



Maryland's Commitment To Veterans

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Overview

- Legislative Update
- Outreach Initiatives
- Veterans Court Initiative

Legislative Session 2008 Highlights

- Maryland Veterans Behavioral Health Bill
- Claims Assistance
- National Guard Reintegration
- Veterans Seniority When it Comes to State Employee Lay Offs
- Vehicle Laws – Gold Star Registration Plates

Outreach Initiatives

- Veterans Musters – Information Seminar
 - Initiated March 2008
 - Will Hit Every County Within 18-24 Months
 - Reached Approximately 2500+ Veterans to date in Six Counties
- Establishing Partnerships With Other State Agencies:
 - Dept of Aging – Disabilities – Natural Resources – Health and Mental Hygiene – Public Safety and Corrections – Business and Economic Development
 - Currently Pursuing Partnerships With Maryland Department Of Transportation and Housing and Community Development

Veterans Court Initiative

- A CONTINUAL JUDICIAL EDUCATION
PROGRAM FOCUSING ON VETERANS
AND THEIR UNIQUE PROBLEMS



Questions?

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