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Greetings City of Dallas Family,

Tomorrow is a City Holiday, I want to express a special thank you and recognition to all our City of Dallas Veteran employees, particularly those who will be participating in tomorrow's Veteran's Day Parade at City Hall Plaza.

Veterans Day is observed annually on November 11th to honor those who served in the United States Armed Forces.

In 1918, on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month; an armistice (temporary cessation of hostilities) was declared between the Allied nations and Germany during World War I. Decades later, Congress passed a law designating November 11th, the official day to honor American veterans of all wars.

There are approximately 42,500 veterans who live in Dallas. The City of Dallas is a proud employer of 970 veterans. In March 2018, the Veteran Employee Resource Group (VERG) was formed to serve as a resource and support group for veteran and reserve City employees.

VERG's purpose is to create an awareness of local, state, and federal resources designed for veterans, promote vet-to-vet professional development, and lend support to veterans and their families when in need.

If you are interested in joining VERG, contact Vice President Kevin Belcher at kevin.belcher@dallas.gov.

To ensure veterans can thrive in Dallas, on May 2020, the City established the Veterans Affairs Commission which serves as an advisory body, representing the city's military veteran community and their needs. The commission evaluates programs and policies designed to alleviate veterans' difficulties in meeting basic needs, obtaining housing, employment, and comprehensive mental health assistance.

This Veterans Day, the City of Dallas would like to express its gratitude for all those who have served in the U. S. Armed Forces.

We salute you! Wishing you and all your families a happy Veteran's Day and a safe weekend!

THANK YOU for all you do in support of our "Service First" culture making the City of Dallas a great place to work and serve -- Together!

In the Spirit of Excellence!!

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