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## Media Advisory

### **Ohio Army National Guard Brig. Gen. Steven E. Stivers to be promoted to major general**

**WHAT:** Promotion ceremony for Brig. Gen. Steven E. Stivers

**WHEN:** 3 p.m., today, Friday, Dec. 11, 2020.

**WHERE:** Drill floor, Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler Armory, 2825 W. Dublin Granville Road, Columbus, Ohio 43235.

**BACKGROUND:** Stivers is being promoted to major general after more than 30 years of service in the Ohio Army National Guard. He will be joined by immediate family for the ceremony.

Stivers, also a U.S. congressman, is one of the highest-ranking National Guard members to simultaneously serve as a member of Congress. He served overseas during Operation Iraqi Freedom (2004-05) in Kuwait, Iraq, Qatar, and Djibouti, where he led 400 Soldiers and contractors. He received the Bronze Star for his leadership throughout the deployment.

**NEWSROOM NOTE:** Media interested in covering the promotion ceremony may watch a live stream on the Ohio National Guard Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/TheOhioNationalGuard>.

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