



Tarrant County Veterans Council

From: Ken Cox
Tarrant County Veterans Council President (2018)

To: ALL DOWNTOWN BUSINESSES

The 2018 TARRANT COUNTY VETERANS DAY PARADE is scheduled for Saturday 10 November, 2018 from about 10:00 till Noon

The Tarrant County Veterans Council would like to thank the following for their advice, cooperation and support without which this annual event could not happen.

The Fort Worth City Council, Outdoor Event staff and the Police Department

Tarrant County, Tarrant County Regional Water District and the Panther Island Pavilion Staff.

Naval Air Station Fort Worth JRB for providing equipment and outstanding personnel.

Fort Worth Independent School District for support with student participation and bus transportation.

Sundance Square Management for their expertise and providing a wonderful environment.

Downtown Fort Worth, Inc., Tarrant County Community College and many Local Businesses for providing materials, supplies and support and assistance along the route.

Our Sponsors that pay for the stuff we must pay for.

And most of all the great people that volunteer to continue this tradition started in 1919.

The theme for 2018 parade is:

“The War to End All Wars”

Additional efforts will be made to communicate information in accordance with city policy. However, despite our best efforts we expect to miss somebody. **We would like to request all downtown businesses, City offices and The County Court house to note the date and expect street closures including Belknap, Weatherford, Houston and Main street on that day until at least noon.**

Failure of a property owner to return written comments within ten (10) days shall be considered as non-opposition to the proposed Special Event or Parade.

The city pre event planning meeting will be scheduled by The City of Fort Worth Outdoor Events Manager, Cynthia Alexander, 817-392-7894, who will contact city services, emergency response, Sundance Square management, Tarrant Regional Water District and other necessary officials with the meeting date at a later time.

Please join us to honor our veterans who have patriotically served their country. We recommend viewing the parade downtown on Main or Houston Street between Weatherford and 5th or in Sundance Square Plaza.

As always all administrative work is done by unpaid volunteers, however cash donations are needed to pay for required insurance, safety equipment, portable restrooms and misc. items. Most of the cost is offset by the equipment, services and personnel provided by the City of Fort Worth, NAS Fort Worth JRB and many patriotic businesses. 100% of parade donations are used directly for parade support. If you, your organization or business would like to volunteer, provide services or contribute please see our web site for contact information..

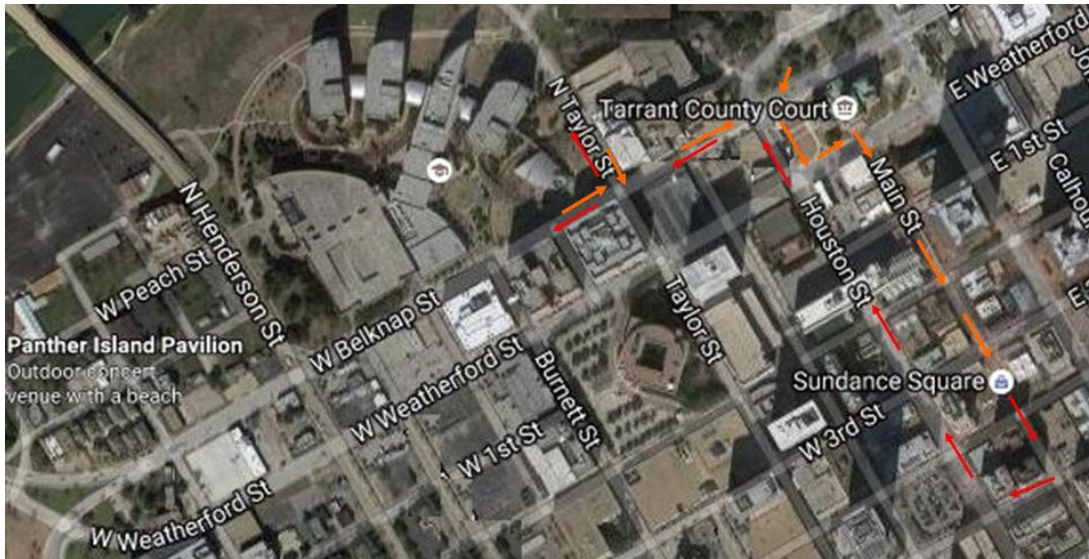
Additional information is available at our web site: www.TarrantCountyVeteransCouncil.org

Saturday 10 November 2018 Veterans Day Parade Route

PARADE PARTICIPANTS will assemble at the Panther Island Pavilion unless directed to another location (enter at 395 Purcey St, Fort Worth) beginning at 8:30 am. All floats and vehicles must be in place by 10:00 am.

THE POLICE WILL SHUT DOWN ALL STREETS ON THE PARADE ROUTE FROM THE TARRANT COUNTY COURTHOUSE THROUGH DOWNTOWN TO 5th STREET FROM 10:00 AM until the parade ends (about 1230).

Route of March



Please enjoy the parade. The school bands insert from Weatherford St. so we recommend being downtown by 11:00 to see the parade on Houston or Main St. between Belknap and 5th or near the reviewing stand area in Sundance Square.

The full parade route will be closed

We are sorry for the temporary inconvenience but encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity to watch the parade in honor of those veterans who have patriotically served and are now serving our country. Additionally this is a chance to publicly recognize the JROTC students that will serve our country in the future.

The 2017 Parade photos are available at www.TarrantCountyVeteransCouncil.org

QUESTIONS? You are most welcome at our meetings or to email us at tcvc@tcvc.us

We have a Parade Committee meeting every month on the 2nd Saturday, 10:00 am at American Legion Post 297, 8201 Old Benbrook Rd., Benbrook, TX 76126

To become a sponsor, supporter or put an entry in the parade, please see our webpage at www.TarrantCountyVeterans.org.

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