

Guidelines and Nomination Forms

The **Veteran of the Month** award recognizes South Carolina Veterans who contribute their time and energy to support Veterans, their communities and/or the military.

The award shines a bright light on the work veterans continue to do for the good our state and nation.

The program is managed by the South Carolina Department of Veterans' Affairs (SCDVA) and we continue to ask for your help in nominating possible candidates so we may recognize Veterans who contribute time and effort for the betterment of our state and the Veteran community. Submissions will be reviewed and chosen by SCDVA.

Guidelines

1. The nominee must be a living resident of South Carolina.
2. The nominee must have received a discharge under honorable conditions from the U.S. Armed Forces.
3. Nominees will be selected for significant contributions made at the local, state and/or national level and by excellence achieved through going above and beyond the call of duty, specifically with respect to VOLUNTEER WORK in support of Veterans, military and community.
4. Nominations will be evaluated on the scope and impact of a nominee's achievements and the extent to which the nominee's efforts benefit and provide inspiration to their community and other Veterans.
5. Please document significant achievements and accomplishments in the following three areas on the Veteran of the Month Nominee Contributions Sheet:
 - Volunteer support to Veterans
 - Volunteer support to Military
 - Volunteer support to Community
6. Nominations will be reviewed, and the recipients will be ultimately chosen by the South Carolina Department of Veterans Affairs. Nominations are accepted from November to October for Veteran of the Year consideration. All submissions should be sent to veteranofthemonth@scdva.sc.gov
7. For any questions or concerns please contact veteranofthemonth@scdva.sc.gov