

2024 Tarrant County Veterans Day Parade



SALUTING COWTOWN

175-YEAR MILITARY LEGACY
frontiers & more

...from frontier soldiers to space

NEWS RELEASE

Volunteers & Supporters Needed

TCVC is reaching out to community leaders for help in spreading the word about this year's Tarrant County Veterans Day Parade. The Council is seeking volunteers and contributors to assist with the celebration.

"Saluting Cowtown" is the theme of the 2024 parade set to step off on Monday, Nov. 11, at 11 a.m. 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.

This 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.

Although months away, the Veterans Council 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 to help with this year's celebration.

"Everyone can join in saluting Cowtown, and all the military veterans who have, are and 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 exists online for download and distribution. We 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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