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**“Saluting Women Who Serve”:
A Special Women’s History Month Event**

COLUMBUS, Ohio - Join us for a special Women’s History Month event honoring the voices and experiences of female veterans. Hosted by the City of Columbus City Council and the National Veterans Memorial and Museum, this gathering will provide a space for inspiration, storytelling, and meaningful conversations

The event will take place on Thursday, March 19 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the National Veterans Memorial and Museum, 300 W. Broad St. in Columbus. The evening will begin with refreshments and networking at 5 p.m., the program begins at 5:30 p.m. with an introduction by Columbus Councilmember Nancy Day-Achauer. U.S. Navy Veteran, former astronaut and past COSI president and CEO Kathryn Sullivan, Ph.D., will deliver a brief keynote address.

Attendees will have the opportunity to participate in casual small-group discussions to hear the stories of female veterans and connect with women who have served. This event is open to all female veterans and members of the public, because every story of service deserves to be heard and honored.

Admission is FREE. However, advance tickets are required and may be ordered here. Free parking is available.



**Kathryn Sullivan, Ph.D.
Keynote Speaker**

About Columbus City Council

Columbus City Council consists of nine members representing more than 900,000 Columbus residents and are elected to serve a four-year term. The Council is the legislative branch of the City with the responsibility of adopting annual operating and capital budgets, city contracts and enacting the Columbus City Codes. Council also establishes land use policy through its zoning powers. The Council team continues its efforts to gather valuable insight on the issues, concerns and priorities of residents to draft legislation to build a stronger Columbus for all.

About the National Veterans Memorial and Museum

The National Veterans Memorial and Museum seeks to honor all Veterans, elevate their stories, and amplify the power of service for everyone, everywhere. The Museum takes visitors on a narrative journey telling individual stories and sharing experiences of Veterans from all military branches throughout history.

The National Veterans Memorial and Museum pays tribute to the sacrifices of men and women in service and their families. History is presented through a dynamic, participatory experience with photos, letters and personal effects, multi-media presentations, and interactive exhibits. Together, these elements link our national story of service to the larger context of the world.

The NVMM is located at 300 W. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215.

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