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Website: <http://asmdc.org/members/a56/>

IMPERIAL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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CITY COUNCIL

BRAWLEY CITY COUNCIL, 400 Main Street, Brawley, CA 92227

Phone: (760) 351-3059 Fax: (760) 351-3088

Mayor – **Donald L. Wharton**

Mayor Pro Tem – **Sam Couchman**

Council – **Helen M. Noriega, George A. Nava, Norma Kastner-Jauregui**

City Manager – **Rosanna Moore** (760) 351-3048

City Clerk – **Alma Benavides** (760) 351-3059

Website: <http://www.cityofbrawley.com/>

CALEXICO CITY COUNCIL, 408 Heber Avenue, Calexico, CA 92231

Phone: (760) 768-2110 Fax:

Mayor – **Joong S. Kim**

Mayor Pro Tem – **Luis J. Castro**

Council – **Maritza Hurtado, Armando Real, John M. Moreno**

City Manager (Acting) – **Nick Fenley** 760-768-2110

City Clerk – **Gabriela Garcia** 760-768-2102

Website: <http://www.calexico.ca.gov/>

CALIPATRIA CITY COUNCIL, 125 N. Park Avenue, Calipatria, CA 92233
Phone: (760) 348-4141 Fax: (760) 348-7035
Mayor – **Maria Nava-Froleich**
Mayor Pro Tem – **Fred Beltran**
Council – **Fidel Flores, Heather Beltran, Fred Beltran**
City Manager – **Romualdo Medina**
City Clerk – **Catherine Hoff**
Website: <http://www.calipatria.com/>

EL CENTRO CITY COUNCIL, 1275 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243
Phone: (760) 337-4510 Voice Mail: (760) 336-8989
Mayor – **Jason Jackson** 760-337-3211
Mayor Pro Tem – **Alex Cardenas** 760-336-8989
Council – **Cherly Viegas, Efrain Veigas-Walker, Edgard Garcia**
City Manager – **Ruben Duran** 760-337-4540
City Clerk – **Diane Coldwell** 760-337-4515
Website: <http://www.cityofelcentro.org/>

HOLTVILLE CITY COUNCIL, 121 W. 5th Street, Holtville, CA 92250
Phone: (760) 356-2912
Mayor – **Jim Predmore**
Mayor Pro Tem – **Ginger Ward**
Council – **Richard Layton, Mike Goodsell, David Bradshaw**
City Manager – **Nick Wells**
City Clerk – **Denis Garcia**
Website: <http://www.holtville.ca.gov/>

IMPERIAL CITY COUNCIL, 420 S. Imperial Avenue, Imperial, CA 92251
Phone: (760) 355-4371 Fax: (760) 355-4718
Mayor – **Doug Cox**
Mayor Pro Tem – **James Tucker**
Council – **Mark Gran, Geoff Dale, Betty Sampson**
City Clerk – **Debra Jackson**
City Manager – **Marlene Best**
Website: <http://imperial.ca.gov/>

WESTMORLAND CITY COUNCIL, 355 S. Central Street, Westmorland, CA 92281
Phone: (760) 344-3411 Fax: (760) 344--5307
Mayor – **Larry Ritchie**
Mayor Pro Tem – **Mary Ann Smith**
Council – **Stanley Brummett, Henry Graham, Ana Beltran**
City Clerk – **Sally Traylor**

COUNTY COURT BUILDINGS

Brawley Courthouse
220 Main Street, Brawley, CA 92227
Phone: (760) 336-3550

Calexico Courthouse
415 E-4th Street, Calexico, CA 92231
Phone: (760) 336-3565 (Criminal-Civil), (760) 336-3565 (Traffic)

COUNTY COURT BUILDINGS Continued:

El Centro Courthouse

939 W. Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243

Phone: (760) 482-2200 (Criminal), (760) 482-2200 (Calendar Coordinator),
(760) 482-4217 (Civil), (760) 482-4240 (Small Claims), (760) 482-4230 (Traffic)

Winterhaven Courthouse

2124 Winterhaven Drive, Winterhaven, CA 92283

Phone: (760) 336-3500

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EMPLOYMENT/TRAINING SERVICES

EMPLOYMENT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (EDD)

ONE-STOP BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES, WEST

1550 W. Main St.

El Centro, CA 92243

(760) 339-2722, FAX (760) 339-2374

Manager – **Diana Luna** (760) 339-2722

Veterans Services Supervisor – **Cathy Vizcarra** (760) 339-2722

Local Veterans Employment Representative (LVER) – **Len McCalister** (760) 339-2711

E-Mail: **Lenis.McCalister@edd.ca.gov**

Disabled Veterans Outreach Program (DVOP) – **Carleton Bradley** (760) 339-2746

Email: **Carleton.Bradley@edd.ca.gov**

ONE-STOP BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES, EAST

2799 South 4th Street

Building D

El Centro, CA 92243

(760) 337-5000 Fax: (442) 265-4953

One-Stop Manager - **Miguel Figueroa**

One-Stop Supervisor – **Martin Robledo**

ONE-STOP BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES, CALEXICO

301 Heber Avenue

Calexico, CA 92231

(760) 768-7171 Fax: (760) 768-7182

EDD Site Supervisor – **Irma Garcia**

One-Stop Site Supervisor – **Angelica Pacheco**

ONE-STOP BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES, BRAWLEY

860 Main Street

Brawley, CA 92227

(760) 344-2131 Fax: (760) 344-6558

Training Orientations Wednesdays at 1000, **Job Work Shops** Tuesday/Thursday at 0900

One-Stop Site Supervisor: Terry Swing

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD

2799 S. 4th Street
El Centro, CA 92243
(442) 265-4953
Executive Director – **Miguel Figueroa**

IMPERIAL VALLEY REGIONAL OCCUPATIONAL PROGRAM

687 State Street,
El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 482-2600 Fax: (760) 482-2750 or 2751
Superintendent – **Edwin Obergfell**
Website: www.ivrop.org
Info: info@ivrop.org

Assistant Director for Veteran's Employment & Training (ADVET)

Joe Moran – (858) 689-6008 to assist Veterans with **USERRA** problems.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION

1214 State Street, Suite A
El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 353-1350 Fax: (760) 353-7948
Manager – **Nicholas Jimenez**

DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

VA Regional Office, 8810 Rio San Diego Drive, San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5471

EDUCATION

IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE

380 East Ira Aten Road
P. O. Box 158
Imperial, CA 92251
(760) 355-6511 Fax: (760) 355-5764
Outreach Coordinator/Veterans Assistant – **Maria Trejo**

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY, IMPERIAL VALLEY CAMPUS

720 Heber Avenue
Calexico, CA 92231
(760) 768-5517 Fax: (760) 768-5589
Veterans Assistant – **Dolores Rivera, Admissions**

COUNTY RECORDER

940 West Main St, El Centro, CA 92243 (760) 482-4272 or 482-4427

To have your DD-214 registered with the County.

IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS SERVICES

Roberto Avila, County Veteran Service Officer, email: **RobertoAvila@co.icwdo.org**

217 S. 10TH St., El Centro, CA 92243

(442) 265-3200 Fax: (442) 265-3208 Monday - Thursday 0700 to 1600

Every Closed on Friday, Call to make an Appointment

County Veterans Assistant – **Lorena Lacar** email: **llacar@icwdo.org**

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

3007 N Imperial Avenue

El Centro, CA 92243

(800) 772-1213

SHELTER/HOUSING/SERVICES

CALEXICO FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

(760) 312-6498

CALEXICO HOUSING AUTHORITY

1006 E. 5th Street, Calexico, CA 92231

(760) 357-3013

CALIFORNIA RURAL LEGAL ASSISTANCE

449 Broadway, El Centro

(760) 353-0220

CALIFORNIA VETERANS 24-HOUR LOAN/ASSIST LINE

CAMPESINOS UNIDOS

1005 C Street, Brawley, CA 92227

(760) 351-5100

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF IMPERIAL COUNTY

250 w. Orange Avenue

El Centro CA 92243

(760) 353-6822

Director – **Sister Raymonda Duvall**

CENTER FOR FAMILY SOLUTIONS

727 W. Main Street

El Centro, CA 92243

(760) 353-6922

Director – **Barbara Shaver**

CLINICAS DE SALUD DEL PUEBLO, INC

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(760) 344-6471

GUADALUPE MENS SHELTER

545 Encinas Avenue, Calexico, CA 92231
(760) 357-0894

HOUSE OF HOPE (Women & Children)

1948 Orange Avenue, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 352-1182

IMPERIAL COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES/ADULT SERVICES

202 N. 8th Street, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 339-4501 or (760) 482-4075

IMPERIAL COUNTY FOOD BANK

P. O. Box 4406, El Centro, CA 92244
(760) 370-0966

IMPERIAL COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

925 Broadway Street, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 339-4438

IMPERIAL COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITY

1401 D Street, Brawley, CA 92227
(760) 351-7000

IMPERIAL COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES/ADULT SERVICES

2995 S. 4th Street
El Centro, Ca 92243
(760) 337-6800 or (760) 336-3945

IMPERIAL VALLEY INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTER

(Empowering People with Disabilities)
1450 Broadway, Suite 5, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 353-4191(Voice) or (760) 353-2802 (TDD)

NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE/CASA VILLANUEVA

506 E. 4TH Street, Calexico, CA 92231
(760) 357-6875
Director: **Richard Ortega**

NEW CREATIONS TRANSITIONAL HOME

Dogwood & Worthington Roads, Imperial, CA 92251
(760) 355-4296

SALVATION ARMY

355 N. 5th Street, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 352-4528
Director: **Captain Jerry**

VETERANS VILLAGE OF SAN DIEGO

4141 Pacific Highway, San Diego, CA 92110
(619) 497-0142
President: **Al J. Pavich**

SURE HELPLINE

210 Wake Avenue Suite B, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 352-7873 (24 Hours. 7 Days a week. Se Habla Espanol)

NATIONAL COALITION FOR HOMELESS VETERANS

333 ½ Pennsylvania Avenue, SE
Washington, D. C. 20003-1148
1-800 Vet-Help or 888-233-8582
FAX: 202-546-2063

Website: www.nchv.org

PROJECT SAVE 1-800-741-8387 EXT. 2354 Monday through Friday 0930 VA Hospital Addictions for the Homeless.

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Small Business Development Center, 1850 W. Main St, Suite C, El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 312-9800 Fax: (760) 312-9838

Website: www.ivsbdc.org

E-mail: Carlos@iv.sbdc.org

Director: Carlos Figari

VETERANS COMMUNITY SERVICES

A Division of Community Catalysts of California

(Case Manager)
2344 S. 2nd Street Suite D
El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 339-4963 (Direct Line)
(858) 212 2361 (Cell)
800-974-9909 (Main Line)
Website: www.ccvcs.net

Anna Gonzalez (Program Aide)
El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 339-4963 (Direct Line)
(760) 851-9120 (Cell)

TRANSPORTATION

Greyhound Bus Lines (760) 352-6363 Dial-A-Ride El Centro (760) 352-5110
Dial-A-Ride Imperial (760) 337-8002 Imperial County Transit Authority (760) 482-4462
DAV Van Ride to VA Medical Center, San Diego, CA call County Veterans Services at (760) 355-8620

DAV Transportation Carolyn Jackson (858) 552-7470

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Regional Office:
8810 Rio San Diego Drive
San Diego, CA 92108
(800) 827-1000

Washington D.C. Director
Department of Veteran Administration
Room 1000
1810 Vermont Ave. NW
Washington, D.C. 20420

CLINICS:

Imperial Valley Clinic

1600 S. Imperial Avenue
El Centro, CA 92243
(760) 352-1506 Fax: (760) 370-9375

Chula Vista Clinic

835 Third Avenue
Chula Vista, CA 91910
(619) 409-1600
Mon-Fri

Mission Valley

8810 Rio San Diego Drive,
Mission Valley, CA 92108
(619) 400-5000
Mon-Fri

VA Counseling PTSD, Family, ETC.

300 S. Imperial Ave. Suite #6 El Centro, CA
Maureen T. Durkee, ATR, MFT
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Call for an Appointment

Palm Desert VA Clinic

41865 Boardwalk, #103
(South East Corner of Cook & Hovley)
Palm Desert, CA 92211

Escondido Clinic

815 East Pennsylvania Avenue
Escondido, CA 92025
(760) 745-2000
Mon-Fri

Wellness & Vocational Enrichment Clinic

WAVE Program
4525 Mission Gorge Place
San Diego, CA 92120
(619) 228-8001 Mon- Fri

Oceanside Clinic

1300 Rancho del Oro Drive
(760) 643-2000

MEDICAL CENTERS:

San Diego Medical Center

3350 La Jolla Village Drive,
San Diego, CA 92161
(858) 552-8585 or (800) 331-8387
<http://www.san-diego.med.va.gov/start.htm>

Loma Linda Medical Center:

11201 Benton Street
Loma Linda, CA 92357
(909) 825-7084 or (800) 741-8387
<http://www.lom.med.va.gov/>

VET CENTERS

San Diego Vet Centers:

2790 Truxtun Road Suite 130
San Diego, CA 92106
(858) 642-1500

Chula Vista Vet Center

Al Juarez, LCSW Team Leader
180 Otay Lakes Road, Suite 108
Bonita, CA 91902-2439
Phone: (887) 618-6534 or (877) 927-8387
Fax: (619) 479-8539

San Marcos Vet Center

Joe Costello, LCSW Team Leader
One Civic Center Dr., Suite 150
San Marcos, CA 92069
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(877) 927-8387
Fax: (760) 744-6919

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Fax: 317/630-1223

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Washington, D.C. 20006
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Fax: 202/861-2728
Website: www.legion.org

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Lanham, Maryland 20706-4380
Telephone: 1-877-7AMVETS (toll free) Website: www.amvets.org

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5310
Contact: **Tracy Greenamy** Website: <http://www.cdva.ca.gov/>

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

P. O. Box 14301
Cincinnati, Ohio 45250-0301
(859) 441-7300
Website: www.dav.org

EMPLOYMENT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

EDD Career Center Representative (858) 552-8585 ext. 3896
3550 La Jolla Village Drive 2 West Room 2086 (Located at the La Jolla VA Hospital)
Wednesdays Only

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE HEADQUARTERS

VFW Memorial Building
200 Maryland Avenue N.E.
Washington, D. C. 20002
(202) 543-2239 FAX (202) 543-6719 Website: www.vfw.org

CAL-VET LOAN OFFICER

District Office

1350 Front Street Room 2023
San Diego, CA 92101
(866) 653-2504 – TOLL FREE
(619) 525-3700 – PHONE
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Hours are 0800 to 1700 M-F
E-Mail: SanDiego@cdva.ca.gov
Imperial, Orange, San Diego Counties

Satellite Office

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Riverside, CA 92507-7479
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(909) 774-0111 - FAX
Hours are 0800 to 1700 M-F
Riverside@cdva.ca.gov
Riverside, San Bernardino Counties

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS IN V. A. MEDICAL CENTER, La Jolla

American Legion (VARO)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5301

American Legion (VAMC)

3350 La Jolla Village Drive
San Diego, CA 92161
Marian Landis
(858) 642-6452

AmVets (VARO)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5303

AmVets (VAMC)

3350 La Jolla Village Drive
San Diego, CA 92161
Richard E. Marx
(858) 642-6453 Fax: (858) 642-1450

Blind Vets (BVA)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5306/7

Ex-POW (Frank Burger)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5342

Disabled American Veterans (VARO)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 299-6916/7 Fax: (619) 299-7092
Van Ride (800) 331-8387 Ext. 7470
Tuesday thru Friday Leaves at 0700

Disabled American Veterans (VAMC)

3350 La Jolla Village Drive
San Diego, CA 92161
Richard Randolph
(858) 642-6454 Fax: (858) 642-6404

Military Order of the Purple Heart (VARO)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
Al Wagner
(619) 400-5317

Military Order of the Purple Heart (VAMC)

3350 La Jolla Village Drive
San Diego, CA 92161
Michael Mullen
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California Department of VA

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
Tracy Greenamyre
(619) 400-5310

California Department of Veterans Affairs (Chula Vista Veterans Home)

400 Naples St
Chula Vista, CA

Paralyzed Veterans of America (VARO)

8810 Rio San Diego
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5320

Paralyzed Veterans of America (VAMC)

3350 La Jolla Village Drive
San Diego, CA 92161
(858) 642-6456

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VARO)

8810 Rio San Diego, Room 1161
San Diego, CA 92108
(619) 400-5323 Fax: (619) 291-8516

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VAMC)

3350 La Jolla Village Drive RM 1604
San Diego, CA 92161
(858) 642-6457

Mark Barrett

E-Mail: vfw.vbasdc@va.gov

County Veterans Service Office
734 W. Beech St., Suite 200
San Diego, CA 92101-2441
(619) 531-454 vetssvcs@co.san-diego.ca.us

American Ex-Prisoners of War (VARO)
(619) 400-5342

HOMELESS VETERAN SERVICES
(800) 331-8387 Press 0
(858) 552-8585 Press 0

PATIENT ADVOCATE
(800) 331-8387 Press 0
Johnny Lewis (858) 642-3306
Roxane Rivers (858) 642-1615
1st Floor Rm. 1519

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION BENEFITS
Oscar Sifuentes, Department Service Office, (800) 741-8387 Ext. 3018
Tuesday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION
(800) 827-1000, Call for an appointment and information

WOMEN VETERANS COORDINATOR (800) 827-1000 for information

**VETERANS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING GUIDE FOR
THE IMPERIAL VALLEY**
(MEETING LOCATIONS ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE MAILING ADDRESS)

AIR FORCE SERGEANTS ASSOCIATION CHAPTER 1328
Veterans Memorial Museum, 2115 Park Blvd, San Diego, CA 92101 Meets 3rd Saturday of the
Month. Local Contact: **Sarge Grams** (760) 352-5104 626 Smoketree el Centro, CA 92243

AMERICAN LEGION **Provides funeral details and other
services to veterans and Boys State.**

Boyce Aten Post 25 (El Centro)
569 Broadway, El Centro, CA 92243 (760) 352-2964
Meets 2nd Tuesday at 1900.
Contact: Commander- Anacleto Trevino

Brawley Post 60 (Brawley)
509 G Street Brawley, CA 92227 (760) 344-3175
Meets the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at 1900
Contact: Robert Morales

Goree Lake Post 90 (Calexico)
310 Rockwood Avenue, Calexico, CA 92231 Mailing: P. O. Box 648, Calexico, CA 92231
Meets at the Elks Club, 4th Friday of the month at 1830 **Contact: Mike Mendoza** (760) 592-
1368 **Frank Pacheco** (760) 554-8915

Calipatria Post 135 (Calipatria)
P. O. Box 52, Calipatria, CA 92233 (760) 791-7349
Meets the 3rd Monday of the month at 1900 at Community Center Calipatria
Contact: Jesus Amial

Bradley Keffer Post 138 (Holtville)

P. O. Box 836, Holtville, CA 92250

Meets the 1st Monday of the month at 1900 at 6th and Cedar Street, Holtville, CA

Contact: Andrew Lowenthal (760) 356-0720

40 & 8 Voiture 512 Slefite De Gare

509 G Street, Brawley, CA 92227

Meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month at 1900 hours

Contact: (xxx) xxx-xxxx

Quechan Post 802

P. O. Box 515, Winterhaven, CA 92283

Meets the 3rd Wednesday at 1800 hours at Community Center, 1496 Arnold Road, Winterhaven

Contact: Jerry Brown (928) 446-1797

AMERICAN LEGION DISTRICT 30 COMMANDER/ 5TH AREA COMMANDER

Contact: Andrew Lowenthal at (760) 356-4450/ 5th Area Lee Quarcelino (760) 996-1147

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

American Legion Women's Aux Post 25

569 Broadway Avenue, El Centro 92243

Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 1900

Contact: **Karen Marquardt**

American Legion Women's Aux Post 60

371 Driftwood Brawley, CA 92227

Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month

Contact: **Robert Morales (760) 344-3175**

American Legion Women's Aux Post 801

Bombay Beach

Meets the 3rd Sunday of the month

Contact: **Virginia (760) 354-1112**

American Legion Women's Aux Post 135

756 Adler, Calipatria CA 92233

Meets the 3rd Thursday of the month at 1400

Contact: **Marsha Carter**

American Legion Women's Auxiliary District 30 President

Contact: **Kim Vincent (760) 336-3058** email: vincent1252@roadrunner.com

AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE VETERANS

CHINA COASTERS - Wilmington, California - 440 North Avalon Blvd., Wilmington, CA 90744-5804. **Contact:** Clint McClish (xxx) xxx-xxxx or AMMV (xxx) xxx-xxxx. Meets monthly on the 3rd Saturday at 1:00 PM at the AMMV Building, 440 North Avalon Blvd., Wilmington.

SOUTHWEST REGION: Regional Vice President, Rex Farley (xxx) xxx-xxxx

AMERICAN VETERANS (AMVETS)

Post 14 (Seeley)

P. O. Box 0682, Seeley, CA 92273

Meets as needed Contact: **Bob Rosenbaum**

Post 94 (Heber)

1070 Mary Avenue, Heber, CA

Meets the 1st Thursday of the Month.

Contact: **Arnold Brown** (760) 353-2205

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS (DISTRICT 10)

Chapter 38 (Imperial)

Meets the 2nd Thursday, at 1830, Meets at American Legion in El Centro.

247 Imperial St., Imperial, CA 92251 (760) 356-1875

Contact: **Ramiro "Rac" Castillo** (760) 960-5621 e-mail: **rac6971@hotmail.com**

FLEET RESERVE ASSOCIATION Branch #157

Meets at Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 11, 1319 W. 9th Place, Yuma, AZ

At 1900 the 4th Tuesday of the month

Contact: **William A. Myers** E-mail: **billvimy@aol.com**

Branch # 47

Meets at 136 N. Chambers Street, El Cajon, CA

At 1930 the 1st Wednesday of the month

Contact: **Jimmy D. Freedle**

E-mail: **jfree455@aol.com**

KOREAN WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION 102

397 S. 1ST Street, El Centro, CA 92243

Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 1130

Contact: **Benny Benavidez** (760) 352-3929

Provides Plaques to fallen Imperial Valley Service members. Flag Display Frames, Funerals

KOREAN WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION 165

1502 Euclid Avenue, El Centro, CA 92243

Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 12 noon

Contact: **Commander Jr. Reclosado** (760) 353-5924

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

Color Guard Services

Desert Leathernecks Detachment 1171

247 S. Imperial Avenue, Imperial CA 92251

Meets 2nd Saturday of the month at Denny's located in Imperial Valley Mall at 1800.

Contact: **Ramiro A Castillo** via email at **rac6971@hotmail.com** or (760) 960-5621 to leave a Message.

MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Mirage Club, NAF El Centro, CA 92243

Meets on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 1830

Contact: (xxx) xxx-xxxx

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR UNIFORMED SERVICES (NAUS)

SAN DIEGO COUNTY CA SD - San Diego Area

Contact: **Sid McSwain LTCOL USAF (Ret)**

(619) 297-1270 **FAX:** (619) 291-0199 **Email:** mcswainsd@aol.com

Chapter Address: PO Box 80215, San Diego, CA 92138-0215

PEARL HARBOR SURVIVORS

Mirage Club, NAF, El Centro, 92243

Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 1100

Contact: **Ken Marini** (760) 352-7146

PAST COMMANDERS CLUB

509 G Street, Brawley, CA 92227

Meets the 4th Wednesday of the month at 2000.

Contact: **Lee Quarcelino** (760) 344-6272

RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

San Diego

Lt Col Ronald D. Harris, USAFR LT Roger Tubbesing, USNR Col Kay Telford Website:

<http://www.roa.org/>

RETIRED ENLISTED ASSOCIATION (TREA)

Website: **www.trea.org Chapter 52, Patton, CA**

Inland Empire Chapter meets the 2nd Saturday of every month at 1000 hours at the Patton State Hospital, Senior Services Center, 3102 E. Highland Ave., Patton, CA 92369. Contact Ron Carignan, (909) 880-8656, **RCari89235@charter.net** or **Bob Sherwood**, (909) 862-1885, **lilo.bob@netzero.com**

U.S. MERCHANT MARINE VETERANS WWII

P. O. Box 629, San Pedro, CA 90744-0629

(310) 519-9545, Call for information.

THE RETIRED ENLISTED ASSOCIATION (TREA)

1-800-338-0337 for information

National HQS 1111 S. Abilene Court

Aurora, Colorado E-mail **Members@TREA.org**

UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL

Contact: **Lee Qurceleno** (760) 996-1147

Meets about veterans issues in the Imperial Valley.

VETERANS EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

Meets every 2nd Wednesday of the Month at

EDD, 1550 W Main St, El Centro, CA

Contact: **Len McCalister** at (760) 339-2711

Meets about veteran employment issues in the Imperial Valley.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS (VFW) (Dedicated Veterans Organization for those veterans who served overseas in a combat zone) They provide community service, information on Veteran benefits, and are active in Community events, etc.

BORDER POST 1637

P. O. Box 4385, Calexico, CA 92232
Meets the 3rd Thursday of the month at 1830
Contact: **Carl Vindiola** (760) 353-1171

CAPT. JACOB E. BAKER POST 2987

148 N. 1st, Blythe, CA 92225
Meets the 1st Wednesday of the month at 1900.
Contact: **Max Schoenrock** (760) 921-9143

WEST SHORES POST 3251

27 Panorama Drive, Desert Shores, CA 92274
Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 1900
Contact: **Cecil Harrison**

VIETNAM VETERAN'S POST 9305

P. O. Box 3054, El Centro, CA 92244
Meets at 1900 on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 569 Broadway (American Legion), El Centro
Contact: **Ed Castillo-Rubio** (xxx) xxx-xxxx
E-mail: blondycastle@hotmail.com

VFW DISTRICT 22

Contact: **Lee Quarcelino** (760) 996-1147

VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA

Website: <http://www.vva472.com/index.html>
Located in San Diego

WOMEN MARINES ASSOCIATION CA #10

Area 10 - Director: **Denne Howard**
Region (Chapters): California (15) Hawaii (1)

Chapter CA-7 Website: <http://members.tripod.com/womenmarines/>

MUSEUMS

PIONEERS MUSEUM

373 East Aten Road (Exit I-8 at Hwy 111
(North to Aten Road)
Imperial, CA 92251
Phone: (760) 352-1165 FAX: (760) 352-5411

Has a History Section dedicated to Veterans

E-MAIL: pioneers@icoe.k12.ca.us Website: <http://www.imperial.cc.ca.us/pioneers/>
MUSEUM HOURS: MONDAYS (closed); TUESDAY through SUNDAY: 10 am - 4 pm
OR by Appointment (School Tours October through May)
CLOSED DURING SUMMER MONTHS! ADMISSION: Adults \$4.00 Children under 13 \$0.50

REDLANDS HISTORICAL GLASS MUSEUM

1157 North Orange Street, Redlands, CA
(909) 798-0868, Open Noon to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY MUSEUM

2024 Orange Tree Lane, Redlands, CA
(909) 307-2669 or 1-888-BIRD EGG COST: There is a fee.
Website: <http://www.co.san-bernardino.ca.us/museum/>

SOUTHWEST RAILWAY MUSEUM

Campo Facility Days of Operation Weekends and Major Selected Holidays
Hours of Operation 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PARKS

BIG BEAR LAKE

For more information call the Big Bear Chamber at (909) 866-4607.
Website: www.bigbearchamber.com

RED HILL MARINA

7581 Garst Road Calipatria, CA 92233 (760) 348-2310

SUNBEAM LAKE

1750 Drew Road
Seeley, CA 92273 (760) 352-3308

WIEST LAKE

5351 Dietrich Road
Brawley, CA 92227
(760) 344-3712

LAKE ARROWHEAD

Contact the Chamber of Commerce at (909) 337-3715
Website: www.lakearrowhead.net

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT (BLM)

El Centro Field Office CA-670
Bureau of Land Management
El Centro Field Office
1661 S. 4th Street
El Centro CA 92243 Phone: (760) 337-4400

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Sonny Bono Salton Sea National Wildlife Refuge
906 W Sinclair Road, Calipatria, CA 92233
(760) 348-5278

ANZA-BORREGO DESERT STATE PARK

200 Palm Canyon Drive
Borrego Springs, CA 92004
(760) 767-5311

HEBER DUNES AND OCOTILLO WELLS

5172 Highway 78 P. O. Box 360
Borrego Springs, CA 92004
(760) 767-5391

PICACHO STATE RECREATION AREA

P. O. Box 848
Winterhaven, CA 92283-0848
(760) 996-2963 or (760) 393-3059

SALTON SEA RECREATION AREA

100-225 State Park Road
North Shore, CA 92254
(760) 393-3052 or (760) 393-3059

MILITARY FACILITIES**Yuma Proving Grounds – Army**

For information call (928) 328-7335 **Website: www.yuma.army.mil**

Marine Corps Air Station – Yuma, AZ

For information call (800) 837-2821 **Website: <http://www.yuma.usmc.mil/>**

Marine Corps Base – Twenty-nine Palms

For information call (760) 830-6734 (Base Operator) **Website: <http://www.29palms.usmc.mil/>**

Naval Air Facility-El Centro

For information call (760) 339-2222 (Base Operator) **Website: <http://www.nafec.navy.mil/>**

CalJOBS: California Job Opening Browse System

The Internet is one of the best places to find jobs. Use this handy guide to find locations in your community where you can access the Internet free of charge.

Using computers, employers enter job openings in this system, and job seekers search for positions they are qualified for. Anyone who has been issued a social security card and who has a legal right to work in California can search the CalJOBS system. Everything from entry-level to executive jobs may be listed on CalJOBS.

Once you have your own password, you may use CalJOBS at your convenience. Simply use any computer that has Internet access and open the CalJOBS home page at <http://www.caljobs.ca.gov>

VETERAN WEBSITES

Agent Orange information from the VA <https://iris.custhelp.com/>
Air Force Personnel Office (AF Civilian Jobs) <http://www.afciviliancareers.com/>

American Ex-Prisoners of War www.axpow.org
American Gulf War Association www.gulfwarvets.com

America's Heroes at Work (Hiring Tool Kit)
<http://www.americasheroesatwork.gov/forEmployers/HiringToolkit>

American Legion Headquarters www.legion.org
American Military VET Friends www.vetfriends.com
American Veterans (AMVETS) www.amvets.org
America Job Bank sub site for Veterans & DOD <http://www.ajb.dni.us/govtJobBanks.aspx>
America's Service Locator <http://www.servicelocator.org>
America's Career InfoNet <http://www.acinet.org>
Arlington National Cemetery www.arlingtoncemetery.org
Armed Forces Retirement Homes www.afrh.gov
Army and Air Force Exchange Service <http://shop.aafes.com/shop/>
Federal Government Phone Directory <http://www.usa.gov/directory/federal/>

Border Patrol <http://www.cbp.gov> or www.borderpatrol.gov

Bureau of Land Management www.blm.gov
Burlington Northern Santa FE Railroad www.bnsf.com
Business and Professional Licenses For California <http://www.ca.gov/Work/Licenses.html>
CalJOBS www.caljobs.ca.gov
California Department of Veterans www.cdva.ca.gov
California Department of Corrections and Rehab www.cdcr.ca.gov
California Highway Patrol Traffic Incidents <http://cad.chp.ca.gov>
California Labor Market Information <http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/>
California National Guard <http://www.calguard.ca.gov>
Caltrans Road Conditions <http://www.dot.ca.gov/cgi-bin/roads.cgi>
Center for Women Veterans www.va.gov/womenvet/
Class A Drivers Website http://www.dmv.ca.gov/pubs/cdl_htm/lic_chart.htm
Coconino County Sheriff's Office (Flagstaff, AZ) <http://www.coconino.az.gov/index.aspx?nid=325>

Cold War Recognition Certificate
<https://www.hrc.army.mil/site/active/tagd/coldwar/default.htm>

Customs <http://www.cbp.gov/>
DAV Headquarters www.dav.org

DD214 on-line Request <http://www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records/>
Department of Defense Job Search <http://godefense.cpms.osd.mil/>
Department of Education (New job Website) <http://www.ed.gov/jobs>
Department of Homeland Security <http://www.dhs.gov/dhspublic/>
Department of Labor www.dol.gov
Department of Labor (Education & Training) www.doleta.gov
Department of Labor – Veterans www.dol.gov/dol/vets/welcome.html
Department of Motor Vehicles www.dmv.ca.gov
Department of Veterans Affairs www.va.gov
Department of Veteran Affairs – Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment Service

http://www.vba.va.gov/bln/vre/emp_resources.htm

Earthquakes <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/>

EDD Homepage <http://www.edd.ca.gov/>

Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve <http://www.esgr.mil>

Employment Predictions/Salary Info <http://www.bls.gov/emp/>

Federal Bureau of Prisons www.bop.gov

Federal Long Term Care Insurance Program www.ltcfeds.com

Federal Student Aid Info Center www.ifap.ed.gov

Fed Hire Vets www.fedshirevets.gov/

Find Worldwide Newspapers Online www.onlinenewspapers.com

GI Bill (888) GIBILL-1 or (888) 442-4551 <http://www.gibill.va.gov/>

GI Jobs www.gijobs.com

Government Forms (**Federal**) <http://www.opm.gov/forms/>

Helmets to Hardhats (**Construction**) www.helmetstohardhats.org

Hire Vets First Program <http://www.hirevetsfirst.dol.gov/>

Hire Patriots Website for Veterans <http://www.hirepatriots.com/>

History Channel Veterans Forum http://chnm.gmu.edu/digitalhistory/links/cached/chapter6/6_8e_veteranforum.htm

Home Depot <http://careers.homedepot.com/our-culture/military-commitment.html>

Hospice Foundation of America www.hospicefoundation.org

House Committee on Veterans Affairs www.veterans.house.gov

How to write a Great Resume (Type this in) <http://www.ehow.com>

Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) <http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis>

Imperial County <http://www.co.imperial.ca.us/>

Imperial Valley Workforce <http://www.ivworkforce.com>

Iraq Afghanistan Veterans of America <http://www.iava.org>

Job Central (**Replaces American Job Bank**) www.jobcentral.com

Job Application (Online Employment) <http://www.jobaps.com>

Jobs Indeed (**Look for Local Jobs**) www.indeed.com

Job Descriptions <http://www.onetonline.org/>

Link to info on all 50 States www.50states.com

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department www.lasd.org

Los Angeles Police Department www.lapdonline.org

Los Angeles Workforce http://worksourcecalifornia.com/information/wib_LAcounty.htm

Locate Military Buddies www.militarylocator.com or www.military.com

Marine Corps Community Services <http://www.usmc-mccs.org/>

Marine Corps Exchange <http://www.mymcx.com/>

Marine Forces Reserve <http://www.marforres.marines.mil/>

Marines Together We Served <http://marines.togetherweserved.com/usmc/index.jsp>

Medicare www.medicare.gov

Military Exits (Jobs, Resumes etc.) http://www.militaryexits.com/link_to_military_exits.shtml

Military Links and Veterans Info www.defenselink.mil

Military One Source www.MilitaryOneSource.mil

Military Sealift Command <http://www.msc.navy.mil/>

Military Translator for your MOS <http://www.military.com/veteran-jobs/skills-translator/>

Monster Board www.monster.com

National Archives and Records Administration www.archives.gov

National Personnel Records Center <http://www.archives.gov/st-louis/>

National Veterans Foundation	www.nvf.org
National Veterans Legal Services Program	www.nvlsp.org
National Veterans' Training Institute (NVTI)	nvti.ucdenver.edu
To find Local State Veteran Representative	networker.nvti.ucdenver.edu
Navy LifeLines	http://www.lifelines.navy.mil/lifelines/index.htm
Network for Care (Vet website)	www.networkofcare.org
ONET (Find Military Job Description)	http://www.onetonline.org/
Ontario Police Department	www.OntarioPolice.org
Orange County Sheriff's Department	www.ocso.com
Orange County	www.ocgov.com
Orion International	http://www.orioninternational.com/
Paralyzed Veterans of America	www.pva.org
Police Officer Academies (POST Training)	http://www.post.ca.gov/
PTSD VA Website	www.ptsd.va.gov
Relocation Assistance	www.homefair.com
Riverside Police Department	http://www.riversideca.gov/rpd/
Salary Information	www.salary.com
San Bernardino County	https://www.sbcounty.gov/
San Bernardino County – Veterans	https://www.sbcounty.gov/va
Scholarship America	www.scholarshipamerica.org
Selective Service System (Draft Registration)	www.sss.gov
Servicemembers Opportunity College	www.soc.aascu.org
Small Business Loans for Veterans	http://www.vetbiz.gov
Social Security Administration	www.ssa.gov
Sprint Military Recruiting	http://veterans.jobs/sprint/careers/
Stars and Stripes	www.stripes.com
State Personnel Board (California State Jobs)	www.spb.ca.gov
State Veteran's Benefit Information	http://www.va.gov/statedva.htm
Summer Jobs	http://www.summerjobs.com/
Transition Assistance	http://www.taonline.com/
Technical Jobs Website	www.dice.com
TRICARE	www.tricare.mil
Troops to Teachers	http://www.proudtoserveagain.com/
Union Pacific Railroad	https://up.jobs/
U.S. Army Career and Alumni	www.acap.army.mil
US Office of Personnel Management (USAJOBS)	www.usajobs.gov
U.S. Vets	www.usvetsinc.org
United States Air Force	www.af.mil
United States Army	www.army.mil
United States Coast Guard	www.uscg.mil
United States Marine Corps	www.usmc.mil
United States Merchant Marines	www.usmm.org
United States Navy	www.navy.mil
Veteran History Project	http://www.loc.gov/folklife/vets/
Veteran Employment	http://www.fedshirevets.gov/
Veterans of Foreign Wars, Dept of California	www.vfwca.org
Veteran Jobs (Sponsored by the VFW)	www.vetjobs.com
Veteran Success (VA website)	www.vetsuccess.gov
Vets101	www.vets101.org
Veterans Village of San Diego	http://www.vvvd.net/

Vietnam Veterans of America

www.vva.org

West Civilian Personnel Operations Center Army (**Army Civilian Jobs**) www.cpol.army.mil

Women Veterans

www.va.gov/womenvet

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