

2017 Honor Flight Tallahassee

The Tallahassee International Airport was pleased to host the 2017 Honor Flight event on Saturday, May 20, 2017. The event was coordinated by Honor Flight Tallahassee whose mission is to transport North Florida and South Georgia veterans to Washington, D.C. to visit those memorials dedicated to their service and sacrifices. In total, 84 veterans and their guardians took flight for this magical day.

Support for these trips is provided by volunteers and is not possible without public support. Top priority is given to our most senior heroes, survivors of World War II, and any veteran with a terminal illness who wishes to visit their memorial. Subsequent to the World War II veterans, Honor Flight's efforts then focus on our Korean War and Vietnam War veterans, and honoring them similarly. According to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, only 620,000 of the 16 million Americans who served in World War II were alive in 2016 making Honor Flight's mission that much more important.

We are thankful to the Honor Flight Network for continuing to do whatever it takes to fulfill the dreams of our veterans and are proud to host this event for our heroes! Honor Flight is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing veterans with honor and closure. For more information about Honor Flight Tallahassee and how to donate or volunteer, please visit <http://honorflighttallahassee.org/> or e-mail Info@HonorFlightTallahassee.org.

