

Mayor Hayes Honors Veterans

On October 4th Mayor Hayes had the distinct honor of welcoming guests to the Vietnam Wall Exhibit at North Branch Park. The wall is an 80-percent scale replica of the Vietnam Memorial Wall in Washington D.C. The wall contains every single name etched on the original. The exhibit was displayed for about half a week. Mayor Hayes stated, “The exhibit was very moving. From the opening ceremony to the closing, it is set up as a place to honor our war dead, to remember our friends and family that fought.” Mayor Hayes had the honor of speaking with Vietnam veterans and was humbled to be provided with that type of experience. Mayor Hayes stated how much he appreciates all the work veterans do. The Mayor thanks Ray Brown, Cindy Britt, the Somerset County Board of Freeholders, the Vietnam Veterans of America- Chapter # 452, the American Veterans Traveling Tribute, Rolling Thunder, Inc., the Somerset County Parks Commission, and all the sponsors for making this event happen. In accordance with Veterans Day is the speech Mayor Hayes made at the exhibit. To listen [click here](#).

