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Larry Sharp, President
Veterans Appreciation Program
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Dear Mr. Sharp:

I want to thank you for your recent contact to our office. It was a pleasure meeting with you and I certainly appreciate your efforts to accomplish the mission of Veterans Appreciation Program.

Reaching out to local businesses for special discounts for our veterans is an incredible value to our veterans, many of whom find themselves on fixed income or are disabled. More importantly, it extends gratitude to our veterans for their service to this country.

For me personally, the very freedoms that we have in this country are credited to all of the men and women who have served in our military, many of whom have given the ultimate sacrifice. These self-less men and women deserve our deepest gratitude and respect.

We are grateful for your personal service, past and present. The efforts you give for the Veterans Appreciate Program is yet another example of self-less character.

If we can ever be assistance to you or this program, please don't hesitate to give us a call.

With kindest regards,

Ed Mitchell
Blount County Mayor

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