



PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL PROJECT
ARIZONA STATE VETERANS HOMES
HOMES FOR HOMETOWN HEROS

There are two awards for this program. The Ginger Cox PSP is awarded to the Unit of 200 and under members with the best President's Special Project Program. The Cathy Jarvis PSP award is for units of 201 or more. A narrative must accompany the Year End Report Form to be eligible for either of these awards. There is a sample narrative on the Department website along with the Year End Report Form. Narratives should be 1000 words or less and explain what the Unit did to promote the program and raise funds. The Awards Manual is also on the Department website. (aladeptaz.org) If your Unit Chairman does not have access to the internet or to printer, I will gladly mail you the form if you request. (I know there are some out there who are even more technologically challenged than I am!) The form is not with this handout. That saves 110 copies I don't have to make, most of which are discarded.

This is a veterans program so VA&R funds and poppy funds may be used. Several units have already held special fundraisers for PSP. Each district was given a "white house" to decorate and collect donations. Your unit could also decorate a "house" or other type of bank for members to drop their change (or dollars, or checks!) in at your meetings.

There are now three Arizona State Veterans Homes and a fourth to open soon, Phoenix, Tucson, Yuma, and soon Flagstaff. When you send donations, you may specify which State Home you want your contributions to go to. If you do not specify, President Barbara will choose which needs are most pressing between the four homes.

I am always willing to answer questions you may have and help units any way I can with this program. You can also contact either of the other Area Committee members.

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