

Text of Dr. Burgess Weekly Video Address November 9, 2012
“Salute to Our Veterans”

Hello, this is your Congressman Michael Burgess. This Sunday, November 11th, we will pause to remember and celebrate the many veterans who have worn the uniform to fight for and defend our freedoms.

Our nation’s veterans are men and women of outstanding character, embodying the spirit of patriotism and dedication. Because of their selflessness, veterans have allowed us to live in the best country in the world.

Our nation is truly blessed to have had such fine men and women to answer the call of duty. We owe a tremendous debt to all of those who have put our lives above their own. The freedoms we have obtained through our veterans may never be forgotten.

To help provide better health care coverage for our veterans, I introduced the Veterans Health Care Stamp Act of 2011. With this legislation, we can join together through the purchase of a stamp to give back to those who have given so much.

In Texas, we have over a million and a half veterans living in the state. Today, I join the residents of Texas’ 26th Congressional District, and all Americans, in thanking our veterans for their service to the United States of America, and honoring their devotion to God and country. Thank you for your service.

Thank you for taking the time to listen. May God bless you and your family, may God bless our Texas veterans, and as always, may God bless Texas.