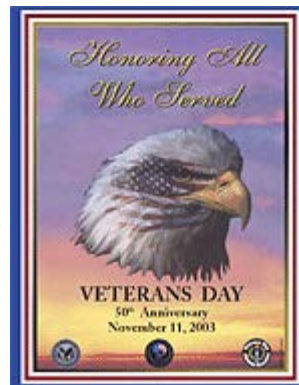


MTA to Observe Veterans' Day on Tuesday, Nov. 11

(Nov. 7, 2003) Veterans' Day – Tuesday, Nov. 11 – will be observed as a holiday for all MTA non-contract employees.

Members of MTA unions who plan to work on Tuesday, Nov. 11, should check with their department management for job assignments. Any questions should be addressed to Barbara Lorenzo, 922-4958, or to Rudy Lipscomb, 922-4614, in the Labor Relations Department.



Veterans' Day was originally observed as Armistice Day. It marked the end of World War I on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of 1918. The holiday was renamed Veterans' Day in 1954 to honor veterans of all U.S. wars. At 11 a.m., Nov. 11, many Americans will observe a moment of silence to remember those who fought for peace.

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