAPTIST SIMPSONVILLE CHOIR
SPECIAL GUEST INTRODUCTION
RET. BRIG. GEN. BUTCH KIRVEN
HONORARY JOINT VETERANS COUNCIL CHAIRMAN
VICE CHAIRMAN GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL

UPSTATE SENIOR CONCERT BAND
MILITARY MARCHES-BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC
AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

ANNOUNCEMENT
VETERANS SERVICE CORPS OF SC
COMMANDER WILLIAM G. QUINTON

RET. BRIG. GEN BUTCH KIRVEN
“RECOGNIZES”
GOLD STAR AND BLUE STAR MOTHERS

MUSIC
SIMPSONVILLE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH CHOIR

SPECIAL COMMENTS
ROBERT KAPEL
SC ARMY NAT GUARD

WREATH PLACEMENT
GOLDSTAR MOTHER
MRS. RUTH HELEN MASSEY

RETIRE COLORS
AMERICAN LEGION POST #3
COLOR GUARD

RIFLE VOLLEY
CAPT. CHARLES F. GANDY, JR. HONOR GUARD
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE U.S. POST #6734

“ECHO” - TAPS
UPSTATE SENIOR CONCERT BAND

REFRESHMENTS: “MANA DELI”
“HOT DOGS & FIXINS”
ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL
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MR. RONNIE ROBERTS
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AND STAFF

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HONORARY CHAIRMAN: RET BG, USANG, MR BUTCH KIRVEN
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MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AM: PRESIDENT ROBERT D. HOLLOWAY, JR
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE U.S.: CC JAY IRICK
OWENS/KENNUMORE MARINE CORPS LEAGUE: CMDT WILLIAM E. WELLS II
VETERANS SERVICE CORPS OF S.C: CC WILLIAM G. QUINTON
MILITARY ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART, CH.845: CC DOUG GREENLAW
SCOTTISH AM. SOC. POST 1175: COMP. MR. LACHLAN HYATT
VETERANS AFFAIRS SERVICE OFFICER: MR. GEORGE BLEVINS
VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA: PRESIDENT PATRICK L. RAMSEY

GREENVILLE CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT
GREENVILLE CITY PARKS AND RECREATION
GREENVILLE VETERANS AFFAIRS STAFF:
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