



## **Veteran's Housing Assistance Program**

### **To Qualify:**

- Be an honorably discharged veteran
- Be a Michigan resident
- Demonstrate a Financial Need
  - Based on their most current FAFSA Data and not to exceed 150 % of the most current Federal Poverty Guidelines.
- Currently enrolled full time at an accredited higher education institute or trade school certification program.

For awarded applicants the program will pay for housing for one (1) academic year of school (September to May) OR if enrolled full-time in the summer, will be extended over the summer months (June to August).

The WMA4V will pay up to \$800.00 a month toward the veteran's housing.

Each applicant will have to reapply for the housing assistance every year.

### **To Apply**

- Fill out an application for assistance.
  - Complete an essay answering the following questions:
    - Why did you join the military?
    - What impact has your military service had on your life?
    - How did you overcome personal challenges to get where you are today?
    - What advice would you give to a person five years younger than you?
    - Given the opportunity, what program in the world would you like to solve?
  - Attach Resume, including two professional references
  - Attach a copy of your DD214
  - Attach a copy of your FAFSA information to application.
  - Attach a copy of your current or upcoming class schedule.

**Applications Mailed to:** West Michigan Alliance for Veterans  
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Grand Rapids, MI 49514