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Commissioners,

My name is Jon Lunkwicz, I served in Vietnam in the US Army, and I am a Purple Heart recipient. I am currently serving as the Department of Texas Sr. Vice Commander of The Military Order of the Purple Heart, our department would like to designate the County of Collin, Texas a "Purple Heart County".

The Purple Heart is awarded in the name of the President of the United States to any member of an Armed Force who has been wounded or killed.

Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH) is a Congressionally Chartered Veterans Service Organization for Combat Wounded Veterans. The mission of the Military Order of the Purple Heart is to foster an environment of goodwill and camaraderie among combat wounded veterans, promote patriotism, support necessary legislative initiatives, and most importantly, provide service to all veterans and their families.

The purpose would be to honor and recognize all Collin County veterans who served in the military. There is no cost associated with the designation. The attached document is a sample proclamation that would be read at your county commissioners meeting, and our members would like to be at the meeting and present a plaque to the county.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

V/r

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## "A Greater love has no one than this, than someone lay down his life for his friends." John 1513

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