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## **HCC to Honor Black Patriots**

**WELDON, N.C.** – Halifax Community College (HCC) is excited to bring recognition to the brave African American soldiers who fought for this country's independence.

On Tuesday, Feb. 11, Frank McMahon of Historic Halifax will present "Black Patriots of the Revolution." The engaging and enlightening program will detail the history of the patriots of the Roanoke Valley who were critical to America winning its independence. These often-overlooked heroes will be honored and remembered, ensuring their legacy of heroism remains.

The "Black Patriots of the Revolution" program will begin at 11 a.m. in Room 401 on the campus of HCC. The event is free and open to the public. HCC invites all citizens of the Roanoke Valley.

### **Halifax Community College's Mission**

Halifax Community College strives to meet the diverse needs of our community by providing high-quality, accessible and affordable education and services for a rapidly changing and globally competitive marketplace.

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