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Plans for a massive Madison Square Garden memorial for the 343 firemen killed in the Sept. 11 attacks may be scuttled because of the festering feud between the city and its firefighters.

Sources told The Post that the Garden is considering canceling the tribute — scheduled for Nov. 18 — because of the wild melee that erupted at ground zero on Friday.

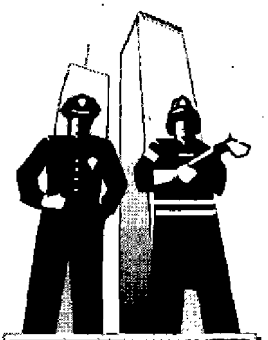
The sources said the Garden's concern is compounded by the unruly behavior some firefighters displayed at the Garden during the Oct. 20 "Concert for New York," the celebrity-packed benefit that was broadcast worldwide.

More than 50,000 people are expected to attend the memorial sponsored by the city and the International Association of Firefighters.

Both the mayor's office and Fire Department refused to comment on the possible cancellation, and a spokesman for the Garden did not return calls.

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