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**VETERANS DAY CEREMONY TO BE HELD AT THE VIRGINIA
WAR MEMORIAL**

RICHMOND, Va. – The Virginia War Memorial, 621 S. Belvidere St., Richmond, will conduct their annual Veterans Day Ceremony on Wednesday, November 11, 2009, at 10:00 a.m. This ceremony is held to honor all veterans who have served our country past and present and to remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice. The 11th District American Legion is a co-host.

The guest speaker will be Brigadier General Jesse Cross, the 50th Quartermaster General as well as Commanding General, United States Army Quartermaster Center and School and Deputy Commanding General, Fort Lee, Virginia. The ceremony will be held outdoors with seating provided, rain or shine.

Veteran and civic organizations will present memorial wreaths and American Legion Post 84 will provide the Color Guard, buglers and rifle squad. St. Andrew's Legion Pipes and Drums will perform.

This event is free, family friendly and open to the public with free parking for our guests.

For more information, please contact Candi Shelton at the Memorial, 804-786-2062 or cshelton@vawarmemorial.org.

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