



## **HEADQUARTERS IOWA NATIONAL GUARD**

### **Office of the Adjutant General**

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Iowa National Guard Alumni,

It is my pleasure to invite you to our 39th annual Iowa National Guard Alumni Day. This year's event will take place on Saturday, August 1, 2026. This special day is intended to provide you with an opportunity to continue lifelong friendships you established while honorably serving your State and Nation and enjoy fellowship with others who have served. This day will also provide an opportunity for us to update you on the Iowa National Guard's current operations and initiatives, as well as other information we believe you will find useful.

The location for this year's activities is again at the Freedom Center, Building S70, on Camp Dodge. There will be information booths and vendors set up throughout the facility. Formal briefings will cover AARP services, TRICARE benefits (dental and vision), IA Veterans Administration, and MFH. We will provide additional updates on retirement benefits and survivor assistance. For specific details, please refer to the enclosed schedule of events.

Additionally, our ID card facility, located in the former credit union, Building B75, will be open Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. to issue ID cards. If you are unable to make it to the facility on Friday, you can still get your ID card at Building B75 from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Saturday.

The doors will open for registration at 7:00 a.m. in the front entrance of the Freedom Center. Please do not arrive any earlier than 7:00 a.m. as the staff will not be ready to receive you. If you are planning to attend Alumni Day, we ask that you visit the website to register online no later than July 12, 2026.

I truly hope you can attend and provide us with the opportunity to honor you as a valued member of our Iowa National Guard Alumni on this special day. You are a cherished contributor to our Iowa National Guard heritage, and forever an important member of our Iowa National Guard family.

Stephen E. Osborn  
Major General, Iowa National Guard  
The Adjutant General