

## Veterans' Organizations

### American Legion

#### Red Bluff: Lassen Post 0167

Meetings: 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month, 7PM at

Red Bluff Veterans Memorial Hall, 735 Oak St.

Contact: Bill Kellner, 530-200-1279

#### Corning Raisner Post 45

Contact: John Leach, 530-209-3415; jleach204@gmail.com

#### Corning Post 4218 District 15 & Auxillary 4218

Contact: Mike Taylor, 530-828-3868

### AmVets

#### Corning: Post 2002

Meetings: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month, 7PM at

Corning Vets Hall, 1620 Solano St., Corning

Contact: Kevin Benson Sr., 530-526-2883

loneapachewolf56@yahoo.com

### Disabled American Veterans

Meetings: Last Tuesday of each month, 6PM at

Corning Vets Hall, 1620 Solano St., Corning

530-529-4579

### Marine Corps League

#### Detachment 1140

Meetings: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month, 6:30PM at

Red Bluff Veterans Memorial Hall, 735 Oak St.

888-MCL-1140

### Military Family Support Group

Meets 2-4 times per year. Please call 530-529-1852

or 530-529-2416 for information regarding next

scheduled meeting.

### Veterans Memorial Halls

**Red Bluff:** 530-528-1026

**Corning:** 530-824-5957

**Los Molinos:** 530-384-2759

### Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

**Red Bluff:** 530-528-1026

**Corning Post 4218 District 15 & Auxillary 4218**

**District 15:** Contact Jim Darrow; 530-824-3488

**Los Molinos: #3909:** Contact Terry Owen;

530-384-1301; tndowens@yahoo.com

### Vietnam Veterans of America

#### Chapter 582 - Butte County

Meetings: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month, 7PM at Chico Veterans Hall, 554 Rio Lindo Ave., Chico.

Contact: Carl "Butch" Frederickson; 530-877-1340;

ccfuvnalum@comcast.net/vietvet582@yahoo.com

www.vva582.org

## 2017 Guide to VETERANS Resources

This Resource Guide was developed by the Tehama County Veterans Collaborative, Tehama Together, and the Tehama County Continuum of Care.

If you know of resources for veterans that are not included in this guide, or notice any out-of-date, inaccurate or incorrect information, please notify Gail Locke, Tehama County Continuum of Care, at [gail@thelockes.us](mailto:gail@thelockes.us) or Orle Jackson, Tehama Together, at 530-527-2223.

### State & National Veterans Resources:

#### California Department of Veterans Affairs (CalVet)

*Information on state and federal benefits, updates on veterans' programs, and statewide resource directory.*

Toll Free: 800-952-5656 • [www.calvet.ca.gov](http://www.calvet.ca.gov)

#### National Call Center for Homeless Veterans

Veterans who are homeless or at risk of homelessness—and their family members, friends and supporters can call 24/7 to speak to trained VA Counselors at 1-877-4AID VET (877-424-3838)

#### Veterans Crisis Line

1-800-273-8255

### Interested in Mentoring?

VA Northern California is seeking veterans willing to mentor fellow veterans. If you're interested in making a difference by volunteering your time, please contact Anglus Andrews at 530-247-7922/

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# Resources for Tehama County Veterans

## CalVet Veterans Home of Redding

Housing for veterans age 55 and above, disabled veterans and veterans that are homeless and needing long-term care. Located in Redding. Call (530) 224-3800 or Toll-Free: 800-952-5626

## DLB Ranch

Equine Assisted Therapy for Veterans with PTSD. Contact Jim Busher, 415-847-1233 or Joni Maggini, 530-347-9902. Visit [www.DLBRanch.org](http://www.DLBRanch.org)

## Employment Development Department

Job search assistance for veterans, employer incentive program for employers hiring veterans. Contact Thomas Johnson; [thomas.johnson@EDD.ca.gov](mailto:thomas.johnson@EDD.ca.gov)

## Faith Works in Tehama County

A coalition of churches cooperating across denominational lines to provide ministry to low income individuals and families. Contact: Pastor Dave Lamberson; [pathdave@sbcglobal.net](mailto:pathdave@sbcglobal.net)

## Home Again K9s for Vets

Assists Veterans train dogs from Obedience through Service Level based upon need for better quality of life. Contact: Candy Carlson; [kmucarlson@gmail.com](mailto:kmucarlson@gmail.com)

## Legal Services of Northern California

Provides legal assistance to seniors by appointment at the Red Bluff Community/Senior Center. Contact Cory Turner at 1-800-345-9491

## Missing in America Project

The purpose of the MIA Project is to locate, identify and inter the unclaimed cremated remains of American veterans, providing honor and respect to those who have served this country by securing a final resting place for these forgotten heroes. Visit [www.miap.us](http://www.miap.us) or call Rick Proietti, 530-347-5445

## Northern California Veterans Cemetery

Located in Igo, California; Call 530-396-2429

## Marine Corp League Honor/Color Guard

Honor and color guard services for veterans from any branch of service. Red Bluff, Los Molinos, Corning and at Igo cemetery. Buddy Male; 530-528-8813; [csillman@aol.com](mailto:csillman@aol.com)

## Operation Heal Our Patriots

Retreats for wounded military heroes & their spouses to focus on healing & marriage at an Alaskan Lodge. Visit [www.samaritanspurse.org/education-2/about-operation-heal-our-patriots/](http://www.samaritanspurse.org/education-2/about-operation-heal-our-patriots/)

## Tehama County Gleaners

Food Bank; Distributes USDA Commodities (surplus food) for Tehama County residents with low incomes. 530-529-2264, [tcfb@tcfb.net](mailto:tcfb@tcfb.net)

## Tehama Co. Honor/Color Guard

Memorial ceremony services for servicemembers. Clark Sillman; 530-528-1026; [csillman@aol.com](mailto:csillman@aol.com)

## United States Dept. of Agriculture (USDA)

The Farm Service Agency (FSA) and Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) can provide technical and financial assistance to beginning first time veteran farmers. Contact Ruth Ford FSA County Executive Director 530-527-3013 EXT 5169 or Larry Branham NRCS District Conservationist 530-527-3013 EXT 5176.

## VA Northern California Health Care System

### Chico Outpatient Clinic:

280 Cohasset Road, Chico, CA 95926; 530-879-5000

### Redding Outpatient Clinic:

351 Hartnell Avenue, Redding, CA 96002; 530-226-7555

**Medical Foster Home:** Natasha Hiltz, 916-640-8451

### Home Based Primary Care:

Michael Anjola, 530-247-7910

### Community Nursing Home:

Susan Wagner-Salanti, 530-247-7927, [Susan.Wagner-Salanti@va.gov](mailto:Susan.Wagner-Salanti@va.gov)

### Homemaker/Home Health Aide:

Eric Nelson, 530-879-5034

### Homeless Outreach Program:

Bobby Walden, 530-899-6331

### Mental Health Intensive Care Management:

Deb Ernst – 530 -247-7918

### Caregiver Support Program:

Anglus Andrews – [anglus.andrews@va.gov](mailto:anglus.andrews@va.gov) Patty Gomez – 530-247-7922

## Veterans Justice Outreach

Outreach, assessment and case management for justice-involved Veterans in local courts and jails and liaison with local justice system partners. Located in Mather, CA. Contact Kimberly Higgins; [kimberly.higgins2@va.gov](mailto:kimberly.higgins2@va.gov)

## Veterans Resource Center

Veterans Resource Center offers housing and homeless prevention assistance to income qualifying veterans. Veterans Resource Center refers clients to our community partners to receive other benefits such as Alcohol & Drug Treatment, PTSD, TBI and VA Benefits. A VRC Case Manager is in Tehama County two days per month to meet with local veterans. Contact VRC by phone to make an appointment or to discuss your individual needs. Contact: Michelle Alexander; (530) 223-3211

## Voices for Vets

Assistance for veterans with navigating the medical care system. Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month in Chico. Contact Joe Gist; [simplyjoegist@hotmail.com](mailto:simplyjoegist@hotmail.com)

## Veteran's Services Office - Tehama County

Tehama County Veteran ID Cards, Connection to free TRAX bus passes for Veterans, Assistance with obtaining DD Form 214, Assistance with application/eligibility and information about: Compensation for Service-Connected Disabilities, Pension for Non-Service Connected Disabilities, Medical Treatment at a VA Hospital (Application and Information), Education Benefits and VA Home Loans.

Website: <http://www.co.tehama.ca.us/gov-departments/veterans-services>

### Red Bluff Office (Main):

444 Oak St., Room C, Red Bluff  
530-529-3664

Office Hours - 8AM - 4PM, Monday - Thursday

**Corning:** Veterans Memorial Hall, Tuesdays 9-11 AM

**Los Molinos:** 7883 Highway 99 East, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays 9-11 AM

## 211 Tehama

Information and referrals for service providers in Tehama County. Find the resources you're looking for online or with the assistance of a telephone attendant.

Dial 2-1-1 or visit [www.211tehama.org](http://www.211tehama.org)

## Annual LIFT Event

Annual One Day of Free Services for Veterans, Low-Income and Homeless

Second Friday of November, (unless a Holiday) at Tehama County Fair Grounds, 9AM to 3PM

Contact Kelly Osborne or Gail Locke – 527-5290

