American Legion Post #
123 Main Street
Anytown, Any State Zip code
Phone Number

MEDIA ADVISORY

American Legion Post (#) Makes Buddy Checks to Assist Veterans in Need

Who:	American Legion Post (#), Post Contact (NAME)
What:	American Legion Buddy Check phone calls will be made to let our veterans know that we care about them and are available to help if needed. Previous Legion American Buddy Checks have resulted in food delivery, transportation to appointments, connection to mental health resources, a voice to listen when a veteran is lonely and more. The media can call (POST CONTACT PERSON AT PHONE NUMBER) or email (EMAIL ADDRESS) to arrange coverage and interviews.
When:	Date & Time
Where:	American Legion Post (#) Street address
Why:	American Legion Buddy Checks have proven vital for veterans and their families, especially during difficult times, assisting with household tasks, transportation, camaraderie and more. Since The American Legion launched the Buddy Check program in 2019, more than 2 million veterans have received offers of assistance.
Media Contacts:	Name, title, cell phone, email address

The American Legion is dedicated to the motto of "Veterans Strengthening America" and calls on all Americans to "Be the One" to stop veteran suicide. Chartered by Congress in 1919, The American Legion is committed to mentoring youth and sponsoring wholesome community programs, advocating patriotism and honor, promoting a strong national security and continued devotion to servicemembers and veterans. Legionnaires in more than 11,500 posts across the nation and regions overseas serve their communities with a devotion to mutual helpfulness.