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City Supports Troops & Their Families this Holiday Season

NEWPORT BEACH, Ca. -- The City of Newport Beach is helping to support the men and women currently serving in the United States military this holiday season by taking part in a program to collect gifts for the troops and their families.

Operation Christmas, organized by Yellow Ribbon America, supports more than 300,000 of California, Arizona and Nevada's military members and their families serving at home and throughout the world. Donations of new and unwrapped toys for children, DVDs for military members, and gift cards and cash donations for the families will be accepted through next **Friday, December 19**. The community is welcome to participate and may bring donations to the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 3300 Newport Boulevard, Newport Beach.

Please call 949-644-3005 for more information or go to www.yellowribbonamerica.com to learn more about the program.