

Legislative Bulletin

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Holiday Greetings!

Can you believe we've already reached the holiday season? It feels like we were just together at convention. While Washington, D.C. may be slowing down for the holidays, important legislation is still moving forward—and your voice matters.  **Mark Your Calendar**

January 3: National Write to Congress Day

Start the new year strong by making your voice heard! This is the perfect opportunity to remind lawmakers that veterans' issues matter every day of the year. Take five minutes to send a message, share with your unit, and encourage others to participate. Together, we can amplify our impact.

Key Legislation on the Line

The American Legion supports H.R. 2605 and S. 1441, the Service Dogs Assisting Veterans (SAVES) Act

Too many veterans continue to go without the critical support they need to heal from both the visible and invisible wounds of war. For those living with physical disabilities, PTSD, or other service-connected conditions, the lack of access to trained service dogs remains a major gap in care. It's time to close that gap.

 Please take a moment to support this legislation:



[Click here](#) to act now

Why Your Action Matters

Legislation can feel distant or out of reach—but today, it's easier than ever to make a difference.

- Then: You had to write a letter, buy a stamp, and hope it reached your representative.

- Now: With just a few clicks on your phone, tablet, or computer, you can support multiple bills in less time than it takes to brew a cup of coffee.

 Imagine the impact if each of us supported 10 bills today. Every click helps—and our veterans are worth it!

Stay Engaged & Earn Recognition

Make advocacy part of your routine:

- Sign up for alerts. When you receive one, click and share—it's that simple.
- Track your actions. These records are essential for your end-of-year report.
- Aim for recognition. Did you know there's a Unit Award for the Most Outstanding Unit Legislative Program (per department)? This could be YOUR unit! Document your efforts and submit your report by May 1st.

Closing Thoughts

As we celebrate Christmas and welcome the New Year, let's commit to putting Arizona first in legislation. Together, we can ensure our veterans receive the care and support they deserve.

For God and Country,

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