## Army Donation Program – Ceremonial Rifle and Static Display Equipment Information

- As per Public Law Title 10 USC 7683 (formerly 4683), an organization is allowed to have
  a maximum total of 15 rifles through the Ceremonial Rifle Program. However, the number of rifles may
  not exceed the number of Honor Guard Members plus one. For example, if there are 20 Honor
  Guard members, the total number of rifles allowed is 15, but if there are 6 members, the
  maximum number allowed is 7.
- If a post has an email address or changes it, they should notify our office (see below) so that their post's records can be updated as mandatory reporting is due annually with a current photograph for static displays and every three years for ceremonial rifles.
  - The email will contain a link that will directly take them to their organization's record. There is an administrative section to update if necessary and then the static items are listed where you must complete the validation by checking the appropriate box on the left, include the condition of the equipment and upload a current photograph (in color) on the right.
  - There is then a **ceremonial rifle section** where the post must click the appropriate box on the left for each weapon (*photographs are not required*). The bottom of the link includes a certify button on the left to click/finalize when completed.
  - NOTE: If a post has a static display and ceremonial rifles, they will get notifications annually (on or about the same time they last certified) as these can't be separated in our automated process.
- If the storage location of the ceremonial rifles change, they must complete the **Certificate of Arms Storage** for placement in their files.
- If the weapons are stored at a person's residence, they should provide a written letter identifying the weapons and that they are US Army owned and not to be mistaken as the individuals.

## **Contact information**

- General Office Line (voicemail only): 586-282-9861
- Office Email Address: Usarmy.detroit.tacom.mbx.ilsc-donations@army.mil