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300th Military Intelligence Brigade Honors Soldiers for Kosovo Service

DRAPER, Utah – The Utah National Guard’s 300th Military Intelligence Brigade will hold a Yellow Ribbon ceremony for its Kosovo veterans Saturday, May 30, at 7:30 p.m. at Thanksgiving Point’s Rose Room.

At the ceremony, the 5 Soldiers of the group will receive the “Freedom Salute Award” to publicly acknowledge their service overseas from May 2008 to March 2009.

The award consists of a commemorative flag and case, a Defender of Freedom certificate, lapel pins and a commemorative coin. Employers of Soldiers will also be recognized at the ceremony and receive an Employer Freedom Medal and lapel pin.

During their deployment, Soldiers of the 300th provided intelligence support to Coalition forces in Kosovo.

Returning Soldiers of the 300th and their cities of residence are as follows:

- LTC Kelly Sharp - Bountiful
- MAJ Robert Parsons - Spanish Fork
- MAJ Russell War - St. George
- 1LT Micah Nielsen - Eagle Mountain
- 1LT Jason Seegmiller - St. George

Media Notes: Thanksgiving Point’s Rose Room is located in the Harvest Building at 3003 N. Thanksgiving Way in Lehi. Contact LTC Hank McIntire at (801) 420-4778 for more information.