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BULLETIN THE NEWSLETTER OF VETERANS UNITED FOR TRUTH, INC.

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“VETERANS STANDING UP FOR EACH OTHER”

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## Friends of VUFT: —

It's that time – we need to ask you for some financial help.

We haven't asked you much before this for several reasons:

1. We don't pay any salaries or hire experts.
2. We have extraordinary *pro bono* legal help for our class-action lawsuit.
3. Most of you are having as hard a time as we are.
4. Everyone else is asking you and we know that you must be swamped with requests.

### **and most of all**

5. We aren't professionals at this fundraising thing and we always hesitate to ask

We have small but very real expenses in keeping all of this going. As many of you know, the board has borne most of the burden of the costs of keeping this lawsuit alive, keeping pressure on legislators, and keeping you in touch with the many events affecting veterans. Now the barrel has just about emptied out.

We have received a few small grants, but our veterans' cause doesn't seem to resonate with corporate and foundation donors the way so many others do. Veterans just can't seem to hold a candle in most donor's view to other worthy causes like children, animals, the arts, and the environment.

Many of you have been generous in the past and we ask you to remember why you donated in the first place, and why you retain your interest in finding legal remedies for the shameful treatment that many veterans are getting from the military services and the DVA. Perhaps if you can reignite your original interest you can find your way clear to give us a hand.

We promise to keep the faith with the goal—yours and ours—of improving access by veterans to those services and benefits that are already authorized in law and regulation, but for which they are often denied access through indifference, and sometimes just plain incompetence. We also promise not to waste your gift on salaries or outlandish expenses.

**You can donate [HERE](#) or by mail at our address below.**

Thank you sincerely for considering Veterans United For Truth in your charitable giving plans.

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