

# 2019 TX

# AMERICAN HEROES AIR SHOW

At the  
TEXAS MILITARY DEPT. OPEN HOUSE

## Event Year Book

## APRIL 13 & 14

A Texas-sized "Thank You" to our TX-KEY Event Team & TXMD partners who have supported the AMERICAN HEROES Air Show, part of the annual admission-free Texas Military Department's 2019 OPEN HOUSE at historic Camp Mabry in the heart of Austin, Texas.

**Maj. Gen.  
Tracy R. Norris**  
Texas Adjutant General

**Maj. Aimee Tibbetts**  
Camp Mabry - Garrison Commander

The admission-free American Heroes Air Show is produced in communities across the nation by volunteers with a passion for aviation, public safety and community service.

American Heroes Aviation  
Network, Inc.

*Plan now to join us for  
our 2020 event at*

**Camp Mabry  
April 18 & 19**

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## Welcome & Event Opening



### TEXAS MILITARY DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE AMERICAN HEROES WEEKEND

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2019

- 8:00 am Museum Opens to the Public
- 9:00 am 36th ID Band Performance
- 9:30 am Servicemember Naturalization
- 10:30 am Opening Ceremony
- 11:00 am Military Partner Demonstrations
- First Responder Demonstrations
- 1:30 pm Civil War Demonstrations
- 2:30 pm WWII Reenactment
- 3:00 pm 36th ID Band Performance



April 13-14, 2019 8am - 5pm  
Camp Mabry, 2200 W 35th St. Austin, Texas  
I.D. Required for Entry  
[tmd.texas.gov/tmd-open-house](http://tmd.texas.gov/tmd-open-house)



The admission-free American Heroes Air Show teams up with the Texas Military Department for a mission designed to educate the community, the media and public officials about helicopters' dynamic capabilities and unique value for law enforcement, public service, homeland security and national defense.

*Camp Mabry is a perfect venue to introduce the community to the aircraft and crews of rotary-wing aviation.*

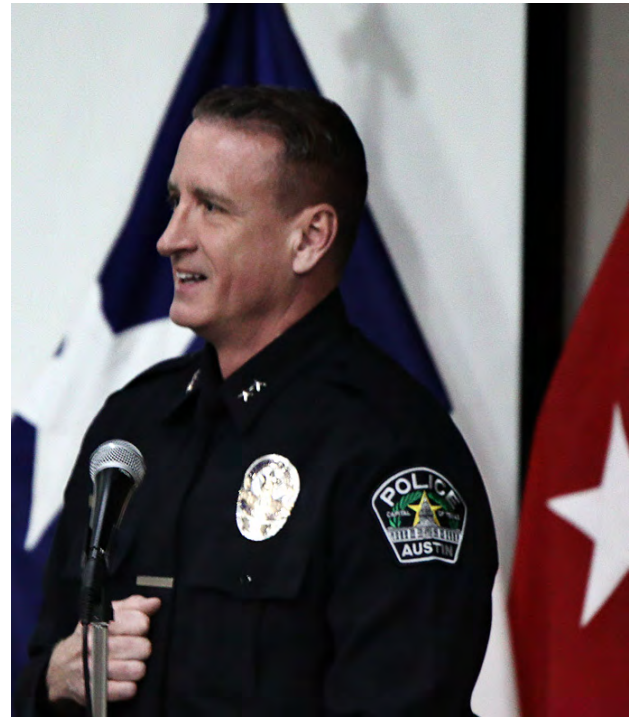
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## CHANGE of COMMAND CEREMONY f



Major General Tracy R. Norris ; Texas National Guard, Adjutant General



Above, Austin PD Asst. Chief Todd Smith speaks during the Change of Command Ceremony



from Left; Maj. Gen. Patrick Hamilton, Austin PD officer Seth Model, Austin PD Asst. Chief Todd Smith & Austin PD Corporal Wut Tantaksinanukij





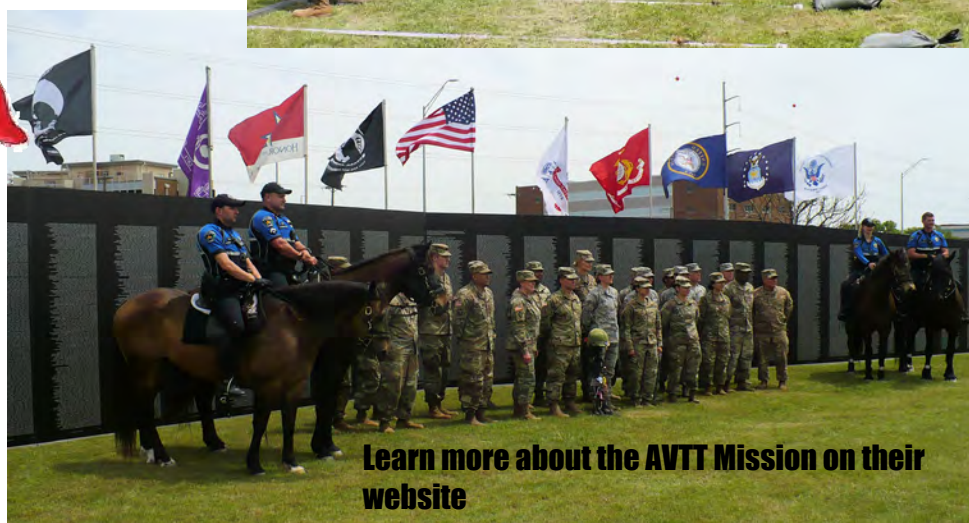
## AVTT WALL Arrive & Set Up

Learn about the Vets that escort the AVTT Wall onto the CAMP Mabry grounds on our [HEROES / YouTube Channel](#)



As always Austin PD motorcycle officers roll out to MAGNUM TRAILERS to rally with the Patriot Guard Riders in order to escort the AVTT WALL safely to Camp Mabry where the 85% replica will be erected for display all weekend.

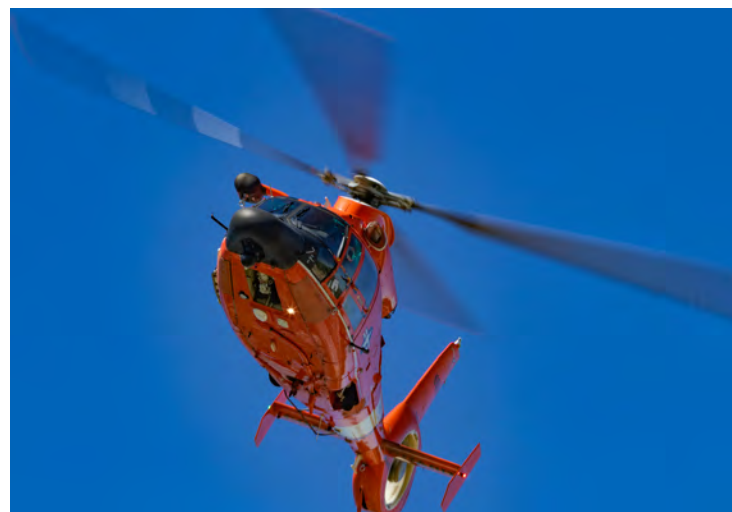
The **MAGNUM Trailers** team joins us once again as a Legacy Sponsor



Learn more about the AVTT Mission on their website

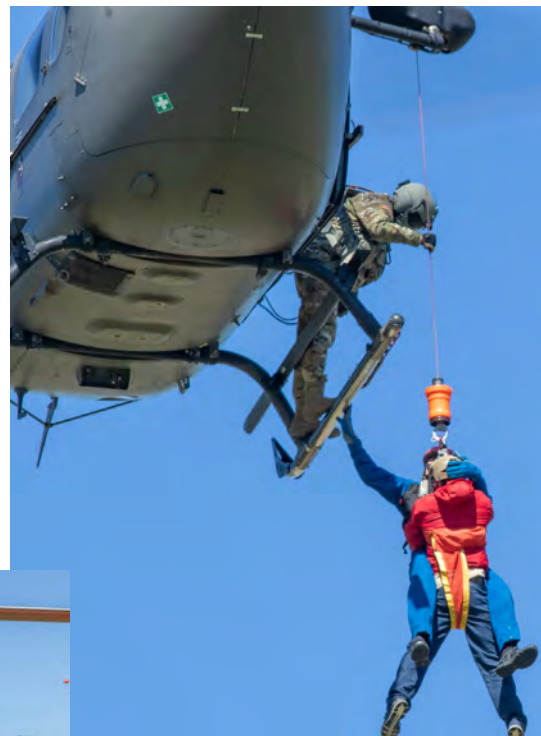


## Aircraft Arrival & Presentation





## Aircraft Arrival & Demonstrations











U.S. DEA from Waco TX



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**U.S. Customs and Border Protection**





## MILITARY Re-enactments





**Special Thanks to the photographers who work so hard during this event**

- **Joe Fernandez**
- **Brian Papke**
- **Wut Tantaksinanukij**
- **Jim Paules**



The American Heroes Air Show - James Paules



Texas Military Department Adjutant General Tracy R. Norris officiating at a Change of Command ceremony during TXMD annual OPEN HOUSE & HEROES Air Show.



TEAM1 takes a break including from left; Dennis Farris, Brian Johnson, Jim Paules, Wut Tantaksinanukij, Brian Papke and Joe Fernandez \*\*



Below, Jeff Hunt, Director of the Texas Military forces Museum as he introduces the popular military re-enactments



## LEGACY Event Partners



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We extend special recognition to our LEGACY Event Partners whose support and participation enables our admission—free event to **EDUCATE - COMMUNICATE - DEMONSTRATE** the value of our military, Police / Fire & Volunteer organizations to the community.



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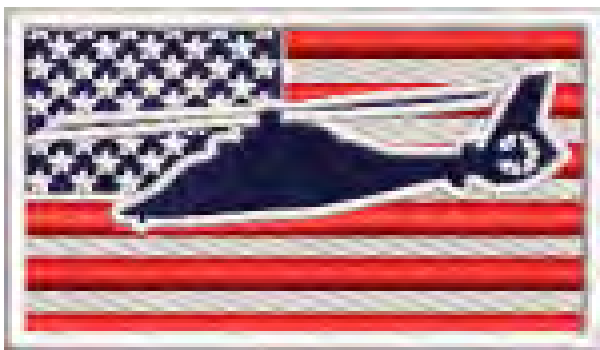
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USCG - Air Station Houston - TX

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June 3, 2019

Dear Mr. Paules,

I would like to extend my sincerest thanks for all you do to make our American Heroes and Texas Military Department Open House event such a success. This event is such a great opportunity for us to share in what we do with our fellow Texans, and your efforts to bring such events to communities across the country is truly admirable work.

I am grateful that you have worked with the Texas Military Department for so many years to make this event so special, and I am already looking forward to next year. The American Heroes Aviation Network brings such important visibility to the sacrifices of our active service members and veterans. Thank you for taking up such an important cause.

Thank you for your service to our service members, veterans, and military communities throughout this great Nation. Duty, Honor, Texas!

Sincerely,

Tracy R. Norris  
Major General, Texas National Guard  
Adjutant General



**Additional video / pix and insights about this event are available on the :**

**AMERICAN HEROES Air Show Website**



**Our Heroes Air Show Channel on YouTube**

**As well as our social media sites**



**Since 2007 it has been our sustaining privilege to partner with the Texas Military Department team at historical Camp Mabry to include the AMERICAN HEROES Air Show with the annual TXMD OPEN HOUSE event.**

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**We invite you to come aboard & join us for the admission-free 2020 TXMD OPEN HOUSE & HEROES Air show**

**APRIL**

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