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HONORING THOSE WHO SERVED: VETERANS HOST MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM AT HISTORIC COURTHOUSE

ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO – The St. Charles County Veterans Committee and St. Charles City Veterans Commission will host their annual Memorial Day Program at 1 p.m. on Monday, May 28, on the grounds of the St. Charles County Historic Courthouse/Executive Office Building, 100 N. Third St., St. Charles. The event is free and open to the public.

The program includes music provided by the St. Charles Municipal Band, welcome addresses by St. Charles County Executive Steve Ehlmann and City of St. Charles Mayor Sally Faith, roll call of departed veterans, and presentation of colors and wreath-laying ceremonies.

Attendees are asked to bring lawn chairs, as seating is limited. In case of inclement weather, the event will be held at the St. Charles County Administration Building, 201 N. Second St., Room 115/116, St. Charles. Seating is available if the program is moved indoors.

For more information, please contact Tom Stephenson at 636-946-2038.

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About St. Charles County:

Founded in 1812, St. Charles County is one of the fastest growing counties in Missouri, and the state's third largest county in both population and economic share. St. Charles County consistently ranks one of the healthiest places to live in Missouri in the County Health Rankings report published by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. It is home to 12 scenic county parks encompassing more than 2,800 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.

With a population of 385,840, St. Charles County is home to large employers including General Motors, Citi, MasterCard Worldwide and Boeing. It is ranked among the top 25 counties in the nation in high-tech job growth by the Progressive Policy Institute and consistently has the lowest unemployment rate in the Metropolitan St. Louis area.

St. Charles County Government employs nearly 1,100 in more than 30 departments and offices, who work to make the county an excellent place to live, work and shop. For more information, please visit www.sccmo.org.