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**City of Port Orange and Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 3282 Announce
Virtual Event for Memorial Day 2020**

Port Orange, FL – During this challenging time for our country, the City of Port Orange and the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 3282 are taking proactive measures to keep residents and the at-risk population safe, that it is with great sadness that the 2020 Memorial Day Ceremony will be an online event only.

On Monday, May 25, Memorial Day 2020 will be observed with a virtual commemoration to honor our veterans who gave their lives for their country. Please tune in to the City's social media Facebook Page, "Port Orange City Hall," <https://www.facebook.com/Port-Orange-City-Hall-219044134901230/>, starting at 9:45 am, with the virtual ceremony to include pre-recorded speeches from Mayor Don Burnette, City Council Member for District 2, Chase Tramont and City Council Member for District 4, Scott Stiltner. At 10:00 am, the ceremony will continue with the display of colors, laying of the commemorative wreath and a 21-gun salute Live at Veterans Park in Port Orange.

"We must take the necessary precautions to keep our community safe at this time," said John McClellan, Quartermaster at VFW. *"We look forward to welcoming you all back for future ceremonies when we can safely gather in large numbers again. We appreciate your understanding during this difficult time."*

For any questions, please call 386-506-5868 or visit VFW's website at: <https://www.vfwpost3282.org/> for more details.

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