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## **PRESS RELEASE**

The City of Clarence-Rockland and the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 554 will be honouring the forgotten names of 5 soldiers who died in World War One.

These names will be engraved on the City's cenotaph in front of City Hall on Laurier Street. This remembrance of their service to our country will be honoured on October 30, 2020 at 11 AM.

At the same time, the City and Legion will raise banners along the street to commemorate their sacrifice for our freedom. These will be the first names from the Great War to be included on the City's Cenotaph correcting a 102 year old omission.

At the same time, banners will be raised for 9 military personnel who died in the Second World War from Rockland. This banner service will coincide with the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the end of World war Two.

The revealing of the Cenotaph names and the raising of Veterans banners will mark the kickoff of the Legion's Poppy Campaign running from October 30, till November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Our website will have additional information and product availability – [www.rcl554.ca](http://www.rcl554.ca)

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