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# HOMETOWN HEROES

## *Military Banner Program*



The City of Darien is proud to present the Hometown Heroes Military Banner Program to honor current or former residents of Darien who have served or are currently serving our country in a branch of the military. This is a *free* program, courtesy of Modell Funeral Home in Darien.

### *Eligibility*

- Banners are reserved for current or former residents of Darien
- Individuals must have served in any of the following branches of service: Army, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, Marines, National Guard

### *Banner Display*

- All banners will be displayed from approximately Memorial Day through Veterans Day 2026
- Banners will be randomly hung on street light poles throughout the city
- Banners will be available for pick up after removal through December 18, 2026 at City Hall - 1702 Plainfield Rd
- Each banner will be 30" W x 85" H
- Lost, stolen, or damaged banner will not be replaced

### *Ordering a Banner*

- Applications can be accessed and printed at [darien.il.us](http://darien.il.us) or at Darien City Hall - 1702 Plainfield Rd
- Applications will be accepted through March 31, 2026 or until we have reached our banner limit of 50
- Return the completed application & a photo of the individual to Darien City Hall

### *Photo Requirements*

- It is preferred that the applicant in the photo be in uniform, but not required
- The photo will be scanned and returned to the applicant
- Submitted photos must be clear and in good condition in order to achieve a high resolution scan





# Hometown Heroes Banner Application



Name of Hero: \_\_\_\_\_

Branch of Military: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship of Applicant to Hero being honored: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## Photo Release Acknowledgement:

I hereby grant permission to use the attached photo in the Hometown Heroes Banner Program with the understanding that this photo or likeness may be used for the city's promotional use. I assume all responsibility for providing accurate, true, and correct information regarding the veteran being honored on the banner.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date