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## **Monterey's Military Retiree Appreciation Day—June 8**

PRESIDIO OF MONTEREY, Calif. –The U.S. Army Garrison, Presidio of Monterey, in conjunction with the Fort Ord Area Retiree Council, will host its annual Retiree Appreciation Day (RAD) at the Gen. Stilwell Community Center, Ord Military Community June 8, 2013.

The RAD is scheduled to begin at 8 a.m. with the formal program ending about noon, followed by a free lunch served by active duty service members from the Defense Language Institute Foreign Language Center.

Retiree Appreciation Days are held to provide retired service members and their families the latest information regarding changes to retirement benefits and to foster goodwill between the retired and active duty communities. Many local service agencies will provide information of interest to retirees and their families from information tables at the community center.

In addition to Rep. Sam Farr, the program will include talks on Monterey county veterans' affairs, the military retiree conservatorship program, and issues impacting the national military retiree scene.

Gen. Stilwell Community Center is located at 4260 Gigling Road, Ord Military Community (the former Fort Ord). For more information on the RAD, contact William Thomas at 831-242-5232. Media should contact Presidio Public Affairs at 242-5555.

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