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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Annual Memorial Day Observance in Hinds County *All Citizens Urged to Honor Fallen Soldiers*

Hinds County, MS – May 21, 2015: On Monday, May 25, 2015, the Annual Hinds County Memorial Day Service will be held on the front lawn of the Hinds County Courthouse located at 407 East Pascagoula Street, Jackson, MS. The program will commence at 9:30am and last approximately one hour.

It is essential that our citizens never forget the purpose and origin of Memorial Day. Hence, it is an honor as Americans, Mississippians and Hinds County citizens to recognize and memorialize our veterans who have served in the various wars on behalf of our country. We look forward to paying respect to our heroes on this day for their valorous service.

An invitation is extended for the public to attend the Annual Hinds County Memorial Day Service on Monday, May 25, 2015 at 9:30am.

While this holiday is the unofficial beginning of summer and many will celebrate with picnics, barbeques, and gatherings it is hoped that everyone will take a moment to reflect, in some way, upon the immense sacrifices made on each our behalf by our military members and their families.

In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved inside the Hinds County Courthouse.

For additional information, please contact Mamie Pickett Brown, Veteran's Service Officer/Aging, at 601-968-5408, email: mbrown@co.hinds.ms.us.

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