# Proclamation

## Montgomery County Maryland

WHEREAS, the vigilance and military service of the residents of Montgomery County who served in the Armed Forces has been instrumental to the preservation of the freedom, security, justice and prosperity enjoyed by all in the County; and

WHEREAS, our local active duty military members, retirees, reservists, National Guard and their families are our neighbors, volunteers, coaches, teachers, educators, legislators, colleagues in civic clubs, religious institutions and many more; and

WHEREAS, the families of our 46,000 veterans in Montgomery County are forever diligent in their support, dedication, love and endurance through long separations, multiple tours of duty, and the challenges associated with post-deployment conditions; and

WHEREAS, Montgomery County wishes to honor our Veterans and their families. The year 2015 is a fitting time for Montgomery County to celebrate and honor our Veterans and their families;

NOW, THEREFORE, DO WE, Isiah Leggett as County Executive, and Craig Rice as County Council President, declare that 2015 shall be the year of

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY'S VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES**

We encourage all of our residents to join us in honoring our Veterans and their families for their courage and sacrifice.

**Signed this** 10th **day of** November **in the year** 2014 **.**

Isiah Leggett
**County Executive**

Craig Rice
**County Council President**