



## CITY OF COMMERCE AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Honorable City Council

**Item No. \_\_\_\_\_**

**FROM:** City Administrator

**SUBJECT:** ARMED FORCES CEREMONY

**MEETING DATE:** May 15, 2018

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

The City Council will conduct a special candle lighting ceremony honoring the five branches of the military service and memorial ceremony to honor those killed or missing in action.

**ANALYSIS/BACKGROUND:**

On May 6, 2003, the City Council adopted a resolution recognizing United States Armed Forces and holds a special ceremony honoring residents who have served.

The City Council holds a special ceremony honoring Americans serving in the five U.S. Armed Forces.

Army  
Navy  
Marines  
Air Force  
Coast Guard

This event will coincide with Armed Forces Day celebrated nationally on the third Saturday in May.

The City Council will also conduct a special "Candlelight" Ceremony in remembrance of Memorial Day (May 28, 2018) in which we honor all U.S. men and women killed or missing in action in all wars.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This activity can be carried out without additional impact on the current operating budget.

**RELATIONSHIP TO STRATEGIC GOALS:**

This item is consistent with Council's historic commitment to recognizing the sacrifice of veterans in the City of Commerce.

Respectfully submitted: Edgar P. Cisneros

Recommended by: Robert Lipton