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St. Mary's County to Host Free Veterans Resource Day Nov. 6

LEONARDTOWN, MD – October 19, 2026 – The St. Mary's County Department of Aging & Human Services invites veterans, active-duty service members and their families to attend Veterans Resource Day on Friday, Nov. 6, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the University of Maryland at Southern Maryland, located at 44219 Airport Road in California, Maryland.

This free event will bring together more than 20 organizations offering resources, information and support for veterans and service members. Disabled American Veterans (DAV) representatives will be available throughout the event to answer questions and assist with benefits claims.

Attendees can also participate in the following presentations:

- **10-11 a.m. – Protecting Yourself Against Fraud & Identity Theft:** Presented by Matthew Bellerose and Gloria Castillo of Navy Federal Credit Union.
- **12:30-1:30 p.m. – Suicide Awareness & Prevention:** Presented by Greg Reuss, U.S. Marine Corps veteran and representative of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.

A free lunch will be provided at noon by Mission BBQ.

Veterans Resource Day is free and open to the public. Veterans, service members, family members and friends are encouraged to attend. Advance registration is not required, but those who register online at www.stmaryscountymd.gov/aging/veterans can skip the registration line and will be eligible for a special prize.

The Department of Aging & Human Services thanks event sponsors Green Acres Nursing Center, Charlotte Hall Veterans Home, Band of Brothers Southern Maryland Chapter and Williams, McClernan & Stack for their generous support.

For more information, contact Nicoletta Pollice, Community Programs & Outreach Division manager, at 301-475-4200, ext. 1074, or nicoletta.pollice@stmaryscountymd.gov.

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