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**TAUNTON AREA VIETNAM VETERANS ASSOCIATION  
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**POW/MIA Vigil**

The Taunton Area Vietnam Veterans Association will be holding their 34<sup>th</sup> Annual POW/MIA Remembrance Vigil. This will be held on 1 Church Green Taunton, Ma., beginning noontime Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup> and conclude with a closing ceremony at noon Sunday the 18<sup>th</sup>.

Please join our community in supporting our veterans by attending the 34th Annual Vigil. We would be honored if you could say a few words at the closing.

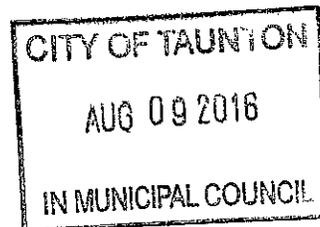
There are still 1618 soldiers still missing Southeast Asia. Of this, 39 are from Massachusetts. Since WWI there are around 90,000 still MIA. We(TAVVA) has supported the continuing efforts of our government to locate and return them home!

This year's ceremony will be a special event. Secretary of Veterans Affairs Francisco Urena will be the keynote speaker. Sect. Urena and Rep. Shaunna O'Connell will present 50th Anniversary Pins to area Vietnam vets. Area legislators are also invited to attend. Your attendance will be most appreciated at this special commemoration ceremony. The vigil begins on Sept 17 at noon and ends on Sept 18th with the ceremony at 12pm. The public is invited to drop by at any time and encouraged to attend the 12pm ceremony on Sept 18.

We would be honored if you again can say a few words at the closing ceremony!

Sincerely  
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