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To: Office, Clerks; Mayor
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Subject: RE: [External Email] Re: Highway of Heroes Ride Nova Scotia 20 Aug 2022
Attachments: dartmouth.docx

Good day Mayor and City Council,
I do hope this email and request finds you all well.

My Name is George Anthis CD and I'm a Canadian Army Veteran. I'm the organizer for the Highway of Heroes Ride that is in its 5th year. My reason for doing this ride is I have lost many friends and colleagues during my career and I was having a hard time trying to figure out a way to honour them. So I created the ride which honours all of our losses, this ride is not just about our Military Members, its also about our Police, Fire and EMS.

Last year I was honoured to have the Police and Fire departments involved. This ride is open to everyone you don't need to be on two wheels to participate, last year we had 246 motorcycles and 24 vehicles. Many people from the Dartmouth area showed up to pay respect and to meet all our members of the Military current and retired as well as the Police and Fire personel. It was an amazing thing to see.

This year I'm hoping to have in addition to the Police and Fire departments attending, i'm looking at bringing the Canadian Forces Snowbirds for a flypast. This flypast will come up from our Halifax harbour along the Circ in a normal formation, then turn around at approx burnside and head back down the circ and perform the Man Down formation at Dartmouth Value Village. This if approved will happen at 1145hrs.

At this point Truro Mayer Bill Mills has approved this request for a fly past in his area to end the ride and I truly hope that you will approve this request so that the Snowbirds can start off the Ride.

I have attached the letter that needs to be signed so that I can forward to the HQ as well as the flight plan.

I do hope you can find it in your hearts to approve this request to honour our fallen as well as to say thank you to our current serving members.

If you require any further information or would like to meet please feel free to contact me. Please note this is not a fundraiser it is all about respect. You are all welcome to attend this event and I hope to see you all.

Timings

Participants arrive around 1000 1030hours
Safety Briefing at 1130hrs
Prayer 1140
Fly past 1145
Form up and depart 1200
Arrive Truro 1315
Fly Past 1330
Coffee and donuts at Tim Hortons Power Centre Truro

I look forward to hearing from you

Kindest regards
George Anthis CD



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