CHRYSALIS VETERANS SERVICES ANNOUNCES

Improving Economic Security by Strengthening the Veteran's Job Readiness

Employment Development Grants

Funding provided by the Gila River Indian Community (Prop 202)

Chrysalis Veterans Services, Inc. will assist veterans in meeting their current needs for improving their economic security as it pertains to job readiness.

These **Employment Development Grants** provide material support, up to **$2,500.00**, as the veteran:

- Enters a job training program requiring tools and/or uniforms, or other personally-owned equipment,
- Is attending an educational institution; tuition, materials, laptops, etc.,
- Is promoted to a new position requiring tools and/or uniforms,
- Starts a new job after a period of unemployment of not less than 90 days requiring tools and/or uniforms,
- Cover the fees for conferences, certification classes and testing, licensing fees, apprenticeship admission and union dues. Travel costs can be considered.

Criteria for **Employment Development Grants** are:

- The applicant must be a veteran.
- The applicant must live in the Greater Phoenix Metropolitan Area.
- This is an income-based program. The program is seeking to reach low (50% LIMITS) to very-low (30% LIMITS) income veterans. The applicant must meet the income guidelines per HUD - FY 2022 Income Limits Documentation for Maricopa County. huduser.gov/portal/datasets/il.html Documentation must be submitted to prove eligibility.
- The request must directly affect the applicant's ability to go to **training, school** or **work**.
- The applicant will need a sponsor. This can be the school or training opportunity they are in, or applying for, or the employer with job specific requirements the veteran must meet. There is a form the sponsor **MUST** complete.
- The veteran must complete the requirements specified by the school, training opportunity, or employment opportunity the grant is supporting. Failure to complete the opportunity requirements may result in the veteran being required to return the funds they received.

Instructions:

- Download the Grant Application at **www.chrysalisveteransvc.org** on the **Services** page. Fill out completely. Incomplete applications will not be processed, and you will not be contacted to complete them.
- Download the Sponsor Certification. Fill out completely. Have the appropriate person provide the requested information, and then sign and date. Incomplete sponsor forms will keep the entire application from being processed.
- Email the application, certification and any supporting documentation required to:

office@chrysaisveteransvc.org

Funds are limited and are awarded on a first come, first serve basis.