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Families welcome home returning Soldiers

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md - Soldiers from Ft. Meade's 400th Military Police Battalion will reunite with family members at a Welcome Home Party and Awards Ceremony at Aberdeen Proving Ground from 4 to 6 p.m. Friday.

The 400th recently returned from active duty supporting Operation Iraqi Freedom. Their mission was to conduct and sustain interment and resettlement operations to shelter, sustain, guard, protect and account for enemy prisoners of war, civilian internees or displaced persons.

As escorts are required, media interested in covering this event should contact the APG Public Affairs Office, prior to 2:30 p.m. Friday at 410-278-1147, for escort arrangements and directions to the APG Visitor Center.

Be advised every member of the media requesting entry to the installation must have photo identification and the driver must provide registration for his/her vehicle.

Photographs and film footage of the entry gate to the installation are prohibited.