

Columbia honors veterans with dedication of Veterans Memorial Bridge Island Gateway Project

Veterans Memorial Bridge Island Gateway Project Dedication Service



Opening Remarks

Master of Ceremonies,
Kevin M. Kraft, Sr.

Invocation

Reverend Mark S. Kopp
St. James Evangelical
Lutheran Church, Columbia

National Anthem and Raising of the American Flags

Bainbridge Band

Keynote Speaker

Ed Wickenheiser

Introduction of Dignitaries

Master of Ceremonies,
Kevin M. Kraft, Sr.

Senator Ryan Aument

Pennsylvania State Senator

Representative Stan Saylor

State Representative and
House Majority Appropriations
Committee Chairman
R-PA District 94

Commissioner Dennis Stuckey

Vice-Chairman, Board of
Commissioners Lancaster
County

Mayor Leo S. Lutz

Borough of Columbia

Councilman Cleon Berntheisel

Borough of Columbia,
Chair of Community
Development Committee

Playing of each Armed Services

Bainbridge Band

Theme Anthem and Raising of the Flags of each Branch of Armed Services

Flag Raised by Veteran
who served in Branch

Reading of Ragged Old Flag

Ed Wickenheiser

Closing Remarks

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Benediction

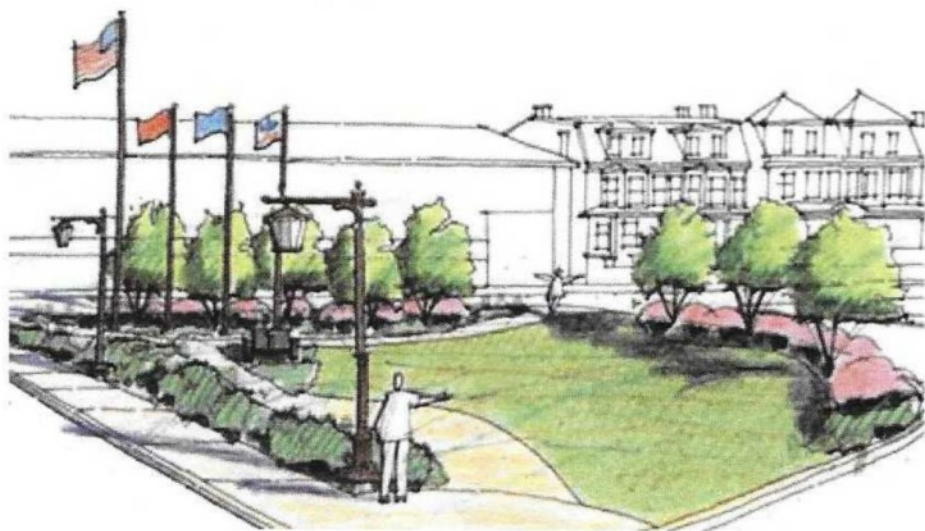
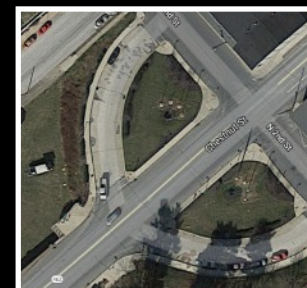
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Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.

On a sunny, bright, quite warm, Saturday before Memorial Day, 2018, Columbia welcomed a crowd of around 200 to the dedication of its Veterans Memorial Bridge Gateway Project at the Columbia entrance of the Veterans Memorial Bridge. The triangularly-shaped areas along Route 462 and Chestnut Street have been landscaped and brick paths, flagpoles, grass and mulch have been added to add a pleasing "welcome to Columbia."

The ceremonies began at 2:00 pm and featured band music provided by the Bainbridge Band and an honor guard which fired a rifle volley to honor deceased veterans.



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Columbia Entrance of the Veterans Memorial Bridge

