



VETERANS Appreciation Program to Assist Local HOMETOWN HEROES *Now it's OUR Turn to Serve YOU!*

Have you ever heard one of our heroes say “We were homeless””jobless” or “We didn’t know where to go...”

We are now here to address these issues. As a community we recognize the sacrifices that our Town’s Veterans have faced and some continue to face. We are determined to make sure that no Malta Veteran or their family goes without. Malta is pleased to announce the Malta Veteran’s Appreciation Program (MVAP) formed to locate, advocate and compassionately assist our Veterans and their families to receive the first class services they deserve.

MVAP is a liaison to the services and resources that they need in order to live a full and productive life. We are committed to enabling them to thrive. Whether it is building a handicap ramp, renovating their living quarters to accommodate a disability or driving them to the doctors, we are determined to be there for them. We are making sure they have food and necessities, helping them to locate benefits or just sitting down and listening to their stories. We have many different programs, our DAILY day to day where we assist with just every day needs and items to be handled such as a broken down car, food, clothes, roof repairs, etc. Our Homes for Hometown Heroes Program where we renovate and donate a home to a Veteran or Veteran Family. Click on link to see this program here. <https://spectrumlocalnews.com/nys/capital-region/news/2022/06/26/malta-organization-donates-home-to-air-force-veteran>

“We find that typically our Veterans will not ask for help” says Farley, so our biggest hurdle is locating those Veterans or their Spouses or families that are in need and just won’t ask. So we are launching several projects right now to find them. Thousands of flyers will be mailed to town residents explaining MVAP and asking our Veterans to contact us directly to tell us how we can improve their lives. We are literally going door to door locally to find them to determine what we can do to make their lives better.

“One of our residents, now deceased, went years suffering just to get up out of a chair” unaware that a Lift Chair could drastically improve the quality of his life. He finally did get one but for years he went without such a simple item, if only we had been able to locate him sooner.

Residents can contact MVAP directly or anonymously, to tell us about someone who requires assistance so we may reach out to them. Sometimes our Vets do not even know what they need to make their lives easier but if we can locate them now we can soon make that determination. For example, recently, a Global Foundries Malta Veteran with PTSD was issued a service dog to assist him with dealing with his condition.

This is just a sample of the type of services that MVAP can either locally assist with or direct our Veteran to the proper governmental agencies. We must have your help to accomplish this task for our hometown heroes. We build ramps, transportation, food, clothes, fundraising and most recently, built a Tiny Home for a combat Veteran. WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS! Please contact to see how to help?

VOLUNTEERS WANTED – DONATE – VETERAN MENTORS - *If you are Veteran or know of a Veteran spouse or family or would like to VOLUNTEER please contact us.*

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