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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

WORLD WAR II PRISONER OF WAR SGT. JOHN CONNELLY TO BE INTERVIEWED ABOUT HIS WARTIME EXPERIENCE BY CITY COUNCIL MEMBER AL FERRARO

On Thursday, July 25, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. in the Jacksonville City Council Chamber (City Hall, 117 W. Duval Street), Jacksonville resident and World War II veteran Sgt. John Connelly will be interviewed about his experiences in the war and his time as a prisoner of war in Germany by City Council Member Al Ferraro (District 2). The interview, to be conducted before an audience of military veterans, Boy Scouts, and the general public, will be available for viewing on Comcast and U-verse channel 99, on the Jacksonville City Council's live streaming web site (<http://www.coj.net/city-council/city-council-meetings-online.aspx>) and will be recorded for inclusion in an oral history archive.

The public is invited to attend the interview and hear Sgt. Connelly's story of heroism and service or to view the event online.

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