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COMMUNICATION IS POWER

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TO OPT OUT OF OUR NEWSLETTERS, E-MAIL MARIA KLENHARD

OUR NEXT MEETING

SEPTEMBER 17 at 7:30 PM, is slated for our next tele-meeting, by invitation, using GoToMeeting. E-mail me if you want an invite:

commander@epost2100.org.

Our tele-meetings are provided for you to learn about and have input regarding your cyber Post. BTW, have you visited Our Web site, lately?

OUR HELP DESK STANDS READY TO ASSIST US VETERANS WITH FREE COMPUTER-RELATED AID. **ROBERT MCTUREOUS** 404-304-1772



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Again, we find ourselves in the midst of a political season, and it seems each time, we are told it is the most important one. You and I gave a portion of our lives to our Republic and one reason was to guarantee our freedom to vote for our political leaders. Yes we are a Republic, not a Democracy.



FROM MILITARY.COM

Disability compensation Veteran's pension programs

Free or low-cost medical care through VA hospitals and medical facilities

Education programs

Housing and home loan guarantees

Job training

Small Businesses and business loans (Through Small Business Administration)

<u>Counseling</u>

Burials and memorials

Again, we are urged to get out and vote or submit absentee ballots. That is laudable, but the act of voting carries with it the responsibility of being an informed voter.

Most of us veterans probably do look at issues and not personalities. However, there are some Americans who are not aware of the issues and the stance their chosen candidates take or took regarding tem.

Though somewhat suspicious, there have been some television programs which interviewrd people at the beach or street and asks them some basic questions about candidates, history, etc. These can be disturbing, but do carry grains of truth regarding a lack of knowledge or recall about facts and issues.

Unfortunately, I am reminded of the words often attributed to Benjamin Franklin when asked what form of government was being founded, "A republic, if you can keep it.".

Lets work towards keeping our Republic.

Bob Green

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| BEARS REPEATING? | LEST WE FORGET | | |
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| As computer/tablet/cell 'phone users, we may not always check each bit of mail in our trash, but this is just a reminder that we might overlook an item that is not trash. It takes just a little more time to review the trash items than to hastily and automatically delete them. Some of email clients incorporate a black list | The American Battle Monuments Commis- sion, established by Congress in 1923, is an agency of the executive branch of the feder- al government. ABMC — guardian of Ameri- ca's overseas commemorative cemeteries and memorials — honors the service, achievements and sacrifice of U.S. Armed Forces. The purpose is to commemorate the U.S. | | |
| and white list to protect users, but no system is perfect. If in doubt, sort of check it out? Running a mouse over a link can often reveal if it is valid or | armed forces by maintaining the national legacy of their service in the world's consciousness. | | |
| NOT THIS YEAR | AMERICAN BATTLE MONUMENTS COMMISSION | | |
| Before this sheltering-in-place due to Covid-19, our cadre would get together for lunch at a restaurant. This was a way to have some social interaction and be something apart from sitting at our computers or cell 'phones for our monthly cyber Post meetings. Not this yearmaybe sooner than later? | YouTube: www.youtube.com/abmcvideos | | |
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| RESOURCE | PHONE NUMBER | WEBSITE |
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| Bereavement Counseling | 1-202-461-6530 | |
| Children of Women Vietnam Veterans (CWVV) | 1-877-345-8179 (or) 1-888-820-1756 | |
| Civilian Health and Medical Program (CHAMPVA) | 1-800-733-8387 | |
| Debt Management Center (Collection of Non-Medical Debts) | 1-800-827-0648 | |
| Department of Veterans Affairs' (VA) National Call Center for Homeless Veterans hotline | 1-877-424-3838 | |
| eBenefits (General Questions & Technical Issues) | 1-800-983-0937 | |
| Education (GI Bill): | 1-888-442-4551 | |
| Federal Recovery Coordination Program | 1-877-732-4456 | |
| Foreign Medical Program | 1-888-820-1756 | |
| Gulf War Veterans Helpline | 1-800-749-8387 | |
| Homeless veterans | 1-877-222-8387 | |
| Income Verification and Means Testing | 1-800-929-8387 | |
| Life Insurance | 1-800-669-8477 | |
| Meds by Mail | 1-888-385-0235 (or) 1-866-229-7389 | |
| National Call Center for Homeless Veterans | 1-877-424-3838 | |
| National Cemetery Scheduling Office | 1-800-535-1117 | |
| National Personnel Records Center | 1-314-801-0800 | |
| National Resource Directory | | https://www.nrd.gov/ |
| Pension Management Center | 1-877-294-6380 | |
| Presidential Memorial Certificate Program | 1-202-565-4964 | |
| Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned or Veteran-Owned Small Business | 1-202-303-3260 | |
| Special Health Issues | 1-800-749-8387 | |
| Spina Bifida/Children of Women Vietnam Veterans | 1-888-820-1756 | |
| Status of Headstones and Markers | 1-800-697-6947 | |
| Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) | 1-800-829-4833 | |
| VA Caregiver Support Line | 1-855-260-3274 | |
| VA for Vets | 1-855-824-8387 | |
| VA Inspector General | 1-800-488-8244 | |
| VA Office of Public and Intergovernmental Affairs | 1-202-461-7600 | |
| Veteran's ID Theft Hot Line | 1-800-333-4636 | |
| Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS) | 1-866-487-2365 | |
| Women Veterans | 1-202-461-1070 | |
| Wounded Warrior Resource Center | 1-800-342-9647 | |
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