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T/C reviews and submits to Assessor for approval

T/C provides forms /Town Administrator reviews

Form mailed directly to applicants from State/ we can provide form, mailed to State

T/C provides forms /Town Administrator reviews
VETERANS' CREDIT QUALIFICATIONS WORKSHEET
In Satisfaction of RSA 21-J:11-a Assessment Review Report
Conducted Every Five Years

Name of Municipality: ____________________________________________

Name of Applicant: _____________________________________________

Address of Applicant’s Principal Place of Abode ________________________

Map and Lot Number of Applicant’s Principal Place of Abode: _____________

Date of Original Application to Municipality: ___________________________

Regular Veterans’ Tax Credit (RSA 72:28)

Date Range of Active Duty From DD214 or other qualifying discharge papers;
(90 days must be within this range) ______________________________________

Was veteran honorably discharged or separated from service? YES ______ NO ______

If applicable, list any qualifying medals earned: ___________________________

For a list of qualifying medals go to: http://www.nh.gov/revenue/munc_prop/documents/vetmedals.doc

For a list of qualifying discharge papers go to:
http://www.nh.gov/revenue/munc_prop/documents/vetservverif.doc

Documentation Reviewed By: ___________________ Application Approved by: ___________________

Service Connected Total and Permanent Disability (RSA 72:35)

The municipality has seen a copy of the letter provided by the United States Department of Veterans’ Affairs certifying that the applicant is rated totally and permanently disabled from service connection and has approved or denied this application accordingly.

Documentation Reviewed By: ___________________ Application Approved by: ___________________

Surviving Spouse of Veteran Who was Killed or Who Died While on Active Duty (RSA 72:29-a) or,
Certain Disabled Veterans (RSA 72:36-a)¹

For 72:29-a: The municipality has seen a copy of the DD214 discharge papers or a copy of the DD Form 1300, Report of Casualty, or other qualifying discharge papers of the veteran’s spouse and has determined that the veteran, in this case, died or was killed while on active duty in the armed forces of the United States of America in the wars, conflicts or armed conflicts, or combat zones set forth in RSA 72:28 and has approved or denied this application accordingly.

For 72:36-a: The municipality has seen a letter from the VA certifying that the veteran did receive assistance from the VA in acquiring his residential real estate.

Documentation Reviewed By: ___________________ Application Approved By: ___________________

¹ Revised September, 2006 
vetqualwkst
INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION FOR VETERANS’ CREDIT WORKSHEET

House Bill 410 effective June 3, 2006 now requires the following change to RSA 72:34. Investigation of Application and Decision by Town Officials; “II. For those exemptions having income or asset limitations, the assessing officials may request true copies of any documents as needed to verify eligibility. Unless otherwise provided for by law, all documents submitted with an application or as requested, as provided for in paragraphs I and II, and any copies shall be considered confidential, handled so as to protect the privacy of the individual, and not used for any purpose other than the specific statutory purposes for which the information was originally obtained. All documents and copies of such documents submitted by the applicant shall be returned to the applicant after a decision is made on the application.”

The change to this law now requiring all documentation and any copies thereof submitted in support of an application for a Tax Exemption or a Tax Credit be returned to the applicant upon decision of the Assessing Officials has required DRA to devise a plan of action regarding our duties pursuant to RSA 21-J:11-a.

There are two primary reasons for this worksheet.

The first reason is to equip Municipalities with an easy to use format that includes all the statutory requirements for qualification for three Veterans’ Tax Credits. Namely: RSA 72:28, The Regular Veterans’ Credit, RSA 72:29-a, Surviving Spouse of Veteran Who was Killed or Who Died While on Active Duty, and RSA 72:35, Service Connected Total and Permanent Disability. This worksheet asks for no personal ID numbers and therefore is not considered a confidential document. Each of the Veterans’ Credits has its own section on the worksheet. Simply fill in each blank of the appropriate section with the pertinent information from the Form DD 214 or other qualifying form from the list. A link to the DRA website is provided on the worksheet. When properly completed, you will have a permanent record of the statutory qualifications of each application for a Veteran’s Tax Credit in your municipality.

The worksheet contains all the statutory requirements. This takes most of the guesswork out of the qualification process. It records the actual period of time the applicant had on active duty to ensure that at least 90 days of active duty service was spent in any qualifying war or armed conflict. It asks for verification that the veteran be honorably discharged from military service. There is a place to record what medals were awarded, if the duration of active duty service fell within a time period in the statute that requires the award of a specific medal. There are also provisions to record whether the application was approved or denied, the date of approval or denial; the person reviewing the application and who ultimately approved the application.

The second reason is that when it comes time for your next Assessment Review you will have a complete history that will be acceptable for compliance for a review of those receiving the Veterans’ Tax Credit.
NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
PERMANENT APPLICATION FOR PROPERTY TAX CREDIT/EXEMPTIONS
DUE DATE APRIL 15TH PRECEDING THE SETTING OF THE TAX RATE
CALL YOUR CITY/TOWN FOR INCOME AND ASSET LIMITS

There is a separate page of instructions (pages 3 & 4) that accompany this form. If you do not receive the instructions, please visit our web site at www.nh.gov/revenue or contact your city/town.

STEP 1
NAME AND ADDRESS

PROPERTY OWNER'S LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

PROPERTY OWNER'S LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

INITIAL

MAILING ADDRESS

CITY/TOWN

STATE

ZIP CODE

CITY/TOWN TAX MAP #

BLOCK #

LOT #

ADDRESS OF PROPERTY

STEP 2
VETERANS' TAX CREDITS/EXEMPTION

1 Veteran's Name

2 Date of Entry into Military Service

3 Date of Discharge/Release from Military Service

4 Veteran

Veterans' Tax Credit

Spouse

Credit for Service Connected Total and Permanent Disability

Surviving Spouse

Credit for Surviving Spouse of Veteran Who Was Killed or Died on Active Duty

Veteran of Allied Country

5 Name of Allied Country Served in

6 Branch of Service

7 US Citizen at time of entry into the Service

8 Alien but Resident of NH at time of entry into the Service

9 Does any other eligible Veteran own interest in this property? No Yes If YES, give name

10 Total Veteran Exemption (a) Veteran

(b) Surviving Spouse of that Veteran

STEP 3
OTHER EXEMPTIONS

11 Elderly Exemption

Applicant's Date of Birth

Spouse's Date of Birth

Must be 65 years of age on or before April 1st of year for which exemption is claimed.

12 Disabled Exemption

Solar Energy Systems Exemption

Blind Exemption

Wood Heating Systems Exemption

Deaf Exemption

Wind-Powered Energy Systems Exemption

STEP 4
IMPROVEMENTS

13 Improvements to Assist Persons with Disabilities

Improvements to Assist the Deaf

STEP 5
RESIDENCY

14 This is my primary residence

NH Resident for one year preceding April 1st in the year in which the tax credit is claimed (Veterans' Credit)

NH Resident for Five Consecutive Years preceding April 1st in the year the exemption is claimed (Disabled & Deaf Exemptions)

NH Resident for Three Consecutive Years preceding April 1st in the year the exemption is claimed (Elderly Exemption)

STEP 6
OWNERSHIP

15 Do you own 100% interest in this residence? Yes No If NO, what percent (%) do you own?

STEP 7
SIGNATURES

Under penalties of perjury, I hereby declare that the above statements are true.

SIGNATURE (IN INK) OF PROPERTY OWNER

DATE

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WHEN TO FILE

Deadline: Form PA-29 must be filed by April 15th preceding the setting of the tax rate. The assessing officials shall send written notice to the taxpayer of their decision by July 1st prior to the date of notice of tax. Failure of the assessing officials to respond shall constitute a denial of the application. Example: If you are applying for an exemption and/or credit off your 2013 property taxes, which are due no earlier than December 1, 2013, then you have until April 15th, 2014 to file this form. The assessing officials have until July 1st, to send notice of their decision. Failure of the assessing officials to respond shall constitute a denial of the application.

A late response or a failure to respond by assessing officials does not extend the appeal period.

Date of filing is when the completed application form is either hand delivered to the city/town, postmarked by the post office, or received by an overnight delivery service.

APPEAL PROCEDURE

If an application for a property tax exemption or tax credit is denied by the town/city, an applicant may appeal in writing on or before September 1st following the date of notice of tax under RSA 72:1-d to the New Hampshire Board of Tax and Land Appeals (BT&LA) or to the Superior Court. Example: If you were denied an exemption from your 2013 property taxes, you have until September 1, 2014, to appeal.

Forms for appealing to the BT&LA may be obtained from the NH BT&LA, 107 Pleasant Street, Concord, NH 03301, their website at www.nh.gov/btla or by calling (603) 271-2578. Be sure to specify EXEMPTION APPEAL.
MUNICIPAL AUTHORIZATION

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A photocopy of this Form (Pages 1 & 2) or a Form PA-35 must be returned to the property owner after approval or denial before July 1st.

The following documentation may be requested at the time of application in accordance with RSA 72:34, II:

- List of assets, value of each asset, net encumbrance and net value of each asset.
- Statement of applicant and spouse's income.
- Federal Income Tax Form.
- State Interest and Dividends Tax Form.
- Property Tax Inventory Form filed in any other town.

* Documents are considered confidential and are returned to the applicant at the time a decision is made on the application.

Municipal Notes

Selectmen/Assessor(s) Printed Name

Signatures(s) of Approval (in ink)

Date

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PA-29
Rev. 3/20/13
**NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION**

**PERMANENT APPLICATION FOR PROPERTY TAX CREDIT/EXEMPTIONS**

**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

**WHERE TO FILE**
File with your city/town of primary residency by April 15th preceding the setting of the tax rate.

**WHO MAY FILE**
Applicant must be qualified as of April 1st of the year the exemption and/or tax credit is claimed. Financial qualifications required for certain exemptions must be met by the time of application. An applicant must have resided in this state for at least one year preceding April 1st, in the year in which the veterans’ tax credit is claimed. An applicant must have resided in this state for at least three years preceding April 1st in the year for which the elderly exemption is claimed and five years in which the deaf or disabled exemption is claimed. The terms owner, own or owned, shall include those persons who hold equitable title or the beneficial interest for life in the property.

**CREDITS**
Tax credits approved will be deducted from their property tax amount.

**EXEMPTIONS**
Tax exemptions approved are deducted from the amount of the property owner’s total assessed value prior to the calculation of tax due.

**ELDERLY EXEMPTIONS**
RSA 72:39-a
RSA 72:33-b
Applicant must have resided in this state for at least 3 consecutive years preceding April 1st in the year which the exemption is claimed. Property must be owned by a resident; or owned by a resident jointly or in common with the resident’s spouse, either of whom meets the age requirement for the exemption claimed; or owned by a resident jointly or in common with a person not the resident’s spouse, if the resident meets the applicable age requirement for the exemption claimed; or owned by a resident, or the resident’s spouse, of whom meets the age requirement for the exemption claimed, and when they have been married for at least 5 years. Property cannot have been transferred to the applicant, from a person under the age of 65, and related to the applicant by blood or marriage, within the preceding five years. Property must meet the definition of residential real estate, per RSA 79:39-a(c), which includes the housing unit, which is the person’s principal home and related structures such as a detached garage or woodshed. It does not include attached dwelling units and unattached structures used or intended for commercial or other non-residential purposes. If fractional interest is owned, see RSA 72:41, Proration.

**ELDERLY, DEAF & DISABLED FINANCIAL QUALIFICATIONS**
RSA 72:39-a
RSA 72:38-b
RSA 72:37-b

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<td>The value of the person’s actual residence and the land upon which it is located up to the greater of 2 acres or the minimum single family residential lot size specified in the local zoning ordinance. The value of any good faith encumbrances.</td>
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**ADA COMPLIANT**
Individuals who need auxiliary aids for effective communications in programs and services of the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration are invited to make their needs and preferences known. Individuals with hearing or speech impairments may call TDD Access: Relay NH 1-800-735-2964.

**LINE-BY-LINE INSTRUCTIONS**

**STEP 1 NAME & ADDRESS**
Type or print the property owner(s) name and address in the spaces provided. Also, enter the Tax Map, Block, Lot numbers and the property (Location) address for which the credit or exemption applies.

**STEP 2 VETERAN’S TAX CREDIT/EXEMPTION**
Line 1 Enter the Name of the Veteran.
Line 2 Enter the date of entry into military service.
Line 3 Enter the date of discharge or release from military service.
Line 4 Check the box or boxes that apply to indicate whether you are a veteran, veteran’s spouse or surviving spouse of a veteran and what type of credit(s) you are applying for.
Line 5 Enter the name of the Allied Country in which you served, if applicable.
Line 6 Enter the Branch of Service that you served in.
Line 7 Check the box if you were a US citizen at the time of entry into the service.
Line 8 Check the box if you were an alien but a resident of NH at the time of entry into the service.
Line 9 Check the box if you were a resident of NH at the time of entry into the service.
Line 10 Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether you are applying for a total veteran’s exemption.

**STEP 3 OTHER EXEMPTIONS**
Line 11 If an elderly exemption is requested, check that box and enter the applicant’s date of birth. And if appropriate, enter the spouse’s date of birth.
Line 12 Check the appropriate box or boxes to indicate the exemption(s) you are applying for.

**STEP 4 IMPROVEMENTS**
Line 13 Check the box if your property has improvements to assist persons with disabilities or to assist the deaf.

**STEP 5 RESIDENCY**
Line 14 Check the box or boxes to indicate that you meet the minimum resident time requirements listed. NOTE: The surviving spouse tax credit under 72:28 III and 72:29-a may be applied on any property in the same municipality where the applicant is a resident.

**STEP 6 OWNERSHIP**
Line 15 Check the box indicating whether or not you own 100% of the property. If no, give the percentage that you do own.

**STEP 7 SIGNATURES**
All property owners must sign in ink. Attach additional pages with owners signatures if there are more than two owners of record.
NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
PERMANENT APPLICATION FOR PROPERTY TAX CREDIT/EXEMPTIONS

Web site for the Veterans' qualifying medals and discharge papers: www.nh.gov/revenue munc_prop/propertyappraisal.htm
then click on either Veterans Medals List or Veterans Qualifying Discharge Papers.

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| STANDARD TAX CREDIT               | $50 ($51-$500 if RSA 72:28-a is adopted) is subtracted from the taxes due on the applicant’s RESIDENTIAL property occupied as veteran’s principle place of abode. For Veteran’s surviving spouse: See RSA 72:28 ii. For Proration: See RSA 72:30. | Every resident in the U.S. who served not less than 90 days in the armed forces in any of the qualifying wars or armed conflicts, as listed in RSA 72:28, and was honorably discharged; or the spouse or surviving spouse of such resident.  
  • Under Honororable Conditions does not qualify. |
| SURVIVING SPOUSE TAX CREDIT RSA 72:29-a | $700 ($701-$2000 if RSA 72:29-b is adopted) is subtracted from the taxes due on the applicant’s residential property.  Whether residential or not. | The surviving spouse of any person who was killed or died while on active duty in the armed forces, as listed in RSA 72:28, so long as the surviving spouse remains single. |
| SERVICE-CONNECTED TOTAL DISABILITY TAX CREDIT RSA 72:35 | $700 ($701-$2000 if RSA 72:35-a is adopted) is subtracted from the property taxes due on the applicant’s residential property. | Any person who:  
  • has been honorably discharged and who has a total and permanent service-connected disability; OR  
  • is a double amputee or paraplegic because of the service-connected injury; OR  
  • is the surviving spouse of above qualified veteran and remains single. |
| EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN DISABLED SERVICE-MEN RSA 72:36-a | "...shall be exempt from all taxation on said homestead..." | Any person, who:  
  • is discharged from the military services of the U.S. under conditions other than dishonorable, or an officer who is honorably separated from military service, AND  
  • is totally and permanently disabled from service connection and satisfactory proof of such service connection is furnished to the assessors; AND  
  • is a double amputee of the upper or lower extremities or any combination thereof, paraplegic, or has blindness of both eyes with visual acuity of 5/200 or less as the result of service connection, AND  
  • owns a specially adapted homestead which has been acquired with the assistance of the Veterans Administration or owns a specially adapted homestead which has been acquired using proceeds from the sale of any previous homestead which was acquired with the assistance of the Veterans Administration. |

**IMPROVEMENTS TO ASSIST PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AND THE DEAF**

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<td>IMPROVEMENTS TO ASSIST PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES RSA 72:37-a and RSA 72:38-b</td>
<td>The value of improvements made for the purpose of assisting a person with a disability or deafness is deducted from the assessed value of the residential real estate.</td>
<td>Any person owning residential real estate upon which he resides and to which he has made improvements for the purpose of assisting a person with a disability or deafness who also resides on such real estate.</td>
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**THE OPTIONAL EXEMPTIONS BELOW MUST BE ADOPTED BY THE MUNICIPALITY BEFORE ANYONE MAY APPLY**

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<td>Amount of the exemption, and the level of income and assets (excluding the value of the property owner’s residence) are determined by vote of the city/town, per RSA 72:37-c.</td>
<td>Any person eligible under the Federal Social Security Act for benefits to the disabled, and who has been a New Hampshire resident at least 5 years by April 1st of the year the exemption is claimed.</td>
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<td>BLIND EXEMPTION RSA 72:37</td>
<td>$15,000 (unless the city/town votes an increase) is subtracted from the assessed valuation.</td>
<td>Every inhabitant owning residential real estate, who is legally blind, as determined by the administrator of blind services of the vocational rehabilitation division of the education department.</td>
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<td>DEAF EXEMPTION RSA 72:38-b</td>
<td>$15,000 (unless the city/town votes an increase) is subtracted from the assessed valuation.</td>
<td>NH Residents who are deaf or severely hearing impaired and have been a NH resident for more than 5 consecutive years and meet the income and asset requirements.</td>
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<td>SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS RSA 72:61</td>
<td>Determined by vote of the city/town, per RSA 72:83.</td>
<td>Any person owning real property equipped with a solar energy heating or cooling system, as defined in RSA 72:61.</td>
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<td>WOODHEATING ENERGY SYSTEMS RSA 72:69</td>
<td>Determined by vote of the city/town, per RSA 72:71.</td>
<td>Any person owning real property equipped with a woodheating energy system, as defined by RSA 72:69.</td>
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<td>WIND-POWERED ENERGY SYSTEMS RSA 72:65</td>
<td>Determined by vote of the city/town, per RSA 72:67.</td>
<td>Any person owning real property equipped with a wind-powered energy system, as defined by RSA 72:65.</td>
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NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION
For Property Tax Credit or Exemption Under RSA 72:33, V
(to be submitted with Form PA-29)

USE THIS FORM ONLY IF YOUR PROPERTY IS HELD IN A TRUST OR AS A LIFE ESTATE

WHO
To be completed by property owners wishing to establish their status as holding equitable title/the beneficial interest owner of a trust, or holding a life estate in a property.

WHY
Chapter 102, Laws of 1994 has made it possible for a property owner to put their property into a trust or life estate and still be eligible for the property tax credit or exemption for which they were qualified.

WHEN
This completed form shall be submitted with the Permanent Application Form PA-29 (RSA 72:33) for property tax credit or exemption, to the local assessing officials of the City/Town in which such application is filed. The completed Form PA-33 becomes a permanent document and does not need to be refilled unless the status of the trust or life estate is changed or altered.

LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | INITIAL |
---|---|---|
MAILING ADDRESS
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CITY/TOWN | STATE | ZIP CODE |
LOCATION OF PROPERTY: | ADDRESS | CITY/TOWN |

I am eligible for a property tax credit or exemption against the property for which a Permanent Application Form PA-29, has been made, and do qualify as the owner of the property under 72:29, VI based upon the following: (check one)

☐ Equitable title holder, life interest or beneficial interest owner of a trust
   If this statement is checked, you must supply a copy of:
   (a) a Trust Instrument as defined in RSA 564-B:1-103 (20) OR
   (b) a Certification of Trust prepared in accordance with RSA 564-B:10.
   Name of Trust: ____________________________________________________________

☐ Life estate owner
   If this statement is checked, you must supply a copy of the deed showing the assigned ownership of the life estate.
   All documents submitted shall be handled to protect the privacy of the applicant.

Explanation or additional details: ____________________________________________

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this document and to the best of my belief the information herein is true, correct and complete.

X SIGNATURE (IN INK) | DATE |
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PRINT NAME | TELEPHONE NUMBER |
Forms and Documents Verifying
a Veteran's Active Military Service
List provided by NH Office of Veterans Services

- DD Form 214 from any branch of the armed forces;
- DD Form 215 from any branch of the armed forces;
- DD Form 217 from any branch of the armed forces;
- DD Form 2 (Retired)
- WD AGO Form 53-55 from the United States Army;
- WD AGO Form 53-98 from the United States Army;
- WD AGO Form 755 from the United States Army;
- NAVPERS Form 553 from the United States Navy;
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- NAVPERS Form 660 from the United States Navy;
- NAVPERS Form 661 from the United States Navy;
- NAVMC Form 70-PD from the United States Marine Corps;
- NAVMC Form 78-PD from the United States Marine Corps;
- NAVCG Form 2510 from the United States Coast Guard;
- NGB Form 22 from the National Guard
- GSA Form 6954 from the National Archives;
- NA Form 13038 from the National Archives;
- NA Form 13041 from the National Archives;
- Verification of Service letter from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs;
- Summary of Military Service Record from the New Hampshire Korean War Bonus application;
- Notarized statement of service letter signed by the individual’s commanding officer or administrative officer.
- Completed DD Form 4/2 from the National Guard (See note below)
- Completed DD Form 1300
- Other documents approved by the director, State Office of Veteran’s Services.

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Current as of: August 1, 2013
Note: Form DD Form 4/2 is a reenlistment form used by all branches of the service. It is actually a three part form – 4/1, 4/2 and 4/3. It may or may not show character of discharge

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For a document to be acceptable in verifying a veteran's active military service, it must show (in addition to sufficient identification data) at least three key pieces of information:

- a date of entry into active duty;
- a date of separation or release from active duty, and
- the character of the discharge (proof of honorable discharge or separation).
Qualifying Awards for the Veterans’ Tax Credit
For Wars or Conflicts after May 8, 1975
List provided by NH Office Of Veterans Services

Any of the following medals shall be considered a “theater of operations service medal” for the purposes of qualifying a veteran for the Veterans’ Tax Credit in RSA 72:28. Typically, the medal will appear on the discharge papers (such as the DD214), except for those who earned the medal, but were discharged prior to the award. There must be documentation to qualify.

- Afghanistan Campaign Medal
- Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal
- Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
- Iraq Campaign Medal
- Kosovo Campaign Medal
- Kuwait Liberation Medal
- Marine Corps Expeditionary Medal
- Navy Expeditionary Medal
- Southwest Asia Service Medal

In addition, in the absence of evidence to the contrary, the award of the following decorations shall also be considered evidence of a veteran’s combat service and qualification for the Veterans’ Tax Credit:
Reference: “V” Device; “V” stands for Valor, and it is awarded to denote combat service.

If so specified, the medal must have the “V” Device to be valid.

- Air Force Cross
- Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with “V” Device
- Air Medal with “V” Device
- Army Commendation Medal with “V” Device
- Bronze Star Medal with “V” Device
- Combat Action Ribbon
- Combat Infantryman Badge
- Combat Medical Badge
- Combat Aircrew Insignia
- Distinguished Flying Cross
- Distinguished Service Cross
- Joint Service Commendation Medal with “V” Device
- Medal of Honor
- Navy Commendation Medal with “V” Device
- Navy Cross
- Purple Heart
- Silver Star

Current as of: June 25, 2010
Website [http://www.nh.gov/revenue/mune_prop/vetex_cr.htm](http://www.nh.gov/revenue/mune_prop/vetex_cr.htm) references this list and the Veterans Qualifying Discharge Papers list.
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Revised August 1, 2013 to reflect additions in RSA 21:50, I (b) *(Effective 7/24/2013)*

Search for this list and the qualifying medals list at:

[http://www.revenue.nh.gov/munc_prop/exemptions-tax-credits/vetex_cr.htm](http://www.revenue.nh.gov/munc_prop/exemptions-tax-credits/vetex_cr.htm)
TITLE V
TAXATION

CHAPTER 72
PERSONS AND PROPERTY LIABLE TO TAXATION

Property Taxes

Section 72:28

72:28 Standard and Optional Veterans' Tax Credit. –
I. The standard veterans' tax credit shall be $50.
II. The optional veterans' tax credit, upon adoption by a city or town pursuant to RSA 72:27-a, shall be an amount from $5 to $500. The optional veterans' tax credit shall replace the standard veterans' tax credit in its entirety and shall not be in addition thereto.
III. Either the standard veterans' tax credit or the optional veterans' tax credit shall be subtracted each year from the property tax on the veteran's residential property. However, the surviving spouse of a resident who suffered a service-connected death may have the amount subtracted from the property tax on any real property in the same municipality where the surviving spouse is a resident.
IV. The following persons shall qualify for the standard veterans' tax credit or the optional veterans' tax credit:
(a) Every resident of this state who served not less than 90 days on active service in the armed forces of the United States in any qualifying war or armed conflict listed in this section and was honorably discharged or an officer honorably separated from service; or the spouse or surviving spouse of such resident, provided that Title 10 training for active duty by a member of a national guard or reserve shall be included as service under this subparagraph;
(b) Every resident of this state who was terminated from the armed forces because of service-connected disability; or the surviving spouse of such resident; and
(c) The surviving spouse of any resident who suffered a service-connected death.
V. Service in a qualifying war or armed conflict shall be as follows:
(a) "World War I" between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918, extended to April 1, 1920 for service in Russia; provided that military or naval service on or after November 12, 1918 and before July 2, 1921, where there was prior service between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918 shall be considered as World War I service;
(b) "World War II" between December 7, 1941 and December 31, 1946;
(c) "Korean Conflict" between June 25, 1950 and January 31, 1955;
(d) "Vietnam Conflict" between December 22, 1961 and May 7, 1975;
(e) "Vietnam Conflict" between July 1, 1958 and December 22, 1961, if the resident earned the Vietnam service medal or the armed forces expeditionary medal;
(f) "Persian Gulf War" between August 2, 1990 and the date thereafter prescribed by Presidential proclamation or by law; and
(g) Any other war or armed conflict that has occurred since May 8, 1975, and in which the resident earned an armed forces expeditionary medal or theater of operations service medal.