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Re: Letter of Support for WWI Memorial Proposal

To the Honorable City Council,

Following a presentation by Mr. Chris Bach at the September 4, 2024 Military and Veterans Commission Meeting, the commission would like to express the utmost support of the proposed World War I Memorial located on the Southwest Green (AKA Boy Scout Cabin site), including the design and materials presented. With a targeted deadline of Veterans Day 2024, the Military and Veterans Commission is hopeful City Council will agree with moving forward on the project. If the targeted deadline is met, the 2024 Veterans Day Ceremony will be held in combination with the World War I Memorial Dedication at the Boy Scout Cabin site. The Military and Veterans Commission is willing to assist with any tasks that may need accomplished to ensure the deadline is met.

Respectfully,

Mr. John Liesen, Chair Dr. Benjamin Baran Mr. Nathan Cook

Mr. William Lockwood Mr. John Niemczura