

VFW Announces Fourth Annual Day of Service

Veterans to lead service projects around the world; all veterans invited to participate

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KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) is proud to announce the fourth annual VFW Day of Service — a dedicated day of service led by veterans throughout the country and the world — will kick off the first Saturday in May (May 3), marking the start of veteran-led community service projects to take place throughout the month.

"For the past three years, thousands of VFW members and veterans around the world have joined together for the VFW Day of Service, showcasing the myriad ways of ways they are #StillServing," said Al Lipphardt, VFW national commander. "By fostering connections and supporting their communities, they have exemplified the strength of unity. We are excited to see Day of Service 2025 grow even larger from previous years, deepening our reach and making a stronger impact in the communities we serve."

Launched in 2022, VFW Day of Service began as an outgrowth of the organization's #StillServing campaign that launched in 2020 to recognize the ongoing dedication of veterans and service members who continue to serve their communities after their military service has ended.

Veterans are more likely than civilians to volunteer in their communities, according to a recent civic health survey¹ of veterans. The same study showed veterans donate to charities, register to vote and are involved in their communities and local government at a greater rate than their civilian counterparts.

The VFW is calling on all veterans across America and around the world to join in the VFW Day of Service to show that veterans never stop serving.

¹2021 Veterans Civic Health Index