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On Veterans Day, DSNY Salutes Its Vets

New York City Sanitation Commissioner Kathryn Garcia saluted members of the Sanitation Department who are currently serving as reservists or are veterans who have served in the Armed Forces as part of DSNY's recognition of Veterans' Day. Ten civilian and uniformed employees representing all five branches of the Armed Services – Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, and Coast Guard -- some in their service uniforms – were present to receive the Commissioner's praise and accolades for their service to Sanitation and to the country.

"I'm honored to have personally met and shaken hands with some of the many DSNY employees who are proud members of the military. I also extend the Department's heartfelt appreciation to the other 45 active Sanitation employees who are serving our country. Your sacrifice and dedication to duty goes beyond just Sanitation. It extends to the safety and protection of our way of life and to the liberty we all hold so dear. I thank you for your service and commitment," said Commissioner Garcia.

There are a total of 55 DSNY employees who are members of the active military. Their names are listed here:

Supervisor Geraldo Acosta
Supervisor Jason Alvarado
Sanitation Worker Anthony Anderson
Sanitation Worker Joaquin Aguilera
Sanitation Worker Rudolph Altema
Sanitation Worker David Bailey
Sanitation Worker Daniel Bendetti
General Superintendent Celso Benites
Sanitation Worker Timothy Boyle
Supervisor Anthony Brewer
Sanitation Worker Michael Cintron
Sanitation Worker Travis Clarke
Sanitation Worker Michael Cortes
Associate Sanitation Enforcement Agent Antoine Davis
Sanitation Worker Daniel Diniso
Sanitation Worker William Dotson III
Sanitation Worker Leeroy Evangelista
Sanitation Worker John Fasanaro
Sanitation Worker Christopher Fazzalare
Sanitation Worker Leopoldo Fermin

Auto Mechanic Diesel Ray Fisher
Sanitation Worker Sean Flynn
Sanitation Worker Alejandro Henriquez
Auto Mechanic Diesel Elvis Hernandez
Sanitation Worker George Jenkins
Supervisor Curtis Johnson
Supervisor of Mechanics Daniel Johnson, Jr.
General Superintendent Peter LaMarch, Jr.
Sanitation Worker Matthew Lewis
Auto Mechanic Roderick Lewis II
Supervisor of Mechanics Doug Luback
Sanitation Worker Isiah Mack
Sanitation Worker Ronald Mercado
Sanitation Worker Carlos Morel
Sanitation Worker Charles O'Connor
Sanitation Worker Niko Oliver
Sanitation Worker Cosnell Padmore
Sanitation Worker Benjamin Pickney
Sanitation Worker William Quadrino
Sanitation Worker Kurt Raphael
Sanitation Worker Jeffrey Rodriguez
Supervisor Wayne Rose II
Sanitation Worker Stewart Rueter
Supervisor of Mechanics Patrick Sabatini
Sanitation Worker Kurt Schneider
Supervisor Donald Smith
Supervisor Charles Smyler
Supervisor Dennis Stacks, Jr.
Sanitation Worker Gracia Stewart
Sanitation Enforcement Agent Michael SueLowChee
Sanitation Enforcement Agent Angel Torres
Sanitation Worker Kevin Urena
Supervisor Carlos Vega
Sanitation Worker Michael Vella
Supervisor Robert Wright

About the New York City Department of Sanitation

The Department of Sanitation (DSNY) promotes a healthy environment through the efficient management of solid waste and the development of environmentally sound long-range planning for handling refuse, including recyclables. The Department operates 59 district garages and manages a fleet of more than 2,000 rear-loading collection trucks, 450 mechanical brooms and 500 salt/sand spreaders. The Department clears litter, snow and ice from approximately 6,500 miles of City streets and removes debris from vacant lots as well as abandoned vehicles from City streets.