



TOWN OF IRONDEQUOIT

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AMERICAN LEGION RENEWS CALLS FOR FLAG DONATIONS

Town of Irondequoit to hold annual Veterans Day ceremony on November 11th

Irondequoit is proud to boast such a large population of veterans. And with Veterans Day approaching, Irondequoit American Legion Post #134 is renewing its call for flag donations from families of veterans.

The flags flown above the Veterans' Memorial at Camp Eastman, Town Hall and all other public locations in Irondequoit are donated by families of deceased veterans. Flags received by the American Legion will hang above public spaces throughout Town, a fitting tribute the thousands of Irondequoit residents who have fought to protect the freedom of our country.

Anyone interesting in donating a flag may drop it off at the Irondequoit Community Center, 154 Pinegrove Avenue, with a copy of the discharge papers. In return for your donation, the Town of Irondequoit and the American Legion will see that your family receives a framed Certificate of Distinction, naming the veteran, branch, and time of service.

On Sunday, **November 11th**, all residents are invited to attend Irondequoit's annual Veteran's Day observance. The ceremony will be held at the site of the American Legion's flagpole at the Veterans' Memorial at Camp Eastman.

The event will include an honorary color guard, invocation ceremony, remarks by Irondequoit Supervisor Mary Ellen Heyman and Commander Peter Fantigrossi of American Legion Post #134, taps played by local students, and the raising and lowering of the American flag. Complete details are as follows:

**Irondequoit Veterans Day Observance
Camp Eastman – Lakeshore Boulevard
Sunday, November 11, 2007
10:45 a.m.**

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