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Santa Rosa Scout Troop 55

483 Trans Bn. Army Reserves

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Vets Club Members: John Adams, Dave Crockett, John DeGroot, Tom

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☆Welcome & MC Introduction:

John De Groot, U.S. Army Vietnam, Oakmont Vets Club

☆Program Introduction:

Mark Randol, Master of Ceremonies, U.S. Airforce Vet and OVA V.P.

☆Call-To-Colors:

Soloist, Christopher Severson

☆Flag Ceremony - Pledge of Allegiance:

Santa Rosa Scout Troop 55, led by Sean Smilie

☆Singing of our National Anthem:

Accompaniment by New Horizons and Sonoma Hometown Bands

☆Veteran Recognition by Service:

Armed Forces Medley - Army, Marines, Navy, Airforce, and Coast Guard (Please Stand as your Branch of Service is Called)

☆Special Recognitions:

Kathy Ruiz, Widow of Mel Ruiz who started Oakmont Veteran's Day Parade

Karen Vogl, widow of David Vogl who began the Oakmont Vets Club

John Adams, Current Vets Club Chair

Pat Hendricks, RN / Army Veteran

Michael Hudson, Navy Veteran / Parade Organizer

David Crockett, Marine Veteran / Parade Marshall

David Moore, Parade Vehicles & Riders Coordinator

☆WW2 & Korean Veterans:

Bob Anderson, David Bockelman, Wendel Freeman, Sumner Johnson, Ken Philo, and Ed Pierson

☆Introduction of Featured Speaker:

Mr. Larry Seaton, Society Member of the Honor Guard Tomb of the Unknown.

Larry is one of only 600 living Sentinels today, who is honored to wear Tomb

Badge #106. He walked the Tomb from December 1970 until November 1971.

☆Concluding Remarks:

Mark Randol, Master of Ceremonies

☆Ending Finale:

Ms. Kay Oppenheimer, Oakmont Resident & Featured Soloist
Singing God Bless America, accompanied by the band.

Now, all together, join-in singing the song a second time.