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The Republic Cigar to host 4th Annual Block Party to benefit CFW

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Ocala, FL – Operation: Cigars For Warriors announced today that it is the beneficiary of a special event by The Republic Cigar, a CFW Donation Center. The event will be held at Guadalupe Brewing Company in New Braunfels, Texas on Saturday, October 11th, 2025, starting at 12PM CDT.

Tickets are available for purchase online. General Admission tickets include 6 premium cigars. VIP tickets include 9 premium cigars, a T-shirt and swag items.



Live bands will be playing throughout the day. Food and award winning craft beer will also be available for purchase. Raffles and special cigar deals will also be conducted during the event.

Storm Boen, Chairman and CEO of Operation: Cigars for Warriors said: *"It's been our pleasure to work with The Republic Cigar since 2013. We have a special relationship with all of our Donation Centers and are very thankful for our partnership."*

Kerri Preetorius, manager and proprietor of The Republic Cigar said: *"We are proud to announce our support for CFW again this year with the 4th Annual Block Party. This is a cause deeply meaningful to us and our community. This event provides vital support and resources, and by participating, we aim to contribute to its positive impact on the lives of those it serves. We believe in giving back to the community that has supported us, and aligning with CFW allows us to do just that, fostering a stronger, more connected environment for everyone."*

Operation: Cigars for Warriors is a registered 501(c)3 charity operating nationwide whose mission is to provide premium cigars and cigar accessories to US troops serving in active combat zones. Since 2012, over 1.7 million cigars have been donated to US servicemen and women, in addition to coffee, magazines, cigar lighters, cutters and many other items.

The Republic Cigar has been in business since 2012. It offers luxurious lounging options for conversation, relaxation, and cigar tasting. In addition to comfortable general seating, The Republic Cigar also offers exclusive memberships, which offer access to the private lounge.