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WHITMAN CENTER TO HOST 9-11 REMEMBRANCE PRESENTATION, EXHIBIT

TEMPERANCE, Mich. – Monroe County Community College’s Whitman Center will host a panel presentation by local individuals who went to New York City and provided volunteer assistance after 9-11, as well as an exhibit on the historical significance of the tragedy.

The presentation, which is free and open to the public, will be held on Tuesday, September 11 from 7-9 p.m. in Room 2 of the center, which is located 7777 Lewis Ave in Temperance. No registration is required.

Dr. John Lewton, a psychologist and trauma response specialist, Beth Cooley, a police officer, and Elizabeth Cole, a licensed massage therapist, will share their unique experiences and perspectives on the aftermath of the deadliest terrorist attack on U.S. soil.

The exhibit, “September 11: A Timeline,” is on loan from the New York State Museum. It explores the historical significance of Sept. 11, 2001 and features rare artifacts from the World Trade Center.

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The detailed timeline, with images, maps and graphics, is designed to help visitors understand the sequence of terrorist activity during the decade preceding the attacks. The timeline also explains how September 11 unfolded, the timing of the attacks, evacuations and the collapse of the towers. The exhibit includes a U.S. flag recovered from Ground Zero, as well as building fragments from the towers, most notably a fragment of the World Trade Center's iconic aluminum sheathing.

The exhibit will be available to the public for free viewing in the Whitman Center during regular business hours, which are 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday.

For more information on the presentation or exhibit, please contact the Whitman Center, at (734) 847-0559.

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