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## **Veterans Inc. Presents Run4Veterans Unified 5K Road Race**

Event to support Veterans and their families in-need Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>

**WORCESTER, MA** – Veterans Inc., a leading nonprofit organization dedicated to serving Veterans and their families, is thrilled to announce the upcoming Run4Veterans 5K Road Race, scheduled for November 5th, 2023. The race will start and finish at the iconic Wormtown Brewery on Shrewsbury St. in downtown Worcester, Massachusetts, with a shotgun start at 10:30 am. Pre-registration begins at 8:00 am.

Open to participants of all fitness levels, chairs and strollers, the Run4Veterans Unified 5K Road Race is a fantastic opportunity for individuals, families, and friends to come together for a fun-filled event while supporting a noble cause. Veterans Inc. recognizes the unwavering commitment of Veterans who have served our nation, and this event is a way to give back to them and their families in their time of need.

"It is inspiring to see hundreds of area residents come out each year to run or walk in support of the work that we do for veterans," said Vincent J. Perrone, president and CEO of Veterans Inc. "The support of the runners, volunteers, and our sponsors, enables us to provide important services to veterans and their families who are struggling."

The event is generously sponsored by prominent organizations that share the commitment to Veterans and their well-being; Lead Sponsor Wyman Gordon, Middlesex Savings Bank, Abbvie, Local 2285 United Steelworkers, Blue Hive, and Wormtown Brewery. We are also excited to highlight our Exclusive TV sponsorship with WCVB-TV, including reporter Katie Thompson who is emceeing the event.

Wyman-Gordon is proud to sponsor the 2023 Run4Veterans 5k road Race/Walk. As a world-leading producer of complex forgings and high-performance nickel-based alloys and super alloys for aerospace, power generation, and general industrial applications, Wyman-Gordon & PCC employs approximately 25,000 team members globally. Wyman-Gordon is a proud employer of current and military veterans and their families and will continue to support our veterans and those within the communities in which we operate. ~ Wyman Gordon, the premier forging company for the global aerospace and energy markets.

Participants in the Run4Veterans 5K Road Race are invited to run for victory, walk for enjoyment, or simply sign up and have a great time, all while contributing to a meaningful cause. Pre-registrants will receive a special commemorative event running shirt, and all participants will indulge in a post-race celebration featuring food, a complimentary beer from Wormtown Brewery, live music, exciting prizes, and more! Wear your Red, White & Blue to show your support for our Veterans or dress to represent your branch of service!

A virtual sign-up option is available for those unable to join in person. Runners can complete a 5K before the deadline, submit their times, and be recognized alongside the in-person honorees. This inclusive approach ensures that everyone can participate, regardless of location.

Mark your calendars for November 5th, 2023, and join Veterans Inc. for the Run4Veterans 5K Road Race at Wormtown Brewery in Worcester. Let's come together, honor our Veterans, and create a positive impact in their lives. Run to win, walk for fun, and sign up for a great cause! Registration is free for Veterans with proof of Veteran Status.

For more information and to register, visit www.veteransinc.org/run4veterans.

## **About Veterans Inc.**

Veterans Inc. is New England's leading provider of support services to veterans and their families. A 501(c)3 non-profit, the organization's single-minded mission is to be there for our veterans in their time of need. Incorporated in 1990, Veterans Inc. has helped more than 90,000 veterans in need and today operates offices and programs in all six New England states. Our services include housing, employment & training, counseling, an alcohol and drug treatment center, family support programs, benefits counseling and advocacy, temporary financial assistance, health and wellness, food services, post-9/11 support, and women & childcare services. They were there when we needed them...We must be there now that they need us.

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