

Coming into Apalachicola, the Florida American Legion Post #106 may look like it is fading into the background off US Highway 98, but its members are trying to change that. Like many organizations, they are navigating the tidal changes due to the flow of human generations and historical events. The current post's members want to re-introduce themselves to the community and share their services and support. This post is leveraging veteran's talents, family relationships and honor donations to provide better service to the community. A website has been created to provide better ongoing information for the community. **www.FloridaLegionPost106.org**

The post has also been upgraded with donations for a new flagpole, flag retirement area, landscaping and a drive-up flag collection box. Donations and post funds have paid for the new patio installed by Kurtis Koepke of Kilgore's Brick Pavers of Port Saint Joe. Flag education has been in the Legion's charter since 1923 and this is another way we can continue to service the community.

Throughout the year, the public is welcome to drop off their old flags at the flag collection box at the front of the post. The Post's address is 801 US Highway 98, Apalachicola Florida.

On **Flag Day, Saturday, June 14, at 4:30 pm** we will hold our first **Flag Retirement Ceremony** on our new flag plaza at the front of our post. The public is welcome to participate. Beverages and something from the grill will be provided. We will be scheduling these ceremonies at least twice a year.

As a reminder, the post also helps sponsor the monthly "**All Veteran's Reveille**" at **1500 hours (3pm) on the first Friday of every month (excluding holiday weekends)** at 98 Eats Restaurant, in Eastpoint. All veterans, family, and friends are invited. No dues, just comradeship and the latest community and Veteran's Administration news.

