



Veterans and Military Service Organizations



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**VETERANS AND MILITARY SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS
AND STATE DIRECTORS OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
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PART I

Listing of Congressionally chartered Veterans Service Organizations that are also recognized by the Department of VA Office of General Counsel for the purpose of preparation, presentation, and prosecution of claims under laws administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs, as provided in Section 5902 (formerly Section 3402) of Title 38, United States Code (U.S.C.) and Sub Section 14.628(a) and (c) of 38 C.F.R.

AFRICAN AMERICAN POST TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	9129 Veterans Drive, SW Lakewood, WA 98498
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Sidney A. Lee President
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Donald Curtis Vice President
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	Sidney A. Lee caaptsdsal@yahoo.com
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	April 3, 1999
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	March 12, 2002 38 USCS5902 and 38CFRS14.682© 38 CFRS14.629
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Sidney A. Lee, President 9129 Veterans Drive SW Lakewood, WA 98498 (253) 589-0766 (866) 322-0766
PHONE NUMBER:	(253) 589-0769
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.aaptsdassn.org</u>

AMERICAN EX-PRISONERS OF WAR

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	3201 East Pioneer Parkway, #40 Arlington, TX 76010 (817) 649-2979
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Charles Susino Jr. National Commander 292 VZ CR 3727 Wills Point, TX 75169 (903) 560-1734 (903) 560-1705 fax
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTORS:	Ruth Powell and Betty Harlan Director NSO
ORGANIZATION DATE:	1949
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	August 10, 1982 PL 97-234
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Clydie Morgan, Executive Director/Treasurer (817) 649-2979
PHONE NUMBER:	(817) 649-0109
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.axpow.org</u>

AMERICAN GI FORUM OF THE UNITED STATES

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

2807 N. Speer Boulevard
Denver, Colorado 80211
(303) 458-1700 phone
(303) 485-1634 fax

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Luis Vasquez-Contes
National Commander
4027 Valley Drive
Pueblo, CO 81008
agifcmdrluis@aol.com

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

Carlos Martinez
President and CEO
National Veterans Outreach Program
611 North Flores Street
San Antonio, TX 78205
(210) 223-4088 phone
(210) 223-4970 fax

PRESIDING WOMEN'S OFFICER:

Patsy Vasquez Contes
National Chairwomen
(361) 232-8296

ORGANIZATION DATE:

March 26, 1948

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

N/A

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Luis Vasquez-Contes
National Commander
Email: agifstcmdrluis@aol.com

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.agifco.org

THE AMERICAN LEGION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	P.O. Box 1055 Indianapolis, IN 46206 (317) 630-1200
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Charles S c h m i d t National Commander
NATIONAL ADJUTANT:	Daniel S. Wheeler, National Adjutant
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:	Verna Jones, Director Veterans Affairs (202) 861-2700, ext. 2983
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	Peggy Thomas National Auxiliary President
ORGANIZATION DATE:	March 15, 1919
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	September 16, 1919 PL 66-47
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Peter S. Gaytan Executive Director The American Legion 1608 K Street, NW Washington, DC 20006 (202) 263-5741
PHONE NUMBER:	(202) 861-2786
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.legion.org</u>

AMERICAN RED CROSS

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

430 17th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006

PRESIDING OFFICER:

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Chairman mcelveenhb@usa.redcross.org
(202) 303-5233

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Gail McGovern
President and CEO
(202) 303-5309
eversonma@usa.redcross.org

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

Sherri L. Brown
Service to Armed Forces
2025 E. Street, NW (NE 2046)
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 303-8283
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ORGANIZATION DATE:

1881

DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS:

January 5, 1905

PRIMARY CONTACTS:

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430 17th Street,
NW Suite NE-
2029
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 303-0221
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Ronald Williams
ARC/BVA Coordinator –
National Service Director
425 I Street, NW
Room 2W240K
Washington, DC 20001
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PHONE NUMBER:

(202) 632-5844

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.redcross.org

AMVETS

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

4647 Forbes Boulevard
Lanham, MD 20706-4380
(301) 459-9600

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Harold Chapman
National Commander

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Joseph R. Chenelly
National Executive Director

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

Denny Boller
dboller@amvets.org

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

Linda McGriff
lmcgriff@amvets.org

ORGANIZATION DATE:

December 9, 1944

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

July 23, 1947
P.L. 216-80th Congress

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Joseph Chenelly
National Executive Director
4647 Forbes Boulevard
Lanham, MD 20706-4380
(301) 459-9600

PHONE NUMBER:

(301) 459-9600

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.amvets.org

ARMY AND NAVY UNION, USA, INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	P.O. Box 686 Niles, OH 44446 (330) 349-4724
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Don Youngblood National Commander
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Norman T. Henninger, Jr. National Adjutant
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	1886
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	November 6, 1986 N/A
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Norman T. Henninger, Jr. National Adjutant 107 Fulton Street Niles, OH 44446 (330) 307-7049
PHONE NUMBER:	N/A
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.armyandnavyunion.org</u>

BLINDED VETERANS ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

477 H Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001-2694
(202) 371-8880

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Robert Stamper
National President

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Joseph Bogart
Executive Director

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

N/A

ORGANIZATION DATE:

March 28, 1945

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

August 27, 1958
PL 85-769

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Joseph Bogart
Executive Director
Blinded Veterans Association
477 H Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001-2694
(202) 371-8880

PHONE NUMBER:

(202) 371-8258

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

[www. bva.org](http://www.bva.org)

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS, USA, INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	441 North Lee Street Alexandria, VA 22314 (703) 549-3622
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Armida Crawford National Commander
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:	Dave Crum
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	Jose M. Garcia josegarcia4@sbcglobal.net (512) 560-6091
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	May 1935
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	August 17, 1984 PL 98-382
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Dave Crum Executive Director (347) 262-4705 pgkdave@gmail.com
PHONE NUMBER:	(703) 684-5196
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.cwv.org</u>

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

3725 Alexandria Pike
Cold Spring, KY 41076
(859) 441-7300

PRESIDING OFFICER:

David W. Riley
National Commander

NATIONAL ADJUTANT:

J. Marc Burgess
National Adjutant

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:

Garry J. Augustine
Executive Director

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

Frances J. Costa
National Commander

ORGANIZATION DATE:

1921

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

June 17, 1932
PL 72-186

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Garry Augustine, Executive Director
Washington Headquarters
Disabled American Veterans
807 Maine Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20024-2410
(202) 554-3501

PHONE NUMBER:

(202) 554-3581

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.dav.org

FLEET RESERVE ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	125 N. West Street Alexandria, VA 22314-2754 1 -800-FRA- 1924
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Donald E. Larson National President
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Tom Snee National Executive Director
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	November 11, 1924
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	September 23, 1996 PL 104-20 1
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Christopher J. Slawinski National Veterans Service Officer Fleet Reserve Association 125 N. West Street Alexandria, VA 22314-2754 (703) 683-1400 (800) FRA-1924, Ext. 115
PHONE NUMBER:	(703) 683-1400
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.fra.org</u>

GOLD STAR WIVES OF AMERICA, INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

P.O. Box 361986
Birmingham, AL 35236-1986
(205) 823-1778
(205) 823-2760 fax
info@goldstarwives.org
www.goldstarwives.org

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Harriet Boyden
Chairman of the
Board

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Crystal Wenum
National President

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

Karen Riecke

ORGANIZATION DATE:

December 1945

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

December 4, 1980
PL 96-497

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Harriet Boyden
National President/
Washington Representative
200 N. Glebe Road, Suite 425
Arlington, VA 22203
(703) 351-6246

PHONE NUMBER:

888-751-6350

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.goldstarwives.org

ITALIAN AMERICAN WAR VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	115 S. Meridian Road Youngstown, OH 44509
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Michael Krutsick, Jr. National Commander 328 New York Avenue Newark, NJ 07105-3118 (973) 954-1572 mkrutskickjr@itamvets.org
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Michael Krutsick, Jr., Chief of Staff
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	V. Matthew Rao 9326 Ketay Circle Boca Raton, FL 33428 (561) 451-8772
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	Ann Marie George National President (508) 308-6405 amgeorge@comcast.net
ORGANIZATION DATE:	February 20, 1932
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	November 20, 1981 PL 97-82
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Michael Krutsick, Jr. National Commander
PHONE NUMBER:	(508) 296-9535
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.itamvets.org</u>

JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF THE USA

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	1811 R Street, NW Washington, DC 20009 (202) 265-6280
PRESIDING OFFICER:	COL Carl A. Singer National Commander
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Herb Rosenbleeth National Executive Director
NATIONAL SERVICE OFFICER:	Gene Kanofsky/Mike Sinderman
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	Greg Byrne
ORGANIZATION DATE:	March 15, 1896
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	August 21, 1984 PL 98-391
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Greg Byrne gbyrne@jwv.org
PHONE NUMBER:	(202) 265-6280
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.jwv.org</u>

LEGION OF VALOR OF THE USA, INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

4706 Calle Reina
Santa Barbara, CA 93110-2018
(805) 692-2244

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Richard J. Rinaldo
National Commander

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Donald Marx
National Adjutant

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

Aloma Walden

ORGANIZATION DATE:

April 23, 1890

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

August 4, 1955
PL 224

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Donald Marx
Legion of Valor
3927 Rust Hill Place
Fairfax, VA 22030
202-320-3295

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.legionofvalor.com

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	3619 Jefferson Davis Highway Suite 115 Stafford, VA 22554
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Richard D. Gore, SR. National Commandant
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Thomas W. Hazlett, SR. National Executive Director
NATIONAL SERVICE OFFICER:	Lynn Williamson (Foster)
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	Maj. General Michael Regner (Ret)
ORGANIZATION DATE:	June 6, 1923
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	July 4, 1937
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Thomas W. Hazlett, SR. National Executive Director mcexecutivedirector@gmail.com
PHONE NUMBER:	(703) 207-9588
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.mcleague.com</u>

MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA (MOAA)

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	201 N. Washington Street Alexandria, VA 22314 (703) 549-2311 or 1 (800) 234-6622
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Gen. John J. Sheehan, USMC (RET) Chairman of the Board
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Lt. Gen. Dana Atkins, USAF (Ret) President and CEO
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	February 23, 1929
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	November 6, 2009 PL 111-95
PRIMARY CONTACT(S):	Lt. Gen. Dana Atkins, USAF (Ret) President and CEO (703) 549-2311 1 (800) 234-6622
PHONE NUMBER:	(703) 838-8173
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.moaa.org</u>

MILITARY ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART OF THE U.S.A., INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

5413 B&C Backlick Road
Springfield, VA 2215 1-3960
(703) 642-5360 or (703) 354-2140

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Hershel Gober
National Commander

NATIONAL ADJUTANT:

Jack Leonard
National Adjutant

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

Frank Van Hoy
National Service Director

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

Eileen Oltmann
National President

ORGANIZATION DATE:

November 8, 1932

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

August 26, 1958
PL 85-76 1

PRIMARY CONTACT(S):

Jack Leonard
National Adjutant
(703) 642-5360
X: 119
jackleonard@purpleheart.org
Frank Van Hoy
(703) 642-5360, Ext. 103
ServiceDirector@purpleheart.org

PHONE NUMBER:

(703) 642-2054 or 888-668-1656

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.purpleheart.org

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR BLACK VETERANS, INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

P.O. Box 11432
Milwaukee, WI 5321 1-0432
(414) 345-4260
(414) 342-1073 fax

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Richard S. Kornegay
Chairman, National Command Council

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

BG (Ret.) Robert A. Cocroft
Executive Director

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

N/A

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

N/A

ORGANIZATION DATE:

July 1969

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

April 2, 1998

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Richard Rogers
Senior Division Director
P.O. Box 11432
Milwaukee, WI 5321 1-0432
(414) 562-6250 (414) 562-6455 fax
1 (877) 622-8387

PHONE NUMBER:

(414) 342-4260

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.nabvets.org

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE OFFICERS, INC.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	660 North Capital St. NW Suite 400 Washington, DC 20001
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Ed Zackery President ezackery@nacvso.org
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Robert Park
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	Michael Roof
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	Kim Shalloo
ORGANIZATION DATE:	June 1990
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	N/A
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Kim Shalloo Washington Liaison kshalloo@nacvso.org
PHONE NUMBER:	(937) 206-2806
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.nacvso.com</u>

NATIONAL VETERANS LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAM

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

P. O. Box 65762
Washington, DC 20035
(202) 265-8305

EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS:

Ronald S. Flagg

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

N/A

ORGANIZATION DATE:

1981

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

N/A

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Ronald S. Flagg

PHONE NUMBER:

(202) 265-8305

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.nvlsp.org

NATIONAL VETERANS ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (NVOA)

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	P.O. Box 2510 Victoria, TX 79902-2510 (361) 356-1215
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Dan Brillman Executive Director
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Taylor Justice
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	March 27, 2007
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	N/A
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Andrew Price
PHONE NUMBER:	1-844-7-UNITEUS
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www2.uniteus.com/groups/national-</u>
<u>veterans-organization-of-america</u>	

PARALYZED VETERANS OF AMERICA

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	801 18th Street, NW Washington, DC 20006 (202) 872-1300
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Al Kovach Jr. National President
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Sherman Gillums Jr. Executive Director
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	N/A
ORGANIZATION DATE:	April 14, 1947
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	August 11, 1971 PL 92-93
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Sherman Gillums Jr. Executive Director 801 1 8th Street, NW Washington, DC 20006-3517 (202) 872-1300
PHONE NUMBER:	(202) 872-1300
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.pva.org</u>

POLISH LEGION OF AMERICAN VETERANS, USA

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

P.O. Box 42217
Washington, DC 20015

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Bob Swan
National Commander

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Patricia A. Bubonics
Executive Director

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

Jean Nejedly

ORGANIZATION DATE:

April 24, 1920

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

June 23, 1984
PL 98-372

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Patricia A. Bubonics
Executive Director

PHONE NUMBER:

N/A

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.plav.org

SWORDS TO PLOWSHARES: VETERANS RIGHTS ORGANIZATION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

1060 Howard Street
San Francisco, CA 94103
(415) 252-4788 phone

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Yaniv Newman
Chairman of the Board

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Michael Blecker
Executive Director

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

N/A

ORGANIZATION DATE:

December 23, 1974

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

N/A

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Michael Blecker
Executive Director
Swords to Plowshares:
Veterans Rights Organization
1060 Howard Street
San Francisco, CA 94103
(415) 252-4788

PHONE NUMBER:

(415) 552-4788

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.stp-sf.org

TREA: THE ENLISTED ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

1111 S. Abilene Court
Aurora, CO 80012
(800) 338-9337
(303) 752-0835 fax

PRESIDING OFFICER:

John I Adams
National President

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Deirdre Parke Holleman
dholleman@treadc.org

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

Irmgard Cates
irmy@comcast.net

ORGANIZATION DATE:

February 27, 1963

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

October 23, 1992
PL 102-484

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Deirdre Parke Holleman
Executive Director
1001 N. Fairfax Street, Suite 102
Alexandria, VA 22314
(703) 684-1981 or (800) 554-8732
dholleman@treadc.org

PHONE NUMBER:

(800) 338-9337

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

<http://www.trea.org>

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:	406 West 34th Street Kansas City, MO 64111 (816) 561-8655
PRESIDING OFFICER:	Brian Duffy Commander-in-Chief
EXECUTIVE OFFICER:	Robert Wallace Adjutant General
NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	N/A
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:	Colette Bishop National President of the VFW Auxiliary
ORGANIZATION DATE:	1899
DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:	May 28, 1936 PL 74-630
PRIMARY CONTACT:	Robert E. Wallace Executive Director 200 Maryland Avenue, NE Washington, DC 20002-5724 (202) 543-2239
PHONE NUMBER:	(202) 543-6719 - Executive Director (202) 547-3196 - Director, National Vets. Svc.
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	<u>www.vfw.org</u>

**VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM WAR, INC.
&
THE VETERANS COALITION**

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

805 South Township Blvd.
Pittston, PA 18640-3327
(570) 603-9740
1-800-843-8626

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Peter J. Forbes
National Commander
805 South Township Blvd.
Pittston, PA 18640

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Nancy Verespy
Executive Director

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

N/A

ORGANIZATION DATE:

May 5, 1980

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

N/A

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Peter J. Forbes
National Commander
805 South Township Blvd.
Pittston, PA 18640
(570) 603-9740
1-800-843-8626

PHONE NUMBER:

(570) 603-9740

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.vvnw.org

VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

8719 Colesville Road, Suite 100
Silver Spring, MD 20910
(301) 585-4000

PRESIDING OFFICER:

John Rowan
National President
jrowan@vva.org

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Rick Weidman
Executive Director of Government Affairs

ORGANIZATION DATE:

1978

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

May 23, 1986
PL 99-318

PRIMARY CONTACT:

John Rowan, National President
8719 Colesville Road, Suite 100
Silver Spring, MD 20910
(301) 585-4000

PHONE NUMBER:

(301) 585-4000

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.vva.org

WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

4899 Belfort Road, Suite 300
Jacksonville, FL 32256
904-296-7350

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Anthony Odierno
President/Board of Directors

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:

Michael Linnington
CEO

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

N/A

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT:

N/A

ORGANIZATION DATE:

February 23, 2005

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

VA Accreditation of Sept.10, 2008

PRIMARY CONTACT:

Michael
Linnington
CEO
4899 Belfort Road, Suite 300
Jacksonville, FL 32256
(904) 296-7350 phone
(904) 296-7347 fax

PHONE NUMBER:

(904) 296-7347

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.woundedwarriorproject.org

PART II

Other congressionally chartered Veterans Service Organizations NOT recognized by the Department of Veterans Affairs for the purpose of preparation, presentation and prosecution of Veteran's claims only. They represent the interest of American Veterans.

AIR FORCE SERGEANTS ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:

5211 Auth Road
Suitland, MD 20746
(301) 899-3500
(301) 899-8136 fax
staff@hqafsa.org

PRESIDING OFFICER:

Jeffrey Ledoux, CMSgt (Ret)
President

EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

Mark Stevenson,
CMSgt (Ret)
Chief Executive Officer

NATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:

ORGANIZATION DATE:

May 3, 1961

**DATE CHARTERED BY CONGRESS
AND PUBLIC LAW NUMBER:**

November 18, 1997
PL 105-85

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