









## VETERANS MILITARY BANNER PROGRAM FACT SHEET

The American Legion Family of Post 17 proudly introduces the Veterans Military Banner Program which salutes our brave men and women who are currently serving, and those who have served, in the military by creating double-sided banners to be exhibited for years to come on the City of Lewes street light poles. They will be hung beginning May 16 through July 7, 2019. In subsequent years, the banners will be hung before Memorial Day through the Fourth of July weekend each year.

- The American Legion, the Town of Lewes and the Bureau of Public Works (BPW) are not responsible for the banners. If a banner becomes tattered, torn or destroyed (by natural or unnatural events) or otherwise becomes unsuitable for public display, the family will be notified and have the opportunity to order another.
- All banners on display must be ordered through this program.
- Placement will not be guaranteed with another banner or on any particular street.
- The BPW will be responsible for the installation and removal of these banners and American Legion Post 17 will store them until the next season's re-installation.

An example of the banner is shown below:



### **Banners for 24" Pole Brackets**

**Double-sided with same graphics on both sides.**

**Grommets in the four corners.**

**Pockets at top and bottom.**

**The banner itself is 36" high x 24" wide.**

### **This program includes:**

- One 24" w x 36" h double-sided military banner (on heavy vinyl) to be displayed in town.
- Two 12" x 18" single-sided military banners to be presented to the family for personal display.
- Bracket-mounting hardware to hang the banner on the pole.
- Your veteran will also be featured online at [www.TroopBanners/Lewes.com](http://www.TroopBanners/Lewes.com)
- The veteran being honored does not have to be a native of Lewes and can be a veteran who served at any time in this nation's history.
- A one-time cost of **\$150** which includes the brackets and mounting. The normal life expectancy of each banner is five years.
- Applications will be accepted beginning February 4 through April 26, 2019.

Applications, photos, copies of DD-214/Discharge Papers, and payments can be mailed or emailed to American Legion Post 17. Submissions can also be dropped off at Post 17 during certain hours where an Auxiliary Member will be available to personally accept the packages and answer questions (see application for hours). Auxiliary Contacts: [alapost17@yahoo.com](mailto:alapost17@yahoo.com), Kellie Bergen 1-443-523-6133, Cindy Butler- 1-443-618-0977