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Honor Washington State's Heroes!
Support the Washington National Guard!

Thanks to a unique partnership between the Washington State Department of Veterans Affairs, deployed members of the National Guard Association of Washington, and American Legion Post 161, you have an opportunity today to own your own piece of US Military History.

Today, members of the Washington National Guard, both Air and Army, serve in 99 countries around the world protecting American interests. At home, Guardsmen have responded to over 100 natural disasters – fires, floods, earthquakes, in the last 10 years alone. You can stand with them with a donation to a special fund to help ease the financial burden of repeated and prolonged deployments. *Your donation will be used to provide emergency financial assistance to members of the Washington National Guard and their Families.*

For a donation of \$150 or more, you will receive a United States Flag, flown over a Forward Operating Base in Iraq, by a volunteer member of the Washington National Guard Association serving with the storied 81st Heavy Brigade Combat Team. ***AS A SPECIAL OFFER, YOUR DONATION OF \$250 OR HIGHER WILL BE RECOGNIZED WITH A UNITED STATES FLAG AND A WASHINGTON STATE FLAG.***

To make your donation, please make your check payable to AL Post 161. On the remarks line, please indicate your donation is for NGAW (National Guard Association of Washington). Mail to:

American Legion Post 161
16205 NE 12th Ct. #67
Bellevue, WA 98008-3664

Please allow 4 - 6 weeks for delivery and indicate where your flag(s) should be mailed to.

Funds will be disbursed to the National Guard Association of Washington for use in the Minuteman Emergency Fund and Family Programs Fund. Funds will also be used for direct Emergency Financial Assistance to families.

Our thanks goes out to American Legion Post 161 who graciously volunteered to serve as our Treasurer for this important project. In addition to our partnership with the American Legion, WDVA and NGAW partner with all Washington Veterans Service Organizations.

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