

THE POST 9/11 WAR MEMORIAL

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Nearly a decade ago, the dedicated volunteer team at Welcome Home Troops decided to try to move heaven and earth to make just such a memorial happen - and now we are finally on our way. We hope that you will be able to support this amazing effort and you will find below a number of pertinent facts about the memorial project.

The memorial will be a mobile installation that will travel from city to city. It is expected to make three to four stops each year around the United States. depending upon logistical details, etc. Each stop will be coordinated with national veteran's organizations and their local branches.

The interior space of the open-air structure will feature numerous digital video display boards. Friends and family members of each hero will have the opportunity to upload information into a permanent database that will be accessible to the public through those displays.

The circular memorial will have the name of every member of the military services that have given their lives in the war on terror permanently etched into the glass outer wall.

The structure has been designed by California architect/artist Larry Armstrong, a principal of the internationally known firm Ware Malcomb.

The structure's interior diameter is 30 feet and has a circumference of approximately 100 feet. It is clad in hundreds of glass panes attached to a stainless steel frame and will be able to be easily taken down, moved, and re-constructed in multiple locations.



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We are currently launching a fund raising program to create andoperate the memorial on an on-going basis. While the budget has yet to be finalized, initial construction is expected to cost in the five to seven million dollar range while the annual transport and overhead costs will be approximately one to one and a half million dollars.

To ensure fiscal transparency, Welcome Home Troops has already established a separate financial structure to raise and disperse all dedicated funds. We hope you will be able to assist us by making a tax deductible donation to the project.

We believe that the creation of this memorial is a sacred mission that will not only honor the sacrifices of so many veterans but also assist their families in their grief at the loss but pride in the service.

Thank you so much for your support! To donate and/or learn more about the memorial, please contact us at 951-385-2774 visit our website at P9-11wm.org to donate now you may also write your checks payable to:

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