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## **NEWS RELEASE**

### **COUNTY JUDGE ED EMMETT REMINDS VETERANS OF UPCOMING JOB FAIR**

Harris County Judge Ed Emmett is reminding military veterans of an upcoming RecruitMilitary Career Fair. Veterans will have an opportunity to meet face-to-face with representatives of dozens of top companies. The veterans job fair will be conducted in cooperation with HireVets First, a unit of the U.S. Department of Labor, and the American Legion.

The RecruitMilitary Career Fair will be from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m., Thursday, August 30, at Sam Houston Race Park, 7575 North Sam Houston Parkway.

Harris County joined the City of Houston in June to launch the Returning Veterans Initiative to help veterans make smooth transitions from their military careers back to civilian lives. Employment is one of the major focuses of the program.

“There is a great need in our community to coordinate and promote these job fairs designed for military veterans,” Emmett said. “It helps the returning veteran return to civilian life, and it benefits employers looking for skilled and disciplined employees with a strong work ethic.”

Military veterans unable to attend this week’s job fair can register for free online at [www.recruitmilitary.com](http://www.recruitmilitary.com) to access thousands of posted jobs. The Web site also enables veteran-friendly employers the opportunity to search posted resumes.