



AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

Service, Not Self

2017-2018 SERVICE TO VETERANS VOLUNTEER AWARD

****DO NOT LIST COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS****

50-hour pins and attachable hour bars for 100, 300, 500, 1,000 volunteer hours increasing in increments of 1,000 hours up to 19,000 will be awarded to qualifying applicants. Hours are recorded each year and continue to accrue with the appropriate award being distributed.

Unit City Location: _____

Unit #: _____

Date: _____

Dist #: _____

Please mail this completed form NO LATER THAN APRIL 10, 2018 to:

Char Kiesling
868 Turnbrook Road
Neenah WI 54956

Allow 8-12 weeks for processing. Awards will be mailed to the Unit President

EXAMPLES OF COUNTABLE VOLUNTEER SERVICE TO VETERANS HOURS

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| <i>Volunteer at any VA facility or Camp American Legion</i> | <i>Give Gift gifts and cards to Veterans in nursing homes</i> |
| <i>Help wounded warriors</i> | <i>Create and donate items from pattern book</i> |
| <i>Help elderly veterans at home</i> | <i>Volunteer to call Bingo or serve snacks at Veterans' facility</i> |
| <i>Provide transportation</i> | <i>Assemble and send pocket flags</i> |
| <i>Distribute poppies - report amount collected</i> | <i>Send letters, cards, and packages to soldiers</i> |
| <i>Call on local businesses to put out a poppy can</i> | <i>Make and send Camo quilts</i> |
| <i>Record veteran histories</i> | <i>Create and send Toasty Toes to the soldiers</i> |
| <i>Raise/donate money for the Veterans Creative Arts Festival</i> | <i>Donate to the USO</i> |
| <i>Fundraising events at your unit or post</i> | <i>Buy Girl Scout cookies and send to soldiers</i> |
| <i>Assist with veterans' job fairs</i> | <i>Shop for and prepare care packages</i> |
| <i>Attend or help with a Veterans Day program</i> | <i>Write emails, letters, or contact legislators about military issues</i> |
| <i>Make tray favors for nursing homes on patriotic holidays</i> | <i>Help with send-offs, stand-downs, and welcome home events</i> |
| <i>Write emails, letters, or call Legislators for veterans' issues</i> | |

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Person submitting this form: _____ **Phone #:** _____

Email Address: _____

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