

# ATTENTION VETERANS

**The Linn County Veteran Service Office is here to assist any Veteran/Surviving Spouse during this difficult time. The Office can be reached at 541-967-3882.**

The following is information received from the DAV National Service Office in Portland.

## WILDFIRE DISASTER RELIEF FOR OREGON VETERANS/SURVIVING SPOUSES

The DAV National Service Office in Portland has obtained drafts (checks) to be sent out to veterans/surviving spouses that have been impacted by the wildfires in Oregon. The drafts are up to \$1,000 per household, regardless if it's a multiple veteran household.

To receive a draft PLEASE have the participant follow these steps:

1. Email [dav.vbaport@va.gov](mailto:dav.vbaport@va.gov) and state WILDFIRE RELIEF in the subject line.
2. We need the full name of the veteran/surviving spouse.
3. Their address that has been affected.
4. An address they can receive the draft at.
5. Their phone number and/or email address.
6. Proof of veteran status. Various things will work for this, the veteran DOES NOT need to be in receipt of any VA benefits. Examples: DDF 214, VA rating sheet, driver's license with "veteran" annotation, etc.
7. Are they requesting for food and clothing only OR did they have to evacuate/pay for lodging? Please include as much proof/verification to make this as easy as possible.