

World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Iraq, Afghanistan & VETERANS of Other Conflicts



WE WANT YOU!

to Participate in the 2017
Veterans History Project
Friday, November 10, 2017
at the
Lake County Courthouse,
Waukegan, Illinois



On Friday, November 10, approximately 35 veterans will gather at the Lake County courthouse in Waukegan to be interviewed by volunteer lawyers regarding their wartime experiences. These oral histories will be recorded and transcribed by court reporters, and then archived at the Library of Congress.

Civilians who were actively involved in supporting war efforts (war industry workers, such as “Rosie the Riveter,” USO workers, civilian flight instructors and pilots, medical personnel, etc.) are also invited to share their valuable stories.

Once archived, these first-hand accounts of American war veterans will be accessible online to serve as both an inspiration for generations to come, and to be available for use by researchers so that Americans can better understand the realities of war.

Veterans are welcome to bring family members. Breakfast and other refreshments will be provided courtesy of volunteer organizations.

For detailed information regarding the Veterans History Project, visit <http://www.loc.gov/vets/about.html>. To register for this event, please contact Lorena Hernandez at 847.377.3771 or lhernandez@lakecountyil.gov.



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