



We are pleased to announce that the American Legion Post 87 is sponsoring the Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall for another appearance in Wharton County. The Memorial Wall will be on display on Blossom Meyer by the Northside Elementary in El Campo from July 16-19, 2015. (same location as last appearance)

The cost to bring the Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall, including appearance expenses, is approx. \$12,000.00. We are reaching out to the community of Wharton County to help fund this event.

All funds raised will go towards the cost of the use of the Memorial Wall, cost of transportation including fuel charge, travel expenses and the cost of 2 hotel rooms for the Wall manager and assistant, plus related expenses needed during the appearance time.

Any monies raised over the needed cost will be donated to *Everyday Heroes Van Fund*, a local Wharton County, non-profit organization, whose only mission is to provide support for all Veterans and *TexasCapital Vietnam Veterans Monument* to help support the ongoing education efforts.

The Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall is a 3/5 scale of the Vietnam Memorial in Washington, D.C, stands 6 feet tall at the center and covers almost 300 feet in length. This Memorial was made for the purpose of healing and stands as a reminder of the great sacrifices made during the Vietnam War.

Donations can be made to: American Legion Post 87; Mailing address: P.O. Box 162 Wharton, Texas 77488. The American Legion Rowold-Mays Post 87 is a non-profit 501 (c) (19).

Please feel free to contact Johnnie Gonzales (979) 618-6344 or Sarah Hudgins (281) 433-3357 with any questions.

Thank you for your support to our Veterans.

Respectfully,

Sarah Hudgins
Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall
Event Coordinator