

## Assessor-Veteran's Exemption

### Alternative Veteran's Exemption

Applications taken from November 1st to March 1st

Exemption is limited to wartime veterans

Property **MUST** be primary residence of owner

Eligible Veterans:	Wartime Dates	Qualifying Medals for Combat
World War II	12-07-41 to 12-31-46	European-African-Middle-Eastern Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon
Korean Era	06-27-50 to 01-31-55	Korean Service Ribbon
Vietnam Era	12-22-61 to 05-07-75	Vietnam Service Ribbon
Persian Gulf War	08-02-90 to 12/31/02	Southwest Asia Service Medal
Operation Iraqi Freedom	1-1-03 to present	Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
Cold War qualifying period 09/02/45 thru 12/26/91		
Entitled up to a maximum exemption of \$4,000 for Cold War and \$20,000 for Cold War Disability		
Applicable for County Taxes only		
No limit on Disability, $\frac{1}{2}$ Rating		
Veterans who received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal are eligible for a 25% exemption.		

### Merchant Marine Qualifications – 12-7-41 thru 8-15-45

**Proof required:** Atlantic, Pacific or Mediterranean War Zone or Foreign Voyage Card

#### Amount of Exemption Allowed:

- Wartime Veteran – 15%
- Combat Zone – Additional 10%
- Service Connected Disability – Half of VA Rating

#### The Following Must Be Submitted When Applying:

- Discharge Papers (DD214) or Separation from Active Duty
- Proof of Combat Duty
- Proof of Primary Residence
- Proof of Disability Rating – current dated letter of rating