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## NEWS RELEASE

### **RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS NATIVE KIA LAID TO REST IN HOME TOWN 78 YEARS AFTER PEARL HARBOR ATTACK**

**RAYMONDVILLE, Texas (December 7, 2019)** — Victor Patrick Tumlinson KIA, Pearl Harbor — USS Oklahoma, was laid to rest 78 Years later in his home town of Raymondville, Texas.

In attendance were officers and members of Pat Tumlinson Post 6719 and Weslaco VFW Calderon-Daily Memorial Post 12178 as well as family and community members.



**FCM3 VICTOR PATRICK TUMLINSON**

Unit **USS Oklahoma; UNITED STATES**  
**NAVY**

Historical Country of Loss **Hawaiian Islands**  
Current Country of Loss **UNITED STATES**

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THE NAVY DEPARTMENT DEEPLY REGRETS TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR SON VICTOR PAT TURLINSON FIRE CONTROLMAN THIRD CLASS US NAVY IS MISSING FOLLOWING ACTION IN THE PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTY AND IN THE SERVICE OF HIS COUNTRY X THE DEPARTMENT APPRECIATES YOUR GREAT ANXIETY AND WILL FURNISH YOU FURTHER INFORMATION PROMPTLY WHEN RECEIVED X TO PREVENT POSSIBLE AID TO OUR ENEMIES PLEASE DO NOT DIVULGE THE NAME OF HIS SHIP OR STATION=

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