

City of Grants Pass Veteran's Preference FORM Employment Attachment



Name: _____

Date: _____

Under Oregon law, veterans who meet minimum qualifications for a position may be eligible for employment preference. If you think you may qualify, please read the following checklist carefully. Check the box for each item that is appropriate. If you need further explanation or have a special circumstance, please contact the City of Grants Pass' Human Resources Department at 541-474-6360 or via e-mail tmartin@grantspassoregon.gov.

Veteran means a person who served in the Armed Forces of the United States on active duty, during certain specified periods or in military campaigns, for reasons other than training, and has been discharged under other than dishonorable conditions.

Submission Requirements: This completed form and a copy of your DD-214 or DD-215 must be submitted at the time of your application materials.

Qualified Veteran Questions: You may claim veteran's preference if you check at least one of the boxes below and provide proof of eligibility by submitting a copy of your DD-214 or DD-215.

- I served on active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States for a period of more than 178 consecutive days and was discharged or released from active duty under honorable conditions; OR
- I served on active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States for 178 days or less and was discharged or released from active duty under honorable conditions because of a service-connected disability; OR
- I served on active duty for at least one day in a combat zone and was discharged or released from active duty under honorable conditions; OR
- I received a combat or campaign ribbon for service in the Armed Forces of the United States.

Note: "Active duty" does not include attendance at a school under military orders, except schooling incident to an active enlistment or regular tour of duty, or normal military training as a reserve officer or member of an organized reserve or a National Guard unit.

"Armed Forces" means the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, and Coast Guard, including the reserve components thereof.

- I was discharged or released from service in the armed forces within 15 years of the date of this application.
Date of discharge

Qualified Disabled Veteran Questions: You may claim additional employment preference if you can check at least one box in the section below and provide proof of eligibility by submitting the following documents.

1. A copy of your form DD-214 or DD-215, Certificate of Release or Discharge, and
2. A copy of your Veteran's disability preference letter dated within the last 6 months from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs or a
3. A certificate of eligibility under OAR 839-006-0440(5) and (9) a copy of the Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty.

I am entitled to disability compensation under laws administered by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs; OR

I was discharged or released from active duty for a disability incurred or aggravated in the line of duty; OR

I was awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in combat.

I hereby claim veteran's preference and certify that the above information is true and correct. I understand that any false statements may be cause for my disqualification or dismissal, regardless of when discovered.

Print Name:

Signature:

Date:

Position applied for:

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Reasonable accommodations may be made upon request prior to the application deadline to enable individuals with disabilities to participate in the job application process.