



HAMMOND HOMETOWN HEROES

Application Form



***Please complete & return to the address at the bottom of the page. Sponsors/Families will be responsible for all information, including accurate dates & spelling.**

Rank: _____

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Branch of Service: _____

(*Discharge papers should include a DD214 or other separation papers. If you do not have them, they may be obtained at archives.gov or call the Watertown Veterans Center at 315-782-5479.)

Era: (Check one or more boxes.) **Other:** _____

☐ **Global War on Terror** (Sept. 2002-Present)

☐ **Persian Gulf War** (Aug. 1990-Aug. 1991)

☐ **Cold War** (Sept. 1945-Nov. 1975)

☐ **Vietnam Conflict** (Feb. 1962-Nov. 1975)

☐ **Korean War** (June 1950-Jan. 1955)

☐ **WW II** (Dec. 1940-Dec. 1945)

☐ **WW I** (Apr. 1917-Nov. 1918)

☐ **Spanish American War** (Apr. 1898-Aug. 1898)

☐ **Civil War** (1861-1865)

Sponsor/Family: _____

Status: (KIA/POW/MIA) _____

Medals: (with proof, such as purple heart; silver, gold or bronze star, etc.) _____

****Please include a photo of 150 dpi quality (or the best quality you have).**

Contact name, address or email & phone no. (for any questions): _____

Please make a check for \$225 to Hammond Hometown Heroes & send to PO Box 107, Hammond, NY 13646 or bring to Hammond Historical Museum (Wed.10-4, Sat. 9-1).

PO Box 107, 1A N. main st., Hammond, NY 13646

Hammond Hometown Heroes

Veteran Banner Project Press Release 4

Attention Hammond Residents! We now have 40 Hometown Hero Veteran Banners hanging in the Hammond village and Chippewa Bay.

Did you know! In our little town of Hammond, we have had over 320 veteran heroes serve in wars and conflicts over the years. And that doesn't include those who served who have family connections to Hammond or have been long term seasonal residents.

If you know anyone or any family connected to area veterans, please pass the word, or have them contact our Hammond Historical Museum or our banner committee. We want to honor these heroes!

We are now accepting new applications for more veteran banners! These will be hung in the spring 2027.

If you have a deceased family veteran or know a veteran who fits the guidelines below, please let us know. Applications and details for ordering a banner will be available in several local locations including Hammond Historical Museum, the Town of Hammond offices, and Hammond Central School. You may also find applications on the following online locations: Town of Hammond website, Hammond Historical Museum website, the Facebook pages of the town, the museum, Hammond Memories, and Citizen's cable page. You can request an application by email or mail at the addresses below.

Project Guidelines

- * Any deceased honorably discharged veteran who has long term ties to the Hammond communities.
- * Any deceased honorably discharged veteran who was born and raised in Hammond.
- * Any deceased honorably discharged veteran who has been in the Hammond area as a seasonal resident for 30+ years
- * Any deceased honorably discharged veteran who has long term connections (family) to the Hammond community
- * Veteran banners will be displayed on designated NG poles in the village of Hammond, Chippewa Bay, Blind Bay, and Oak Point.
- * Families who have multiple veteran members may have the option of placing two pictures per banner.
- * Banners will be 24X48 inches in size at a cost of \$225 which includes the banner, brackets, shipping, and installation.
- * Banners are guaranteed for 3 years and after that time are either returned to the family or will continue to be hung each year for a yearly fee of \$25.

Banner orders deadline, including photos, discharge information, and payment, will be March 15, 2027.

Please contact us by email, hammondhometownheroes@gmail.com; or by mail at:

Veteran Banner Committee c/o Hammond Historical Museum