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Stand Down 2007 - Free Veterans Transportation Schedule Announced

A state network of free, local transportation has been established to help bring homeless and needy veterans to "Stand Down 2007" on Friday, September 21, 2007 at the State Veterans' Home campus, 287 West Street, Rocky Hill.

Stand Down is a consolidated, one-day program of support services to help homeless and needy veterans regain their independence in the community. More than two dozen government agencies and private organizations will provide services and support at the event which will run from 7 a.m. until 3:30 p.m.

Veterans participating in Stand Down will be returned to their pick-up locations in the afternoon.

All veterans' service organizations, social service agencies and community homeless advocates are asked to help reach local veterans who could benefit from the program and assist them in getting to a local pick-up location on the morning of September 21st.

Stand Down is sponsored by the Connecticut Department of Veterans' Affairs in conjunction with multiple state, federal, and private partners. For more information on Stand Down, please call 1-800-550-0000 or visit www.ct.gov/ctva.

STAND DOWN 2007 **TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULE**

1st Congressional District

Hartford

6:30 AM

McKinney Shelter

34 Huyshope

TEL: (860) 721-5818, FAX: (860) 721-5919
www.ct.gov/ctva

	7:00 AM	St. Elizabeth House (South Green)	118 Main Street
Manchester	6:30 AM	Samaritan Shelter	466 Main Street
East Hartford	7:00 AM	East Hartford Community Shelter-Friendship Center 385 Main Street – Rear Parking Lot	
Newington	7:00 AM	VA Connecticut Medical Ctr. South side bus/shuttle stop location	Willard Avenue

2nd Congressional District

Danielson	6:30 AM	WACAP Shelter	51 Reynolds Street
	6:45 AM	Brooklyn Halfway House	76 Hartford Road
New London	6:30 AM	Covenant Shelter	42 Jay Street
Norwich	7:10 AM	The Buckingham House	307 Main Street
Willimantic	6:30 AM	VFW Building - Post 1724	1415 West Main Street
Middletown	7:00 AM	Town Hall	245 Dekoven Drive

3rd Congressional District

West Haven	7:00 AM & 7:30 AM	VA Connecticut Medical Center Building 1 Main Entrance	950 Campbell Avenue
New Haven	6:30 AM	New Haven Green	Corner Temple/Chapel Street
	8:00AM	Yale School of Nursing	
Milford	6:30 AM	Parson's Government Complex	Daniel Wasson Field



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Derby
7:00 AM Derby Railroad Station Main Street

4th Congressional District

Stamford
6:30 AM Columbus Park Corner West Main Street &
Washington Boulevard

Norwalk
6:30 AM Norwalk Emergency Shelter 4 Merritt Street

Westport
7:10 AM Gillespie Center 45 Jesup Road

Bridgeport
6:30 AM Health Department 752 East Main Street
&
7:30 AM

Fairfield
7:00AM Operation Hope 50 Nichols Street

5th Congressional District

Waterbury
6:30 AM Vincent DePaul 114 Benedict Street
&
7:30 AM

Meriden
8:00 AM St Vincent DePaul St. Casimir Street

Wallingford
8:30 AM Wallingford Town Hall Center Street

Danbury
7:00 AM City of Danbury 198 Main Street
Department of Veterans Affairs

Naugatuck	6:30 AM	VFW	239 Rubber Avenue
Torrington	6:30 AM	Fish Shelter	332 South Main Street
Bristol	7:00 AM	Town Hall	111 North Main Street
New Britain	7:00 AM	Salvation Army	728 Franklin Square