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Veterans Services Will Move To New Office Aug. 9

FAYETTEVILLE – Cumberland County Veterans Services is moving from its current location in the basement of the Department of Social Services at 1225 Ramsey St. to the former Board of Elections office at 301 Russell St. on Friday, Aug. 9. A ribbon cutting and open house will be held at 2 p.m. The new location will offer more space to accommodate the growing needs of the county's veteran population.

Veterans Services will be closed Aug. 2-9 while the department moves into the new building. The new Russell Street location features a wheelchair accessible ramp, more office space and parking spaces closer to the building. Since the building is one floor, veterans in wheelchairs or motorized scooters will no longer have to use elevators. The new location will also have individual offices instead of cubicles, which will enhance the privacy of veterans seeking services.

"We are really excited about the move because of the convenience and increased office space of the building and the improved privacy we can offer veterans," said Veterans Services Director Sharon Sanders. "This new location is a great way for Cumberland County to show appreciation for veterans."

For more information about Veterans Services, call 910-677-2970 or go to www.co.cumberland.nc.us/veterans.aspx.