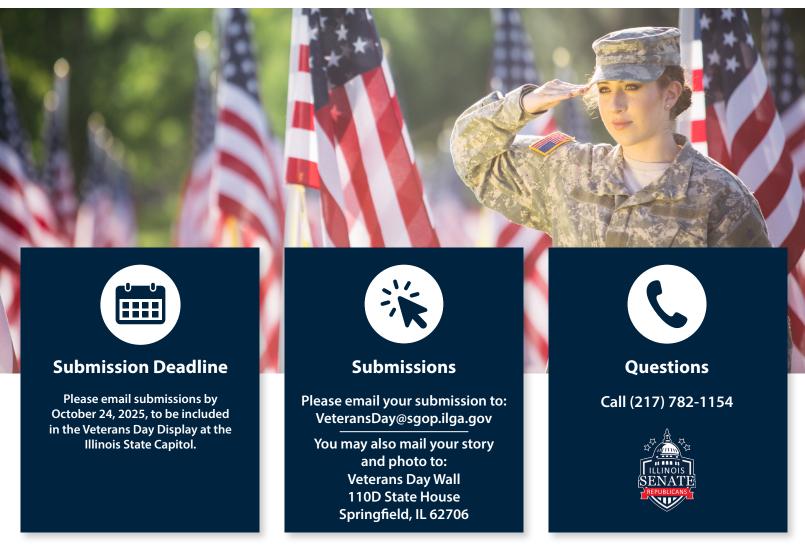
ILLINOIS STATE CAPITOL

VETERANS DAY DISPLAY

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

FROM YOUR FAMILY ALBUM TO THE CAPITOL - HONOR YOUR HERO



This year, the State Senate Republican Caucus is paying tribute to the extraordinary service and sacrifice of Illinois' veterans. To ensure their courage and dedication are never forgotten, we invite you to take part in the 2025 Illinois State Capitol Veterans Day Display.

From Tuesday, October 28, through Thursday, November 13, the Capitol Rotunda will be transformed into a moving tribute, featuring photographs and stories of veterans from across our state. We want your loved one's story to be part of it.

Please consider submitting a photograph and a brief written story (up to 250 words) about a veteran who has touched your life. Be sure to include the veteran's name, military branch (Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, National Guard, or Navy), and the conflict in which they served (Afghanistan, Iraq, September 11, Gulf War, Vietnam, Korea, WWII, WWI, Peacetime, or other). Military photos are especially meaningful, but not required.

The submission **deadline** is **Friday**, **October 24**. Every story received will help ensure that Illinois' heroes—past and present—are remembered, celebrated, and honored by thousands of visitors to the Capitol.