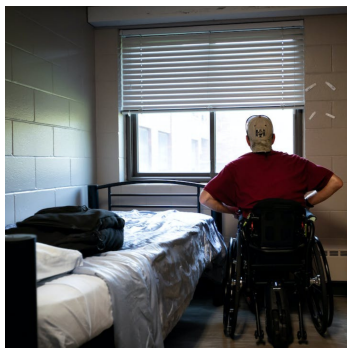




## In The News



### Homeless Veterans have a New Home in St. Paul, Thanks to Affordable Housing Program

Union Gospel Mission Twin Cities and Minnesota Assistance Council for Veterans have collaborated to create a permanent affordable housing program for Veterans experiencing homelessness in Ramsey County. The program has expanded from nine to fifteen apartments, with the addition of shorter term housing and more services. [Click here](#) to learn more!



### MACV on Minnesota Military Radio

Tune in to hear MACV President and CEO Neal Loidolt and COO Jon Lovald discussing how MACV is ending Veteran homelessness in Minnesota. This episode was recorded live at the 14th Annual Minnesota Military Family Foundation Golf Classic at Bunker Hills Golf Club. [Click here](#) to listen.

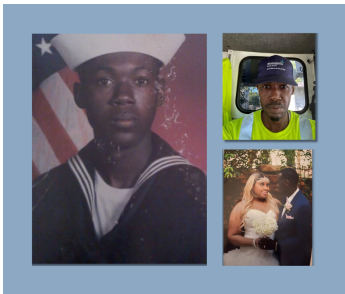
## Featured Story



## New Affordable Housing for Twin Cities Veterans

MACV is thrilled to reveal the purchase of a brand-new 29-unit apartment building in Minneapolis, Minnesota. With support from the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs, this acquisition is a significant step toward achieving our goal of putting an end to Veteran homelessness in Minnesota. [Click here](#) to learn more!

## Client Story



### "Having resources through MACV made it easy for me to make life changes." - Housed Navy Veteran and MACV Board Member Mike

Discover the inspiring journey of Navy Veteran Mike as he went from homelessness to becoming a homeowner, all thanks to the unwavering support of MACV. Dive into his story of change and learn how he is now giving back as a new board member for MACV. [Click here](#) to read Mike's story!

## MACV Employee Spotlight



This month we are featuring Madison Vaudrin!

Madison graduated from Southwest Minnesota State University in May of 2023 with a Bachelor of Social Work degree. She interned with MACV as a housing case manager before joining our staff full-time. At MACV, Madison is a MNVEST Case Manager on the Twin Cities metro team. Madison finds "actively helping Minnesota end Veteran homelessness daily" to be the most rewarding part of working for MACV. Madison, we thank you for your service to the community. [Click here](#) to learn more about Madison!

## MACV Summer Salute

YOU ARE INVITED



Tuesday, August 22, 2023

CHS Field

360 N Broadway St, St Paul, MN 55101

10am to 2pm

## ONE DAY EVENT! ALL SERVICES UNDER ONE ROOF



Join us for MACV's Summer Salute – the ultimate summer resource event! Formerly known as the Summer StandDown, this gathering is back and better than ever.

Get ready for a one-stop service event at the St. Paul Saints' CHS Field, where Veterans facing homelessness can find essential support and valuable resources all in one place. Don't miss out on this opportunity to address immediate needs and empower our Veterans for long-term stability. [Click here](#) to learn more!



**Download  
Summer Salute  
Flyer!**

## Event Calendar



### MACV's Summer Salute

August 22nd, 2023

### Housing for Heroes North Minneapolis Ribbon Cutting Event

### Voices of Veterans: Stories of Transition After Military Service

August 23rd, 2023

### 2023 TributeFest

August 25th & 26th, 2023

### Operation Zero Event

August 26th, 2023

### 4th Annual Jim Sproessig Golf Benefit

August 26th, 2023

### Tee It Up for the Troops – Mankato

August 28th, 2023

### Military Appreciation Day At The State Fair

August 29th, 2023

### MACV Lavender Magazine Virtual Silent Auction Start!

September 7th, 2023

### Chaska BTYR Golf Tournament

September 11th, 2023

## Volunteer for Pets of MACV Vets



## FOSTER PETS FOR MACV VETS

Help support a Veteran by temporarily providing a loving home for their pet, while MACV works to find a permanent housing solution.

[JOIN OUR INTEREST LIST NOW!](#)

Attention all animal lovers! We have a special opportunity just for you. Help us by providing temporary homes for adorable furry friends while their Veterans search for permanent housing. We are seeking volunteers to foster MACV clients' pets through Secondhand Hounds. By opening your home to these pets, you will not only give them love and care but also bring peace of mind to their Veteran owners. And the best part? Secondhand Hounds will provide all the necessary supplies!

Are you ready to make a difference? Simply click the link below to update your contact information and join our interest list. Let's come together and have a positive impact on these precious pets and their owners.

[Volunteer Today!](#)

## Support Team MACV Runners!



Get ready to join the action! 11 runners are taking on the challenge of the Twin Cities Marathon weekend, all for an amazing cause - ending Veteran homelessness.

We have the power to make a difference! Whether it's cheering the runners on as they conquer the marathon route, donating to their fundraising efforts, or spreading the word on social media, we can come together as a community to show our support. Imagine the impact we can make! Together, let's support these runners and transform the lives of Veterans right here in Minnesota.

[Support Team MACV Now!](#)



## Donor Spotlight



### AMVETS Post 1

Thank you, AMVETS Post 1, for being an incredible ally in our mission to support homeless Veterans in Minnesota. Your generous \$10,000 donation is deeply appreciated and will have a significant impact. We are truly grateful for your unwavering support.

### Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs

We would like to extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation to the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs for their incredible support and partnership with MACV. Their generous contributions continue to make a significant impact on our ability to provide vital services and assistance to Minnesota Veterans and their families.



### The Dock Stillwater

Special thank you to The Dock Stillwater! For the second year in a row, they've graciously hosted a fabulous fundraiser for MACV over the 4th of July. We're incredibly thankful for their unwavering support for our Veteran community.

## Thank you to last month's donors

#### Annual Donors over \$50,000

Grand Lodge AF & AM Of Minnesota  
Home Depot Foundation  
David & Janis Larson Foundation  
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David & Janis Larson Foundation  
Otto Bremer Foundation

#### Donations over \$5,000

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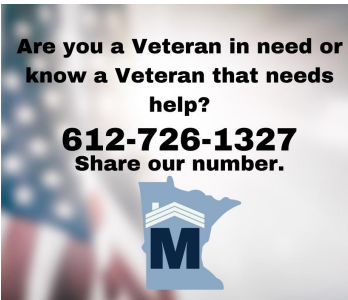
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# You Can Help End Veteran Homelessness

MACV has over thirty years of experience connecting with former service members across Minnesota. We use a variety of creative approaches to address the needs of individual Veterans experiencing housing instability or homelessness.

Supporting MACV empowers Veterans living in Minnesota, resulting in advocacy and assistance for Veterans starting a new chapter of their lives.



**Donate Today!**



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