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Syracuse Hancock International Airport Host Honor Flight Syracuse on October 4th

Syracuse, New York – On October 4th, 2014 Honor Flight Syracuse will depart for its fourth mission from Syracuse Hancock International Airport on US Airways. Honor Flight Syracuse has embarked on an ambitious plan to fly up to four missions each year to serve Veterans from the greater Syracuse area, Northern New York State, and the Mohawk Valley. They exist to express our deep and undying gratitude to the service men and women who served and sacrificed for America.

These missions transport America's veterans to Washington, D.C. to visit the national memorials dedicated to their service and sacrifice. Top priority is given to the most senior-citizen heroes and any war veteran with a terminal illness.

The October 4th mission will kick off with check-in at 5am. The plane will depart Syracuse for Washington at 7:00am and return at 6:15pm followed by a Welcome Home Ceremony at 6:30pm in the Center Concourse of the terminal. Any media wishing to cover the event should report to the Center Concourse on the First Floor.

To learn more about Honor Flight Syracuse, find out how to volunteer, and see real time pictures and updates throughout the mission you can follow them on Facebook and Twitter; @HonorFlightSYR and use #Mission004 if you are participating.

The Syracuse Hancock International Airport is centrally located in the heart of CNY, serving 1 million passengers annually. The Authority recognizes that the Syracuse Hancock International Airport is a gateway to the central New York region and beyond and seeks to optimize customer service and exceed customer expectations with continuous improvements to the terminal building and public-use facilities.