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PUBLIC READING OF DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AT OLD EXCHANGE

Charleston, S.C.— A public reading of the Declaration of Independence will be held at the Old Exchange Building, 122 East Bay Street, Charleston, South Carolina at 9:30am on July Fourth. Hosted by the Washington Light Infantry and the Old Exchange & Provost Dungeon, this event is free and open to the public. Broad Street at East Bay will be closed to traffic for this event. Please bring a chair and your sense of American Patriotism!

Reading the Declaration of Independence will be:

Honorable John J. Tecklenburg, Mayor, City of Charleston

Honorable Joseph P. Riley Jr., Former Mayor, City of Charleston

Brittany V. Lavelle Tulla, Executive Director, Charleston World Heritage Coalition

Mr. Sonny Marshal, Sumter, SC who traces his ancestry back to the 17th Century in SC and has raised over three million dollars for philanthropic causes over the years.

Mr. Tony Youmans, Director, Old Exchange Building and Provost

Donna LaBrasca, Certified Diabetes Educator

Mr. Grahame Long, Chief Curator, Charleston Museum

Colonel Joseph W. Trez, United States Army Retired, Citadel Class of 1969 and WLI Member
LTG Colby M. Broadwater, III, USA (ret), and Citadel Class of 1972. President of the American College of the Building Arts. Former US Europe Command, CG 1st US Army and US Army NATO and WLI member

Major General James E. Livingston, USMC (ret), Recipient of the Medal of Honor for action in Viet Nam – one of 77 living recipients and WLI Member.

MG Henry I. Siegling, Commander, Washington Light Infantry

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