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## VetConnexx Announces Location in Greater Gwinnett Place Opportunity Zone

Call center to create more than 300 jobs for veterans in County

(GWINNETT- METRO ATLANTA) November 25, 2013 – <u>VetConnexx</u>, in partnership with <u>Gwinnett Chamber Economic Development</u>, announced it will bring more than 300 jobs to Gwinnett County, metro Atlanta with the opening of its Customer Service Contact Center. The site positions VetConnexx within the Greater Gwinnett Place Opportunity Zone, the County's newest incentive zone in the Gwinnett Place area.

"Creative companies such as VetConnexx lay the foundation for tomorrow's IT infrastructure," said Chris Carr, commissioner at Georgia Department of Economic Development. "VetConnexx shares the state's same commitment to providing jobs for Georgians, especially for those who have served our country, and Georgia's skilled workforce and business-friendly climate will only help this company grow."

Located at 3100 Breckenridge Blvd., Suite 200, the 30,987-square-foot facility is designed for 300 agents and equipped to house more than 500 people. VetConnexx specializes in providing customer service for Fortune 500 companies, while also providing veterans and their immediate families with post-deployment jobs.

Company co-founder and CEO, Larry Ellis, stated, "We are excited to announce Gwinnett County as the home of our third location in the VetConnexx service offering. We believe this is a thriving community that will enable us to continue providing jobs for veterans, as well as offering excellent support services to our clients."

"We celebrate the addition of VetConnexx to Gwinnett County and the hundreds of jobs it will bring to families in our community," stated Gwinnett County Board of Commission Chairman Charlotte Nash. "VetConnexx's decision to open its new facility in Gwinnett is a testament to our business-friendly community. We are committed to creating an ideal location for companies looking to grow and thrive."