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MCC ceremony to honor veterans, military families

OMAHA, Neb. — Metropolitan Community College's Veterans Day ceremony will be held on Nov. 10 at 11 a.m. in Room 120 of the Industrial Training Center at the South Omaha Campus, 27th and Q streets. The event will feature keynote speaker Command Sergeant Master Marty Baker as well as a formal ceremony to honor veterans past and present.

The event is free and open to the public and will be hosted by MCC's Military/Veterans Services, a program at MCC that aims to help service members reach their educational goals through advising, counseling, career coaching and support events. The ceremony will feature MCC faculty member Gary Sparks as emcee.

"The Veterans Day ceremony is a special event for us every year because it gives the College and the community a chance to honor those who have given so much for our nation," said Armando Perez, veterans certifying official at MCC. "We highly encourage the public to come and thank our veterans at this ceremony as well as have a chance to pay respects."

For more information about MCC's Military/Veterans Services, visit mccneb.edu/mvs.

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Metropolitan Community College, accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, is a comprehensive, public community college that offers affordable, quality education to all residents of Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy and Washington counties. Founded in 1974, MCC has the largest enrollment out of six community colleges in Nebraska and is the second largest postsecondary institution in the state. MCC serves more than 40,000 unique credit and noncredit students.