2021 Rhode Island Veteran Home Donations

Thank you for thinking of the Rhode Island Veterans Home (RIVH) when it comes to your donations!

Listed below are the items we currently need to meet the special needs of our Veterans:

**We can only accept NEW donations**

We have approx. 150 residents.

1. **Sound Machines** (i.e. Homedics Soundspa)
2. MP3 Players
3. **Large white-faced watches (easy to read)**
4. Current DVD movies / relaxation DVD
5. Bingo Prizes (Flex Balls, flashlights, Seasonal Gifts, Dollar Store items, etc…)
6. Gift Certificates: ($10 and above denomination) (Walmart, Job Lot, Amazon, etc… or 2.00 Gift Cards to the Bistro at the Veterans Home for Bingo’s)
7. All sizes of **Belts** and suspenders
8. Alexa’s
9. **Boom Boxes with CD Player**
10. **Electric Razors**
11. Hair Cutting Clippers
12. Sunglasses/ Baseball Caps
13. Men’s slippers/ with back and rubber bottoms
14. Dry erase boards
15. Magnifiers with lights
16. Headphones
17. Postage stamps
18. **Brute or Old Spice Bodywash and spray**
19. **Toiletries such as Kleenex, toothbrush, dove & Irish spring soap, shampoo, deodorant and toothpaste**

*All personal care items must be new and the package unopened.*

**Men’s Clothing:**

1. Men’s Pants and Jeans all sizes / Leg Length 30 to 32 / Pajamas
2. All types of clothes (undershirts, shirts, sweatpants, sweatshirts and coats) Especially for sizes 3x, 4x, 5x, and 6x
3. Shoes / sneakers sizes 8-12.5

“Under no circumstance can we accept food Donations due to the Department of Health restrictions.”

**Women’s Clothing:**

1. Women’s tops, sweatpants, and elastic waist pants / sizes **large to 2x**
2. Women’s underwear

Since we no longer have storage capacity, it is best to call (401)342-7049 or 342-7050 to see if we can accept your donation and set up a drop off time with our staff. Unfortunately, we are not able to pick up any items at any time.

Should you decide to mail your donations, please mail to:

Rhode Island Veterans Home
Activities Department
480 Metacom Avenue
Bristol, Rhode Island  02809

The RIVH reserves the rights to distribute any gift or donation that is deemed unsuitable for the RIVH. These gifts or donations will be given to other charitable organizations. In the case there is no place to donate the item(s), it will be discarded.

**Thank you for your support of the “American Heroes” that call our home theirs.**