



**Hometown Banner Program - Honoring Coronado Veterans
Nomination Form**

(There is no cost for this City of Coronado sponsored program.)

Date: _____

PART 1: NOMINEE ELIGIBILITY

Nominees for banners shall be past or present residents of Coronado -living or deceased- who served or are serving honorably in any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces. An individual shall be considered a resident of Coronado if he/she presently resides or previously resided within the city limits of Coronado and/or was stationed at Naval Base Coronado.

Name of Nominee: _____ Living () Deceased ()

Address when resided in Coronado: _____

Current Address: _____

Branch of Service: () Navy () Marine Corps () Army () Air Force () Coast Guard

Current/Last Rank or Rate: _____ Dates of Service: _____

Optional: Please attach copy of nominee's DD Form 214, if available.

Nominee's name as you would like it to appear on banner: _____

(Note: Due to space limitations, rank and name may be abbreviated to fit on banner)

Please attach any biographical information or briefly describe here any information that you would like the Committee to consider while reviewing the nomination:

PART 2: SPONSOR Anyone can nominate and sponsor a nominee including, but not limited to, a relative, friend, associate, organization, or self.

Sponsor's contact information and preferred method of contact. More than one contact method may be checked.

Name of sponsor: _____ Relationship to candidate: _____

() Phone: _____ () Email: _____

() Mailing Address: _____

PART 3: BIOGRAPHY

If selected to be honored, one (1) nominee biography is required of 350 maximum words to be read at a live or virtual recognition ceremony and to be published in the newspaper. It is preferred that the Sponsor, a family member, or close friend of the nominee draft the biographies. If assistance is required, the Committee can enlist the support of volunteers to assist in the writing. In the latter case, the volunteer writer will contact the Sponsor, designated family member/friend or nominee – as appropriate – to gather sufficient information to write the biographies. Please attach any biographical information such as an article, obituary, or story written about the nominee you may have.

Name of Sponsor, family member or friend preparing the biography? _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Person with whom volunteer writer should speak to learn more about nominee: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

PART 4: PHOTOS OF CANDIDATE

Please provide a portrait-style photograph of the nominee -- preferably in uniform -- for use on the banner. Additionally, you may submit up to five (5) more photos to be included in a video presentation during the reading of biographies. If you do not have more photos of the honoree, you may submit photos of military ships, bases, insignias and awards with which the honoree was associated. If possible, photographs should be high resolution and measure at least 4" X 6". It is understood that high-resolution photos are not always possible. Digital photographs in jpg or pdf format may be submitted via USB drive or email along with the application to: cm@coronado.ca.us.

Please indicate whether you desire to have the photograph returned to you: () Yes () No () N/A

PART 5: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (optional)

Are there any extenuating circumstances you would like the Committee to be aware of when considering whether the nomination should be expedited? Examples would be declining health, an elderly nominee, or an elderly surviving spouse of the nominee.

() Yes () No If yes, please elaborate: _____

PART 6: SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR

By my signature, I affirm that the person I am nominating served honorably in the U. S. Military and lived at least once in the City of Coronado and/or was stationed at Naval Base Coronado. I further grant the City of Coronado permission to confirm and use the information contained in this nomination and the enclosed photograph(s) in the Coronado Hometown Banner program and related promotional material without payment or other consideration. I also attest that I will obtain the permission of the nominee, if living, if he/she is selected to be honored with a banner.

Sponsor Signature: _____

Please call the City of Coronado at (619) 522-7340 if you have any questions. Nominations can be submitted on line at cm@coronado.ca.us or mailed to: City of Coronado – City Hall, 1825 Strand Way, Coronado, CA 92118.

Sponsors will receive a letter acknowledging receipt of the nomination and periodic updates as to the status.