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Sheriff Patrick McDermott and the Norfolk County Sheriff's Office to host a "House to House for Heroes" veterans-focused outreach in Walpole on Saturday, June 7th

WALPOLE, MA – The Norfolk County Sheriff's Office will host a veterans-focused "House to House for Heroes" in Walpole on Saturday, June 7th, with volunteers visiting the homes of local veterans to hand-deliver important information about the resources and new benefits available to them.

House to House for Heroes in Walpole will begin at 9:00 a.m. with a ceremony at the Council on Aging/ South Street Center, located at 60 South Street in Walpole, next to the Walpole Police Department. The ceremony will feature the event's Honorary Chairperson, Steve Kenney, who is a Vietnam War veteran.

Volunteers will then head out into neighborhoods to connect with veterans, in partnership with the Walpole Veterans Service Office.

Residents who are interested in joining this effort as volunteers can arrive on Saturday at 9:00 a.m. at the South Street Center, or register in advance at https://bit.ly/HouseToHouseWalpole

"House to House for Heroes is a great way to recognize and support the veterans in our communities," said Sheriff Patrick McDermott. "Our veterans have faced many sacrifices in service to our country. This volunteer-driven effort is a great way to give back and say thank you."

Volunteers will deliver a packet of information that includes helpful information about how to apply for assistance and health benefits from Veterans Affairs, details about housing and employment opportunities, information about newly available state benefits, a letter thanking them for their service, and contacts for many veteran-based agencies.

The Hero Act, signed by the Healey-Driscoll Administration last year, affects hundreds of thousands of veterans across Massachusetts, and the Norfolk County Sheriff's Office wants to make sure they are aware of these landmark new benefits.

House to House for Heroes - Schedule of Events

Date:	Saturday, June 7, 2025
Location:	Council on Aging/ South Street Center, 60 South Street, Walpole
Time:	9:00 a.m.
	Volunteer Arrival
	Kickoff Ceremony
	Veteran Houses Assigned
	Door-to-Door Veteran Outreach

House to House for Heroes will happen rain or shine.

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