Round Rock Veterans Monument

The Round Rock Veterans Monument was built by the City of Round as a place of honor and remembrances for all that are serving or have served to protect and defend our American heritage. It is where veterans can show their pride for having served; families and friends can honor their veterans for their service; and citizens and businesses can support the recognition of those with a historical attachment to Round Rock.

The Round Rock Veterans Monument is located on Pecan Street at Veterans Park and features six columns with plaques that honor the different service branches: Army, Marine Corp, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, and Merchant Marines. A Memorial Wall honoring veterans who have been killed in action, held as a prisoner of war, or declared missing in action is part of the Monument.

The Monument was dedicated on May 25, 2015 with 177 bronze plaques purchased by veterans or their families honoring their service. There were also 154 bronze plaques paid for by citizens and businesses that supported those veterans that are part of Round Rock history, but have no family to honor them. New bronze plaques will be installed in the plaza area twice a year.

Since the dedication veterans have purchased plaques to show their pride of military service, and, families and friends have honored their veterans with plaques. The work to identify veterans that are part of the history of Round Rock but without identified families continues. There are 896 names whose history is being researched.

For questions please contact Rufus Honeycutt (512 773-5335) or Katie Baker (512 341-3355)

Process for recognizing a veteran

Fill out the form attached to this packet with all of the appropriate information. If the veteran you are nominating has been Killed in Action, held as a Prisoner of War, or declared Missing in Action, please be sure to check the appropriate box so the proper recognition can be made.

Forms may be downloaded from

RoundRockTexas.gov/VeteransMonument

Completed forms and payment should be mailed to:
City of Round Rock
Parks and Recreation Department
Attn: "Round Rock Veterans Monument"
301 W. Bagdad Ave., Suite #250
Round Rock, TX 78664

Purchase price of veteran's plaque

The purchase price of a veteran's plaque is $60. This cost will cover purchase and installation of the veteran's plaque. A small portion will also be used to defray the costs for plaques purchased by the Veterans Committee to recognize veterans with MIA/KIA/POW status.

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Round Rock veterans that may qualify for donor sponsored plaques

Donations to support recognizing veterans that are part of Round Rock' history may be made in any amount. There are almost 900 Round Rock veterans being researched for possible donor sponsored plaque purchases.

Donors giving $1,000 or more will be permanently recognized at the Monument.

Round Rock Veterans Monument Recognition Form

Veteran's Information:		
Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone:	Email:	
Branch of Service:	Dates of Service:	
☐ Missing in Action ☐ Killed in Action ☐ Prisoner of War (please check the appropriate box, if applicable)		

Sponsor's Information:		
Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone:	Email:	

Requested Plaque Wording: (maximum 20 characters per line, all lines will be centered for consistent appearance)

Plaques are for recognizing and honoring anyone that served in the Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, or Merchant Marines. See attached sheet for sample wording. The following are not considered appropriate and may be cause for a nomination to be declined:

- Advertising
- Political Views
- Vulgar Words

All requests will be reviewed by a committee of at least (3) veterans and a PARD representative. The judgment of the committee will be final.

Please provide requested plaque wording below (one character per box, must fit entirely in boxes provided):

Line 1																				
Line 2																				
Line 3																				
Line 4																				

Please make checks payable to **"Homecoming Development Corporation."** Homecoming Development Corporation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation (EIN #26-223131515 DLN 17053260356048)

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Round Rock Veterans Monument Plaque Samples

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Line 4																				

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