

WE OFFER

- ◆ An outstanding way of life in a great part of the country,
- ◆ You'll be among people who strongly support our military.
- ◆ \$500 grant to help with relocation expenses.
- ◆ \$500 grant to work for a Franklin County based business.
- ◆ Your own POC to walk you through what you need to know.
- ◆ Other perks as they are available.
Example: Free one night stay while interviewing, a free meal, help moving in, etc.

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WELCOME HOME!



*Our mission is YOU
so let's get started on
building a new life
and a new career ~*

Franklin County



We are here in a cohort capacity to help you navigate the transition from military to civilian life.

Franklin County will bring a host of resources to bear for those who choose to live and work here including a POC who will help you get squared away.

You aren't in this alone.

THE PROGRAM

* \$500 grant available to qualifying Veterans to help with relocation to Franklin County. A lease or mortgage application for a residence in Franklin County must be presented to FCDA.

* \$500 grant available to qualifying Veterans new to Franklin County who can prove employment with a Franklin County based business. Grant is made available after completing 90 days of full-time employment. This will not apply to a Veteran working in Franklin County who changes jobs within Franklin County.

* Maximum benefit package per Veteran is \$1,000. Two benefit packages (maximum \$2,000) per household.

* One-on-one guidance to help you get set up with everything you need.

QUALIFICATIONS

Any Veteran of the United States Military Services honorably discharged from active duty within three years of the application date for the fund who meets applicable state Veterans status subject to the following:

Relocation assistance - Cannot have lived in Franklin County for two years or has not owned a home in Franklin County for five years as of application date. If the Veteran owns livable property in Franklin County, the Veteran does not qualify.

Work assistance - Must be new to a Franklin County employer who can prove via email or a signed letter from employer on company letterhead that the Veteran has successfully completed 90 days of full-time employment including the intention to retain that employee.

The Home Base Franklin County incentive fund shall only be accessed once in the lifetime of the Veteran and applied for within 180 days of Franklin County residency and/or employment. If benefit packages change, a Veteran shall not be eligible to come back for additional benefits.



HOW TO APPLY

Any Veteran applying for this attraction package must first meet personally with the Franklin County Veterans Affairs Director (FCVA) who will assist in verifying applicant eligibility.

POC - Franklin County Department of Veteran Affairs Director Tom Berry
641-456-5670 tberry@co.franklin.ia.us

The Veteran then meets with the FCDA Director to present FCVA issued certification of eligibility and to fill out an application form.

POC - Franklin County Development Assn. Executive Director Karen Mitchell
641-456-5668 fcdadirector@gmail.com

A check will be issued from the FCDA offices which will be mailed or can be picked up.

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