



City of Cambridge

Patriots Day Observance

Monday, April 15, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Cambridge Common, located outside of Harvard Square at 1500 Massachusetts Avenue.

The event will be highlighted by a reenactment of that William Dawes' midnight horseback ride from Boston to Cambridge, alerting the colonists of the British threat of 1775.

Refreshments will be provided and there will be participation by the Massachusetts Army National Guard unit 181 Infantry Battalion, along with a Humvee display.

Program

Master of Ceremonies: Dept. of VS Acting Director Cynthia Harris

City's Greetings: Cambridge Vice Mayor Marc C. McGovern **Historic Overview:** Vincent Dixon, Revolutionary Historian

Keynote Address: Charles Sullivan, Executive Director, Cambridge Historical Commission

National Anthem: Performed by Vocalist Lorraine Victoria Kanyike

Presented by City of Cambridge Department of Veterans Services (DVS)

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For more information, please contact Cambridge DVS at 617-349-4760 or veterans@cambridgema.gov.