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Congressman Rodney Alexander

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Alexander to hold two medals ceremonies

Washington, D.C. --U.S. Rep. Rodney Alexander, R-Quitman, today announced that he will hold two medals ceremonies for John Sewell and Ron Griggs beginning at 10 a.m., Monday, July 31.

Both ceremonies will be held in Alexander's Monroe District Office, located at 1900 Stubbs Ave., Suite B.

Sewell, who served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam, earned the following medals: Bronze Star Medal & Double Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster; Meritorious Service Medal & Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster; Joint Service Commendation Medal; Army Commendation Medal & Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Achievement Medal; Good Conduct Medal & Silver Metal Clasp (Good Conduct #6); Meritorious Unit Commendation; National Defense Service Medal; Vietnam Service Medal & Quadruple Bronze Star Attachment; NCO Professional Development Ribbon & Numeral 5; Army Service Ribbon; Overseas Service Ribbon & Numeral 5; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Ribbon with 1960 Device; Expert Badge & Pistol Bar & Submachine Gun Bar; and Sharpshooter Badge & Pistol Bar

Lt. Col. Griggs served in the U.S. Army from 1961 to 1984, and is being awarded his third Purple Heart.

All members of the media are invited to attend.

What: Medals Ceremonies

When: Beginning at 10 a.m., Monday, July 31

Where: Monroe District Office, 1900 Stubbs Ave., Suite B, Monroe, LA

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