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LOUISVILLE TO DEDICATE FLAG COURT ON NOVEMBER 10, 2014

The Town of Louisville, Tennessee has scheduled a formal dedication of its newly constructed Flag Court at Louisville Town Hall for Monday, November 10, 2014. The ceremony will begin at 10:00 am. The project was designed to serve as a symbol of the importance of service to one's country and community. In addition to the flags of the United States, the State of Tennessee and the Town of Louisville, the flags of the United States Army, the United States Marine Corps, the United States Navy, the United States Air Force and the United States Coast Guard will be displayed. Louisville Mayor Tom Bickers explains that the design with the military service flags displayed along with the government flags was intentional. "We want everyone to have a daily reminder that the freedoms and blessings our governments provide us would not be possible without the service of those who have served in our armed forces."

United States Congressman Jimmy Duncan will be the guest speaker for the ceremony, and representatives of state and local government will also be in attendance. A representative of each branch of military service, including Brigadier General Mark Hart of the Tennessee Army National Guard, will speak when each service flag is raised during the ceremony. The Brass Quintet of the 572nd Air National Guard Band of the South will be performing and will play a musical salute after each flag is raised. Stephanie McKeen of the Tennessee Air National Guard is also scheduled to perform.

The public is encouraged to attend, particularly those who are currently serving or have served in the military as the community pays tribute to their service. A reception will be held inside the Louisville Community Center upon conclusion of the ceremony. Information can also be found at www.townoflouisville.com.