

## Military Hometown Heroes Banner Program

## **Guidelines and Sponsorships**

The Military Hometown Heroes Banner Program was created to honor and recognize military personnel (active, honorably discharged, or deceased) that reside or previously resided in Prairie Township. The program is funded through payments and donations, which will enable the purchase and placement of the banners on Township lamp posts along West Broad Street.

Banners measure approximately 60" x 20" and will include the service person's name, image, and military branch. Those military men and women who have been honorably discharged will be designated with a white star, those who have died in the line of duty with a gold star, and active duty members will be designated with a blue star.

## **Guidelines**

- ➤ Honoree must be honorably discharged, deceased, or on active duty with any branch of the United States Military.
- Honoree must be a resident or previous resident of Prairie Township or Graduate of Westland High School.
- ➤ Each banner will list the honoree's name and branch of service, and will be proudly displayed on a lamppost along West Broad Street.
- ➤ Prairie Township will have the sole responsibility of hanging and removing the banner. Once produced and installed, banners shall remain the property of Prairie Township until removed and presented to the family or requestor.
- ➤ The banner will be displayed from May 1st until early August, and upon removal, the banner will be returned to the person who made the original application request. If the banner starts to show any signs of deterioration before the planned removal date, the banner will be removed and returned to the requestor.

## **Sponsorship / Donations**

Sponsorships and donations will be used to assist families who would like to take part in the program but cannot afford to pay the cost/full cost of the banner requests. You can sponsor a specific banner/family or simply donate funds to be used as needs arise. Sponsors will be listed on the Prairie Township website as a program sponsor/donor from May 1st to early August of this year.

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	Sponsorship / Donation	ons Form	
Name (or Business Nam	ne):		
	State:		
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:		
•	specific banner, please list the donation with their application:	Service Person's name below	in order to

Please return the completed form along with your check to:

Prairie Township
Attn: Military Hometown Heroes Banner Program
23 Maple Dr
Columbus, OH 43228