



City of Bexley, Ohio

Hometown Heroes Banner

NOVEMBER • 2024

★ Our Mission ★

The Bexley Hometown Heroes Banner Program

is a tribute created for the community to recognize Bexley connected veterans who have served our country in the United States Armed Forces. Each banner will be displayed on East Main Street within the City of Bexley during the month of November and then given to the Veteran to keep.

★ Branches ★

ARMY

NAVY

MARINE CORPS

COAST GUARD

AIR FORCE

SPACE FORCE

Policy and Guidelines

The City of Bexley Hometown Hero program provides the opportunity for the community to recognize and honor Bexley residents and their immediate family members who have served or who are currently serving in the United States Armed Forces, as well as Capital University ROTC graduates. The Hometown Hero banner will include the Service Member's name, rank, branch of service and photo and will be displayed along E. Main Street during the month of November 2024. National Guard, or Reserves all qualify (ie: "who have served or who are currently serving in the Active or Reserve Components (National Guard, Reserves) of the United States Armed Forces").

Applications for eligible veterans to be a part of the 2024 Cohort of the Hometown Hero Banner Program are due by Friday, August 23rd, 2024. *If you have any questions, please contact Cadet Louis Fru at LFRU@capital.edu or Ms. Kelly Muir at kmuir3@capital.edu.*

In order to ensure a coordinated and consistent program, the City Banner Committee led by members of the community and Capital University ROTC have established a policy and guidelines for the Hometown Hero Banner Program.

Program Eligibility

- 1 Active, retired, or honorably discharged member of the five United States Armed Forces service branches (Army, National Guard Reserves, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Navy, Air Force, and Space Force).
- 2 A current or former City of Bexley Resident OR A graduate of Bexley High School OR A graduate of Capital University Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) OR A Veteran who works within the Bexley City limits that does not live in Bexley.
- 3 Proof of eligibility and payment will be required before the banner is produced. Proof of residency (i.e. copy of utility bill or driver's license) of the nominee (or applicant who is the immediate family member of the nominee) or school transcript of the nominee Verification of active duty dates (i.e. copy of military orders or military ID) Honorable discharge or retirement papers with SSN redacted High-Resolution digital image (minimum 300 dpi) in jpeg format or 5 x 7 photograph of honor.