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Macomb County
Board of Commissioners



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Veterans Service Commission seeks member

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich. – The Veterans Service Commission of Macomb County is seeking to fill a vacancy on the Commission for a term ending August 31, 2012. Residents of Macomb County who have served honorably on active duty or who have served actively in a U.S. war may apply for the appointment.

State law mandates that no more than two members serving on the Commission be representative of a single war. Commission membership currently consists of two members representing Vietnam, one from the Korean War and one from the Gulf War.

The Macomb County Veterans Service Commission meets on the first Wednesday each month. The commission oversees the Veterans Services Department, reviews new benefits offered by the federal government and reviews applications for the \$300 burial allowance.

All applications for appointment must be accompanied by a letter of support and endorsement from a chartered veterans group in Macomb County. Applications are available on the Macomb County website, www.macombcountymi.gov, or at the Veterans Services Department, located at 21885 Dunham Road, Suite 3, Clinton Township.

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Applications should be submitted to the Macomb County Board of Commissioners as soon as possible. The appointment will be made by a vote of the 26-member Board of Commissioners at their monthly Full Board Meeting.

For more information, call Veterans Services at 586-469-6507.

About Macomb County

Macomb County is an enriching community in Southeastern Michigan that has one of the state's fastest rates of growth. Its 841,000 residents make it Michigan's third-largest county, with direct access to Lake St. Clair and Anchor Bay, and a host of cultural and entertainment options. Its highly skilled workforce and investment in new and expanding businesses make it open to enterprise. Active civic leadership translates into balanced budgets and Michigan's second-lowest tax rate. An increasingly diverse population and high quality of life make Macomb County accessible to all.

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