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Media Opportunity **Fort Carson remembers 9-11 attacks with wreath-laying ceremony**

FORT CARSON, Colo. – A commemorative 9-11 wreath-laying ceremony will be held Friday at 9 a.m. at the Kit Carson Memorial Park next to Fort Carson's Gate 1.

Maj. Gen. Matthew McFarlane, Fort Carson and 4th Infantry Division commanding general, will be joined by Don Addy, Fort Carson good neighbor and community leader, to mark the 19th anniversary of the terrorist attack on the United States.

Following remarks, wreaths will be laid at the 9-11 memorial in the park, and the ceremony will conclude with a moment of silence.

On Sept. 11, 2001, terrorists hijacked and deliberately crashed passenger jets into the World Trade Center in New York City and the Pentagon in Arlington, Va. Another hijacked passenger jet crashed into a field near Shanksville, Pa. The attacks killed over 2,970 Americans and injured another 6,000.

Media who are interested in covering this event should RSVP to the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-7525 by 4 p.m. Thursday.

For more information contact the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-4143/7525. After hours, please contact the 24-hour Fort Carson Operations Center at 526-5500 and ask for the On-Call Public Affairs Officer.