Veterans Day 2026

WHEREAS, every United States citizen is extraordinarily grateful and indebted to all United States military service members, for putting their lives in harm's way to protect and preserve our freedom, liberty, and the American way of life both at home and abroad; and

WHEREAS, Veterans Day is celebrated by those who have bravely served or are currently serving in the Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, and Space Force in active duty, the reserves, or the National Guard; and

WHEREAS, Orange County is home to over 80,000 veterans, who are the epitome of duty and sacrifice, but also community contributors who make Orange County the incredible community that we all call home; and

WHEREAS, it is crucial that we annually commemorate, honor, and remember those who have bravely served our nation; and

WHEREAS, Orange County is dedicated to ensuring that quality services and opportunities are provided to servicemembers and their families; and

WHEREAS, veterans continue to support their communities and partake in civic duties such as volunteering to assist their fellow veterans adjust to civilian life, or provide other special support services; and

WHEREAS, today and every day, it is vital that we encourage community members and leaders to support and stand by our veterans.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange does hereby express its deepest gratitude to all veterans for their courage and service to the United States and calls on the residents of Orange County to recognize the contributions of each veteran and honor them on this Veterans Day and every day.