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Greetings!

The Sharpsburg Memorial Day Committee is pleased to invite you to participate in the 158<sup>th</sup> Memorial Day Wreath Laying and Parade. **This year's theme commemorates "250 Years of Sacrifice and Service: The Birth of America's Armed Forces."** Events will begin at 11:00 a.m., on Saturday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, with a ceremony at the war memorial monuments in the Town Square; you or your representative will provide a wreath for placement.

Following the morning ceremony, a luncheon will be provided by the Town of Sharpsburg only to participants of **both** the wreath laying and parade, along with one guest. Upon arrival, all ceremony participants should report to the registration table, located in front of Town Hall, by 10:45 a.m. to check in and obtain lunch voucher(s). Following lunch, the annual parade will begin at 2:00 p.m. Parade guests must supply their own transportation and signage for their vehicles.

To participate in this year's event, please complete and return the attached RSVP slip in the provided self-addressed stamped envelope. If you have any questions, you may contact Sharpsburg Town Hall at (301) 432-4428. All entries must be received by **April 15, 2025**.

The Sharpsburg Memorial Day Committee is committed to delivering a quality event for guests and participants. We appreciate your support in helping us to continue this very historic annual event, and look forward to seeing you there!

Sincerely,

Jacob Martz  
 Vice Mayor & Memorial Day Committee Chairman

Wreath Laying Ceremony and Parade RSVP Slip

Name & Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Point of Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

I will be participating in (circle one):      The Wreath Laying Only                                      The Wreath Laying and Parade

Number of Lunch Voucher(s) (Lunch provided only to participants of both ceremony and parade, and one guest): \_\_\_\_\_