

## 2024 Tarrant County Veterans Day Parade



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## *PARADE WEBSITE LAUNCHES*

FORT WORTH, Texas – The parade website supporting the 2024 Tarrant County Veterans Day Parade on Monday, November 11, has launched, according to the parade planning committee.

“Saluting Cowtown” is the theme of this year’s celebration. Participants will form up in the Fort Worth Panther Island Pavilion parking lot, march down North Forest Park Blvd. along the Clear Fork of the Trinity River, and return. Although months away, The Tarrant County Veterans Council (TCVC) is busy planning for this special event.

A parade website has launched (<https://www.FW175Parade.com>) and the parade committee is soliciting support from individuals and organizations across North Texas for this year’s festivity.

This year marks 175 years since the first military post was established in North Central Texas. On Nov. 14, 1849, the U.S. War Dept. officially granted the name Fort Worth to the post near the confluence of the Clear and West forks of the Trinity.

“Everyone can join in saluting the city, and all military veterans who have, are and will continue to make great contributions,” notes Parade Chairman Ken Cox. “Simply visit our website where you can learn how to support, volunteer, and take part.

“Will you consider joining this year’s festivities?” Cox asks. “If you’re not available, please help us spread the word. A parade poster’s available online to download and distribute. Hope y’all can join our Cowtown Salute on Veterans Day 2024.”

Fort Worth’s annual Veterans Day celebration began more than 100 years ago as an armistice procession through downtown in 1919 to honor those who had fought in World War I.

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