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Dear fellow Veteran,

The Hardyston Town Council, along with the Economic Development Advisory Commission, are planning to construct a memorial honoring the military service of all of our veterans, especially those who reside in Hardyston Township. The memorial, a stately engraved granite monument, will be located at the Hardyston Township Municipal and Police Complex near the existing flag pole/garden area. In addition to the monument, an "Honor Walk" area will be constructed out of brick pavers in the area where the monument will be located. Each of the pavers will be able to be individually engraved in order to honor a specific veteran, listing his/her name, branch and date of service. It is the Township's intention that these engraved pavers would honor veterans, living or deceased, who either live or have lived in the Township of Hardyston at some point in their lives.

We have negotiated with a local company who will provide the pavers. The cost for engraving and delivery is \$39.00 per brick. We encourage our veterans and the families of our honored veterans to consider purchasing a stone to commemorate their service and become part of the legacy of honor that we are trying to create in tribute and respect of those who have committed themselves to military service.

Orders for the pavers can be placed by completing the enclosed order form. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Patty Egan at the Municipal Building at 973-823-7020 x9441. In an effort to reach as many potential veterans as possible, we also ask for your help in locating other eligible veterans who may not be reached by this letter. Kindly let Patty know if there are additional veterans that you are aware of that may not have been notified of this opportunity, so that we may also contact them and offer for them to participate in this endeavor. If you would like to participate, but are unable to afford the paver fee, please contact us. While our resources are limited, we want to make sure that all of our veterans have an opportunity to be honored.

Our target date for the dedication of this memorial is Hardyston Day, September 6th, 2014. We will continue to take orders for memorial pavers as this will be an ongoing effort.

We once again want to sincerely thank you for your service and hope that you can join us in this exciting and honorable project.

Very truly yours,

Carl Miller
Councilman and Chairman of the Hardyston Twp.
Economic Development Commission
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