

**VETERAN'S ACTION COALITION
OF SOUTHWEST LOUISIANA**

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To All Concerned:

In January 2010, veterans from Lafayette and surrounding parishes formed a Veteran's Action Coalition because of the dire need for a Veteran's Super Outpatient Clinic in Lafayette to serve all veterans in Southwest Louisiana.

Collectively, the Veteran's Action Coalition would like the Veteran's Administration to seriously consider acquiring a facility. Such an acquisition would (1) greatly enhance the level of treatment available; (2) improve the quality of care, and; (3) provide a modern, spacious, medical facility that will meet the needs of our veterans.

Currently, veterans must travel to Veteran's Affairs Medical Centers in Pineville and Shreveport, Louisiana or in Houston, Texas for treatment. Many veterans in Southwest Louisiana simply cannot be expected to continue to make such physically demanding journeys to receive treatment.

We are soliciting support from veterans and their families, from veteran's organizations and, from citizens living in each of the communities in Southwest Louisiana, as well as the support of all elected officials (City, Parish, State, and Federal). The Veteran's Action Coalition is fortunate to have the support of the Louisiana Department of Veteran's Affairs.

Our goal is simple...success acquiring a Veteran's Super Outpatient Clinic capable of meeting the needs of over 60,000 military veterans in Southwest Louisiana.

Thank you for supporting Louisiana's, deserving, veterans!

Please print and sign your name below:

Print Your Name

Sign Your Name