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Mayor Jonathan Hornik Announces Veterans Day Ceremony Police Division Honor Guard will Present Laying of the Wreath

MARLBORO TOWNSHIP, NEW JERSEY (November 5, 2015) - In observance of Veterans Day 2015, Mayor Jonathan Hornik has directed the Police Division Honor Guard to provide the laying of the memorial wreath at the Marlboro Township Veterans Memorial. Police Capt. Peter Pezzullo, a Marine Corp Veteran of the Gulf War, code named Desert Storm, will lead the Honor Guard detail. The ceremony will begin promptly at 11:00 am on Wednesday, November 11, 2015. The Veteran's Memorial is in front of the Municipal Complex located at 1979 Township Drive. The public is invited to attend.

As we near Veteran's Day, honoring the service and sacrifice of all our Military Veterans, residents are asked to inspect their American Flag for wear, fading or damage. If a Flag is unused or should be retired it may be brought to the American Flag Disposal bin located in the lobby of Town Hall.

The bin was built and donated by Marlboro resident and US Navy Veteran, William Waple in May, 2014. Mr. Waple has since partnered with Marlboro Boy Scout Troop 86 who now collects the flags and arranges the ceremony to properly honor the flags that are damaged or no longer in service. Boy Scout Troop 86 may be reached at info@BSATroop86.org.

Mayor Jonathan Hornik stated, "My sincere thanks to Bill Waple for building and donating the Flag Disposal bin. The bin serves as a reminder of the service and sacrifice of all of our Military Veterans each time I walk into Town Hall." He continued, "Since being placed in Town Hall over 200 flags been collected and correctly disposed of. The commitment and cooperation between Mr. Waple and Boy Scout Troop 86 again reminds me how fortunate we are to have so many residents who take time to give back."

The Flag Disposal bin is in the Marlboro Town Hall lobby located at 1979 Township Drive and is accessible during normal business hours. For more information, please call Mayor Jon Hornik's office.

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