



## CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE

**Stan Risen**  
Chief Executive Officer

**Patricia Hill Thomas**  
Chief Operations Officer/  
Assistant Executive Officer

**Keith D. Boggs**  
Assistant Executive Officer

**Jody Hayes**  
Assistant Executive Officer

1010 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 6800, Modesto, CA 95354  
Post Office Box 3404, Modesto, CA 95353-3404

Phone: 209.525.6333 Fax 209.544.6226

## News Release

For Immediate Release  
November 7, 2016

Contact: Patricia Hill Thomas  
(209) 525-6333

### **Celebration of the New Stanislaus Veterans Center**

*Community is invited to attend celebration event and a hard hat tour  
of the Center under construction*

*Stanislaus County, CA* - The Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors welcomes the veterans, their families and the citizens of Stanislaus County to attend the Stanislaus Veterans Center Celebration.

**What: Stanislaus Veterans Center Celebration and Hard Hat Tour**  
**When: November 11, 2016 at 3:30 pm**  
**Where: Sylvan Square 3500 Coffee Road, Modesto**

The creation of the Stanislaus Veterans Center is a unique public-private partnership and has been a dream of Veterans and their supporters in our community. Stanislaus County, the City of Modesto, the Veterans Advisory Commission and the Veterans Foundation of Stanislaus County, along with their private partner Stone Brothers Management, Inc., have worked hard to create a one-stop shop for our veterans and their families. The Stanislaus Veterans Center includes a large Banquet Hall that will be available for use by all Stanislaus County Veteran Service Organizations for hosting meetings, banquets, fundraisers and events that enhance the quality of life for veterans.

A recognition program will begin at 3:30 p.m., followed by hard-hat tours and light refreshments. Representatives of partner organizations will be at the program with several presentations taking place. Media opportunities are available before and following the event. The facility is projected to open in early 2017.

A number of organizations will be relocating their existing services to this new, approximately 37,500 square feet facility. The new facility will become the home of the:

- Veterans Foundation of Stanislaus County and the Veterans Center Hall
- Area Agency on Aging/Veterans Services

-MORE-

-CONTINUED-

- Community Services Agency
  - Adult Protect Services
  - In-Home Supportive Services
  - Eligibility
  - MOVE, a transportation system for eligible veterans and seniors
  - Other veteran-related non-profit services

#####