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COMBAT VETERANS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION TENNESSEE CHAPTER 18-6

In Support of with the WEST TENNESSEE VETERANS HOME INC.

Memphis Tennessee-The Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association Tennessee Chapter 18-6 would like to formally announce the creation of the West Tennessee Veterans Home Motorcycle Rally. This event is to be held October the 16th and 17th of 2015.

Details will be announced at a news conference on Monday, November 10, 2014, 1 p.m., at Veteran's Plaza in Overton Park, directly across from the Memphis Arts Academy Building.

Congressman Steve Cohen, State Senator Mark Norris and Shelby County Mayor Mark H. Luttrell, Jr., will give remarks about the continuing effort to raise funds to build the West Tennessee Veterans Home.

The long term mission of the Motorcycle Rally is to raise the funding and awareness in order to build a much needed Veterans Home here in the western part of the Great State of Tennessee. A tremendous need for a Veterans Home in this area has been identified due to the fact that there are over 71,000 Veterans collectively in the counties of Fayette, Shelby and Tipton counties. At present there is no local facility of this nature to support these Veterans.

This event is sponsored by the Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association, Tennessee Chapter 18-6, a not for Profit (501C19) Veterans Association dedicated to serving our Veteran's needs, both nationally and locally.

This two day event will begin on the 16th of OCT 2015 with the kickoff of the Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association Tennessee Chapter 18-6 Inaugural "Smoking for the Veterans Home BBQ". This will be followed on the 17th with a charity Motorcycle Ride and Rally.

The aforementioned motorcycle ride starting point is proudly sponsored by The Carriage Crossing Mall in Collierville, Tennessee. This ride will be a law enforcement escorted 35 mile trek from Carriage Crossing Mall to the final destination point in Millington, Tennessee. Registration will begin at 7:00AM and the ride will leave (KSU) at 10:30AM. The Cost of the Charity Ride is \$30.00 per rider. (Includes the event shirt).

The Motorcycle Rally Point and all activities for the two day event will be in Millington, Tennessee adjacent to the Pat Thompson Center and NSA Memphis base gym parking area and recreation fields.

An overview of the day's events following the motorcycle ride includes live music, multiple vendors, guest speakers and the completion of the BBQ Contest.

Future announcements concerning fund raising activities can be located on the internet by visiting www.WTVHmotorcyclerrally.com and on Face Book at "West Tennessee Veterans Home Motorcycle Rally".

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This two-day event is projected to be the largest motorcycle event in the West Tennessee area to date.

The point of contact for this event is the hosting organization The Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association Tennessee Chapter 18-6.

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