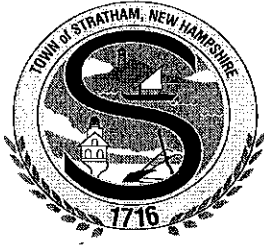


APPLICATION FOR VETERANS MEMORIAL GARDEN



Stratham's first war memorial honoring "her sons and daughters who served their country" in the Civil War and World War I was dedicated at Stratham Hill Park in 1920. In 2001 that monument was incorporated in the Veterans Memorial Garden with bricks honoring Stratham Veterans and five granite obelisks engraved with the names of those who left their homes in Stratham to serve during the Revolutionary War, World War II, the Korean Conflict, the Vietnam Conflict, and the Persian Gulf War or other war or conflict per NH RSA 72:28

Before completing your application please review the policy statement on the back of this form.

NOTE: Applicants must have been honorably separated from service.

**Please provide a legible copy of the Veteran's DD 214
or
discharge papers with the Social Security number concealed**

Veteran's Personal Data

Military Service Data

Please Print:

Name:

First

Middle

Last

Current residential address:

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Preferred method of contact: _____

Home of Record at Time of Entry:

Date(s) Stratham Resident:

to _____

Branch of Service: _____

Rank upon Discharge: _____

Date(s) of Service: _____
From To

Wartime/Conflict:

If you are filling out this form for a Veteran who is no longer living, please print

Your name:

Your address:

Your phone number: _____

Your email: _____

Policy for Engraving Names on Monuments and Bricks Stratham Veterans' Memorial Garden

Revised and adopted by
The Select Board on October 28, 2019

Eligible branches of service are the United States Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Coast Guard, National Guard or Military Reserves, and Merchant Marine under USC 38 101 (if ordered to serve at time of war or conflict). Nominees who served in those branches shall be honored as specified below.

1. Nominees for engraving on the monuments or bricks may be living or deceased.
2. All nominees must be present or past residents of Stratham.
3. All nominees or their sponsors must present proof of honorable discharge from service.
4. Dates of war or conflict are as determined by *NH RSA 72:28*.
5. No distinction is made as to location of service during time of war or conflict.

I. Monuments:

1. Honorees whose names are engraved on monuments must meet all of the following conditions:

- a. Served in one of the above listed Services.
- b. Stratham was home of record upon entry and served during time of war or conflict.
- c. Served during time of war or conflict as defined by *NH RSA 72:28*.

II. Bricks:

1. Honorees whose names are engraved on bricks must meet one of the following conditions:

- a. Home of record at time of service in one of the above listed Services was Stratham but service was not during time of war or conflict.
- b. Home of record at time of service in one of the above listed Services was other than Stratham.

III. Amendments and Appeals

Any amendments to this policy shall be established by the Select Board after consultation with the Heritage Commission.

- d. Any appeals for relief from or exception to this policy shall be decided, on a case by case basis, by the Select Board. Served during time of war or conflict as defined by *NH RSA 72:28*.

Please return completed form to: Stratham Heritage Commission, 10 Bunker Hill Ave., Stratham, NH 03885