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## **HOMETOWN HEROES BANNER APPLICATION 2024**

If your family would like to purchase a banner for a West Pittston veteran, past or present, please fill out the details needed below. The banner is a heavy-duty vinyl 30" wide (2.5 ft.) by 60" tall (5 ft.)

The cost is \$225 for the production and installation of the banner. The annual renewal fee will be \$25.

We hope to display them for 3 to 4 years. After that the banners will be evaluated for environmental damage. Wear and tear are the responsibility of the owners. Torn or damaged banners will be returned to the family. Replacement banners will cost \$115.

The banners will be erected by mid-June. **Placement is not guaranteed. Applications must be received by Friday, March 29, 2024.**

Photos should preferably be the honoree's service picture of him or her in uniform. Original photos work best. Copies or cell phone pictures of an original are not recommended. No group photos will be accepted. You grant West Pittston Tomorrow permission to use the attached photo for the West Pittston Hometown Heroes program and on the NEPA Hometown Heroes website.

We also offer a matching 12" x 24" Garden Flag and matching 8" x 14" Display Board (printed on 6mm rigid PVC board)

Banners hung in the previous year in the same spot will take precedence to getting hung in 2024. All new 2024 banners will be hung but not guaranteed by Memorial Day.

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND DOUBLE CHECK SPELLING ON ALL**

**PERTINENT INFORMATION. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOUT THE VETERAN(S) BEING HONORED IS ACCURATE AND CORRECT**

**Full Name of person in photo (include title and rank)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Branch of Military** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list any wartime the veteran was involved in** \_\_\_\_\_

**Donated by: (please list family name or person that is donating the banner). For more than two names, please enter a family name, family names or organization.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address to send proof to for approval:** \_\_\_\_\_

Once banner is proofed and approved, West Pittston Tomorrow is not responsible for any errors

**Your phone number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Era of Service – Official DOD dates**

Global War on Terrorism	Sept. 11, 2001 – Present
Desert Storm	Jan. 7, 1991 – Feb. 28, 1991
Persian Gulf	Aug. 2, 1990 – Aug. 31, 1991
Vietnam	Feb. 28, 1961 – May 7, 1975
Korean Conflict	June 27, 1950 – Jan. 31, 1955
World War II	Dec. 7, 1941 – Dec. 31, 1946
World War I	Apr. 6, 1917 – Nov. 11, 1918

**Optional Matching 12” x 24” Garden Flag Cost: \$32 Number of flags** \_\_\_\_\_

**Optional Matching 8” x 14” Display Board Cost: \$30 Number of boards** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send application, photo and payment to: West Pittston Tomorrow, 555 Exeter Ave., West Pittston, PA 18643**

The photo will be returned to you once the banner is proofread, approved and printed. If you have any questions, call Tom Obrzut at 570-814-5708 or Lynn Burbank at 551-221-0336