

## \*\*\*MEDIA ALERT/PHOTO OPPORTUNITY\*\*\*

## \$10,000 SURPRISE HOME MAKEOVER FOR ONE LOCAL DESERVING WAR VETERAN

Levitz, The American Legion & the USO Join Together to Help a Local Soldier, Commemorate Veteran's Day

Levitz Furniture, in conjunction with American Legion Post 161 in Redmond, is commemorating Veteran's Day by giving Sergeant Roy H. Murry of Lacey, Washington a \$10,000 surprise home makeover. The specialty home furnishings retailer, along with the local Post, is providing Murry and his wife with the home makeover they have been dreaming of! The event coincides with the remodeling of several local Levitz stores as part of the company's renewed commitment to providing a superior shopping experience to Seattle-area residents.

Sergeant Roy H. Murry, formerly of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 146<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Brigade, now in the Medical Holding Company on Ft. Lewis where he has had to undergo numerous surgeries since returning to the United States, stepped up and saved the lives of members of his unit in Iraq when he was unfortunately wounded in the process. The 21-year-old Sergeant, a Walla Walla native, currently resides in Lacey, Washington with his wife, Erika. Levitz Furniture, The American Legion and the USO are honored to provide the Murry family with this \$10,000 home makeover.

Levitz Furniture will surprise Sergeant Roy H. Murry with the \$10,000 check on Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at the SeaTac USO where Levitz Furniture is also donating a "Levitz Lounge" to better serve travelers visiting the USO. John Lee, Washington Director of Veterans Affairs, George Cargill, Chairman-elect for the USO, Jim Broe of the American Legion, Dale Davis, Department Adjutant of the American Legion, Mary Davis, Service Officer for the American Legion and USO President Tom Hinman will be on hand at the presentation to recognize Sergeant Murry.

WHAT: SURPRISE \$10,000 CHECK PRESENTATION TO MURRY FAMILY

WHERE: USO Center, Mezzanine Level

SeaTac International Airport

WHEN: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH

MEDIA CALL TIME: 11:00 a.m.

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