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'Remember My Name' Domestic Violence Vigil Oct. 23

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FAYETTEVILLE – A candlelight vigil will be held Oct. 23 at 5:30 p.m. on the steps of the Cumberland County Courthouse, 117 Dick St., to raise awareness for domestic violence.

Cumberland County Family Court, the CARE Center Family Violence Program, Army Community Services, Fayetteville Chapter of the National Organization for Women, the Sheriff's Office and other community partners will hold the "Remember My Name" Domestic Violence Vigil in memory of the victims of domestic violence homicides. The names of victims who have died because of domestic violence-related homicides in North Carolina will be read aloud at the vigil.

The vigil will also serve to highlight community resources for domestic violence victims, such as:

- Cumberland County Sheriff's Office Non-emergency 910-323-1500; Victim assistance 910-677-5454 or www.ccsonc.org
- Cumberland County Family Court 910-475-3015 or www.nccourts.org/County/Cumberland/Courts/Family
- Safe-Link Domestic Violence Assistance Program 910-475-3029, Cumberland County Courthouse Room 340, 3rd floor.
- Cumberland County District Attorney's Office 910-475-3010
- Fayetteville Police Department 910-433-1529; Victim Assistance 910-433-1849 or www.bethebadge.com
- The CARE Center Family Violence Program's Crisis Line 910-677-2532 or 910-677-2528
- Legal Aid of North Carolina-Fayetteville Chapter 910-483-0400 or www.legalaidnc.org/Public/Learn/offices/fayetteville/default.aspx
- Army Community Service 910-396-8262 or http://bragg.armymwr.com/us/bragg/
- Fayetteville Family Justice Center 910-433-1352
- Rape Crisis Center Hot Line 910-485-7273 or www.rapecrisisonline.org
- National Organization for Women Fayetteville Chapter 910-323-3912 or www.facebook.com/pages/Fayetteville-Chapter-of-NOW/173342074660