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FedEx Commits \$1 Million Gift to Support Work of the National Veterans Memorial and Museum

(COLUMBUS, Ohio) – Lt. General Michael Ferriter, U.S. Army (Retired), president and CEO at the National Veterans Memorial and Museum, today announced that FedEx Corporation has pledged a \$1 million gift to the memorial and museum over the next four years.

“We are incredibly grateful to FedEx and Fred Smith, FedEx Corporation founder, chairman, and CEO, for this generous gift that will help us continue to propel our mission through innovative programs and exhibits that connect Veterans and communities,” said Lt. General Ferriter. “Fred is a proud U.S. Marine Corps and combat Veteran who served meritoriously in Vietnam. He understands the importance of what we are doing to impact the lives of Veterans, their families and civilians here at the National Veterans Memorial and Museum.”

“FedEx is proud to support the National Veterans Memorial and Museum and its educational mission to honor the dedicated men and women who have served and those currently serving at home and abroad,” said Frederick W. Smith, chairman and CEO, FedEx Corp.

This gift from FedEx will help the museum sustain its work honoring and connecting Veterans, inspiring and educating the public through Veterans’ stories and making a difference in the lives of those who engage with the memorial and museum virtually or in person.

Located in Columbus, Ohio, the National Veterans Memorial and Museum opened its doors in October 2018 as the nation’s only museum dedicated to telling the stories of ALL Veterans from all branches of service during wartime and in peace.

About the National Veterans Memorial and Museum

The National Veterans Memorial and Museum is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that takes visitors on a narrative journey telling individual stories and sharing experiences of Veterans from all military branches throughout history. The Memorial and Museum also honors the sacrifices of men and women in service and their families. History is presented in a dynamic, participatory experience with photos, letters and personal effects, multimedia presentations, interactive exhibits, online events and digital content. Together, these elements link our national story to the larger context of our world. For more information, please visit NationalVMM.org.

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