



The Maryland State Bar Association's Young Lawyers Section, as an affiliate of the Wills for Heroes Foundation, and in cooperation with the Maryland Chapter of the Federal Bar Association, is proud to sponsor the Wills for Heroes program. Wills for Heroes is a *free* and easy service that provides Wills, Health Care and Financial Powers of Attorney to first responders and their spouses, and in this instance, veterans. The Federal Bar Association began its own Wills for Veterans initiative to assist veterans in 2017, and the Maryland Chapter of the FBA now partners with Wills for Heroes to bring you this new event. While nobody likes to think about an untimely death, it is best that you express your wishes through a written document. For your family's peace of mind, please consider this invaluable opportunity, offered completely free to you and your spouse/domestic partner. Undoubtedly, your loved ones' grief will be overwhelming; a clear expression of your intent, desires, and wishes may help ease some of this inevitable burden.

On Saturday, November 17, 2018, lawyers will be at the American Legion, 6900 Greenbelt Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770, conducting the Wills for Heroes program for veterans and their spouses/domestic partners. Volunteer lawyers will be available for appointments starting at 10:30 am and ending at 3:30 pm. Each appointment will last approximately one (1) hour and at the conclusion, you will have notarized legal documents to take home with you.

To make an appointment, you will need the following information:

- Full Name
- Name of Spouse (although spouses may meet with the attorney together, a "separate" <u>consecutive</u> appointment block is required for each individual to make sure enough time is allocated for the attorney to prepare documents for both individuals)
- E-mail address and Phone number
- Preferred Time (10:30 am, 11:30 pm, 12:30 pm, 1:30 pm or 2:30 pm)

TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT:

Please call Ashley Palmere at 410-580-4167

Those registering must complete an estate-planning questionnaire to help them think through and discuss several important decisions with their loved ones. During the appointment, you will meet with an attorney to review the questionnaire and draw up your will and related documents. You and your spouse/domestic partner may meet together with the attorneys, but you will each need your own copy of the questionnaire. A link to the questionnaire will be emailed to you when you call to register.

YOU MUST BE A MARYLAND RESIDENT TO PARTICIPATE AT THIS TIME.