WILMINGTON, NC – The Battleship NORTH CAROLINA is honored to announce the support in restoration fund efforts from local McDonald’s. Big Macs for the Battleship will be launched on Memorial Day Weekend, May 24 – 27, 2019. $.50 from every Big Mac® sandwich sold at participating McDonald’s restaurants will be donated to the restoration fund of the ship.

Denny Anderson, Owner/Operator of McDonald’s, stated, “We are proud to help support the Battleship in its endeavors to maintain the historical integrity of the ship. By partnering with the NORTH CAROLINA, McDonald’s is helping restore the State’s Memorial that honors the Greatest Generation and all who have served.” To date more than $26,000 has been raised through this yearly event.

Captain Terry Bragg, Executive Director for the Battleship, said, “The Battleship NORTH CAROLINA is humbled and thankful by McDonald’s overwhelming support. They are true advocates of the Ship and her crew.”

McDonald’s is promoting Big Macs for the Battleship with in-store signs, inclusion in advertising and special Big Macs promotional coupons. Participating McDonald’s locations include Burgaw, Carolina Beach, Elizabethtown, Fairmont, Hampstead, Leland, Lumberton, Pembroke, Rocky Point, Shallotte, Sneads Ferry, Southport, St. Pauls, Sunset Beach, Supply, Surf City, Whiteville and Wilmington, North Carolina.

About the Battleship NORTH CAROLINA
The Battleship NORTH CAROLINA is self-supporting, not tax supported, and relies primarily on admissions to tour the Ship, sales in the Ship’s Store, donations and investments. No funds for its administration and operation come from appropriations from governmental entities at the local, state or federal levels. Located at the junction of Highways 17/74/76/421 on the Cape Fear River. Visit http://www.battleshipnc.com or follow us on Facebook.com/ncbb55, Twitter.com/battleshipnc and Instagram.com/battleshipnc for more information. The Battleship
NORTH CAROLINA is a historic site within the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources (http://www.NCCulture.com).

ABOUT McDonald’s
McDonald’s is the world’s leading global food service retailer with more than 36,000 locations serving approximately 70 million customers in more than 100 countries each day. More than 85% of McDonald’s restaurants worldwide are owned and operated by independent local business men and women. To learn more about the company, please visit: www.aboutmcdonalds.com.

Participating McDonald’s Restaurants are owned & operated by Dennis Anderson, David Anderson, Tim Denny and Kenneth Rust.

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