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**Important Information
for Our Veterans**
from your Assemblyman Steve Stern



“As the Chairman of the Veterans’ Affairs Committee of the New York State Assembly, it is my privilege to work with and for the brave men and women who have sacrificed so much to protect our great nation and their families. I will always work hard to ensure that our veterans receive the recognition, support and services they deserve.”

Steve Stern

– Assemblyman Steve Stern



Questions? Concerns? My office is always here to help.

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Supporting Our Veterans and Their Families

As your strong voice in Albany, Assemblyman Stern:

- Introduced and passed legislation to provide the same benefits that veterans receive to active service members in New York State who served in a combat zone (A.6579).
- Co-sponsored and passed legislation to establish a real property tax exemption for veterans who have a 100% service-connected disability (A.74).
- Introduced and passed the Governing Unaccredited Representatives Defrauding (GUARD) VA Benefits Act to increase penalties on individuals and entities which defraud veterans by seeking payment for service without authorization from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs (Chapter 491 of 2025).
- Introduced and passed legislation to create a veteran health care review to ensure veterans and their families have access to health and mental health treatment, including for post-traumatic stress disorder, depression, anxiety, military sexual trauma, reproductive and mental health conditions and suicide prevention (A.5155).



Important Numbers and Resources for Our Veterans

Suffolk County Veterans Services Agency
H. Lee Dennison Building
100 Veterans Memorial Highway
Hauppauge, NY 11788
631-853-8387 (VETS)

Northport VA Medical Center
79 Middleville Road
Northport, NY 11768
631-261-4400

Joseph P. Dwyer Veterans Peer Support Program
Confidential support for PTSD, TBI & other issues
631-853-8345

Touro Law Center Veterans Clinic
Free legal services for Veterans and their families
225 Eastview Drive
Central Islip, NY 11722
631-761-7000

VA Benefits and Services
800-827-1000

VA Caregiver Program
855-260-3274

NYS Dept. of Veterans' Services
518-474-6114

America's VetDogs
371 East Jericho Turnpike
Smithtown, NY 11787
631-930-9000

Town of Huntington Veterans Services
631-351-3012

Long Island State Veterans Home
631-444-8500

National Suicide Prevention 24/7 Hotline
988

Suffolk County Department of Social Services Emergency Services Unit
After 4:30 p.m. & weekends, holidays
631-854-9100

Honor Flight Long Island
631-702-2423

Suffolk County Community College
Office of Military and Veterans Services
631-451-4456

Long Island Cares
Military Appreciation Tuesdays
Mobile Food Pantry
631-582-FOOD (3663)

United Veterans Beacon House
631-665-1571

For additional resources and information, veterans and their families can download the free New York State Veterans Affairs app available on smartphones.



Assemblyman Stern's office publishes a monthly Mail Call newsletter, which provides information about resources and programs for our veterans and their families, along with updates on important legislative initiatives. **To view the latest issue, scan the QR code.**