

# Tampa Chapter Visit

Tampa, FL

June 11, 2026



# Program Updates

- MOAA Healthcare Professionals Chapter (VC08)
- Near Real Time Report (NRT) is returned to service
- Community Sponsorship Grant budget expended for 2026
- Victoria Twyne departed MOAA
- MOAA National Board Slate Class of 2032
  - Colonel Steve Bond, USA (Ret)

# Program Updates

- ZIP Codes provided to all Councils and Independent Chapters for adjustment/verification
- LOE and Communications Award judges feedback provided to all council and chapter nominators.
- Annual survey of councils and chapters coming soon
  - Verify leadership
  - Major programs and initiatives
  - CM and NRT utilization
  - Prospective members gained

# Congratulations!

- **2025 Harris Communications 5-Star Award (Newsletter)**
  - “Excellent design and mix of stories. Newsletter really showcases chapter activities and members while also providing helpful, informative stories and resources.”
- **2025 Harris Communications 5-Star Award (Website)**
  - “Excellent website -- navigation, design, content are all top-notch!”

# Redesigned C&C Web Page

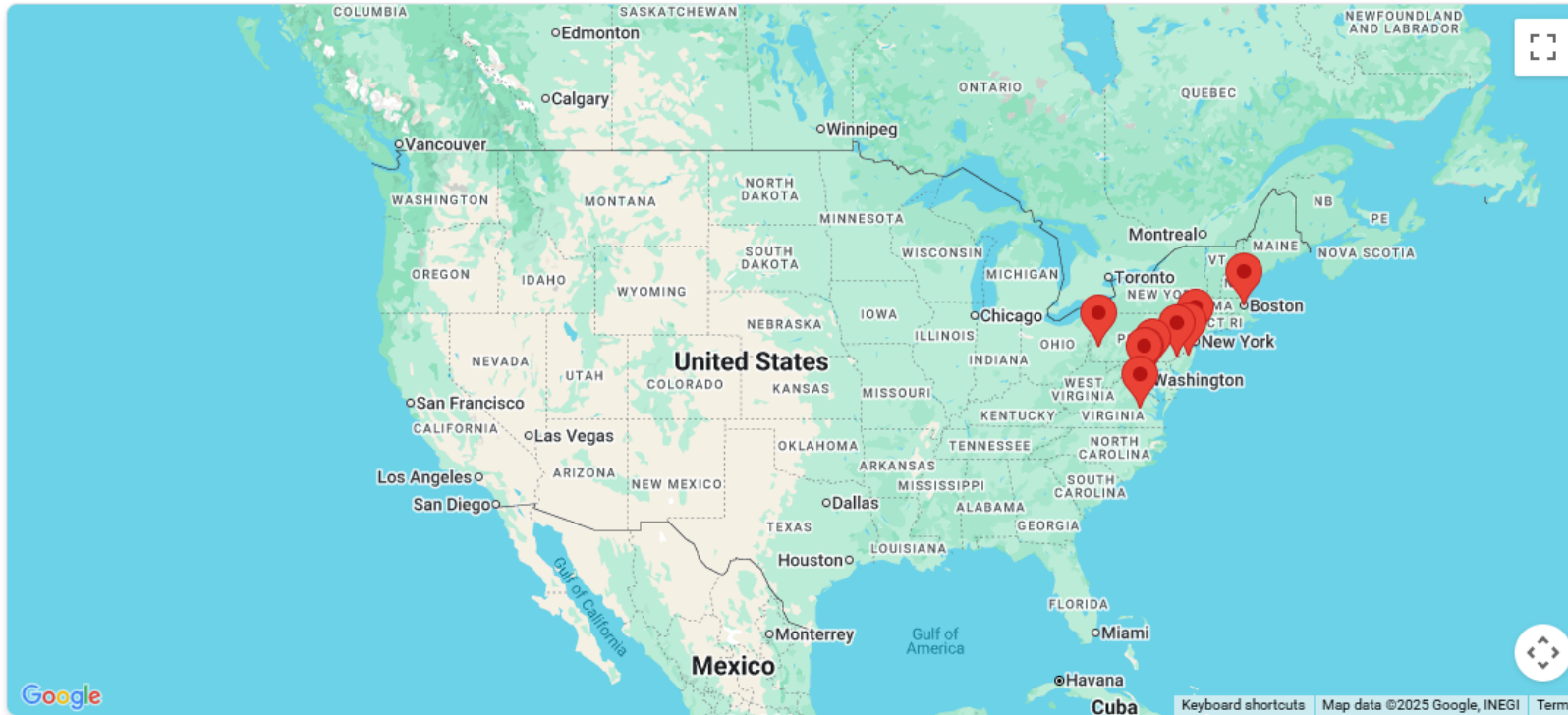
- Redesigned Council and Chapter Webpage
  - New Chapter Locator searchable by distance
  - Discontinues “Web Presence” and replace with council/chapter link to your webpage
  - Leaders should consider generic vice personal email addresses and P.O. Boxes vice personal home addresses
  - In testing with several affiliates until June 19<sup>th</sup>

# New Chapter Locator Design

Enter your address, city, or zip code

25 Miles

Search Chapters



## New York Chapter (NY)

Meeting every Tuesday at 7 PM in Manhattan.

[Get Directions](#)

[Contact Chapter](#)

## Philadelphia Chapter (PA)

Monthly book discussion near City Hall.

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## Washington D.C. Chapter (DC)

Quarterly leadership retreat in Georgetown.

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# 2026 Leader Training Workshops



**Leadership Seminar**  
Orlando, FL  
January 29-31  
FL, Other C&C by  
invitation

**Virtual W/S**  
New Leaders  
March 4  
(10:30-4:30 EST)

**West W/S**  
San Diego  
May 28-29  
AK, AZ, CA, HI, ID, MT,  
NV, OR, UT, WA, WY

**Virtual W/S**  
Experienced Leaders  
August 12  
(10:30-4:30 EDT)

**South W/S**  
Chattanooga, TN  
November 16-17  
AL, FL, GA, KY, MS,  
NC, SC, TN

# 2026 Roundtable Schedule

January 22 Privacy Policy Implementation Update	February 26 Committee Module/NRT	March 26 Advocacy in Action Logistics	April 23 Chapter Dues Pay Portal
May 14* Chapter Visit and Awards Programs	June 25 General Counsel Issues	July 23 Recruiting and Retention	August 27 MOAA Virtual Chapters
September 24 Council and Chapter Mentorship	Oct 22 MOAA Foundation	November 19* MOAA Annual Awards	December 17* Year in Review/2027 Outlook

7:00 pm ET

\*Adjusted from 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday to Avoid Conflict



# State of Councils and Chapters

- **Current numbers:**
  - 31 councils
  - 299 geographic chapters
  - 8 virtual chapters
  - 9 satellite chapters
  - 30,500 chapter members
  - 27 chapters “at-risk”
- **Why are we losing chapters?**
  - Lack of leadership
  - Stagnant or declining membership
  - Aging demographic

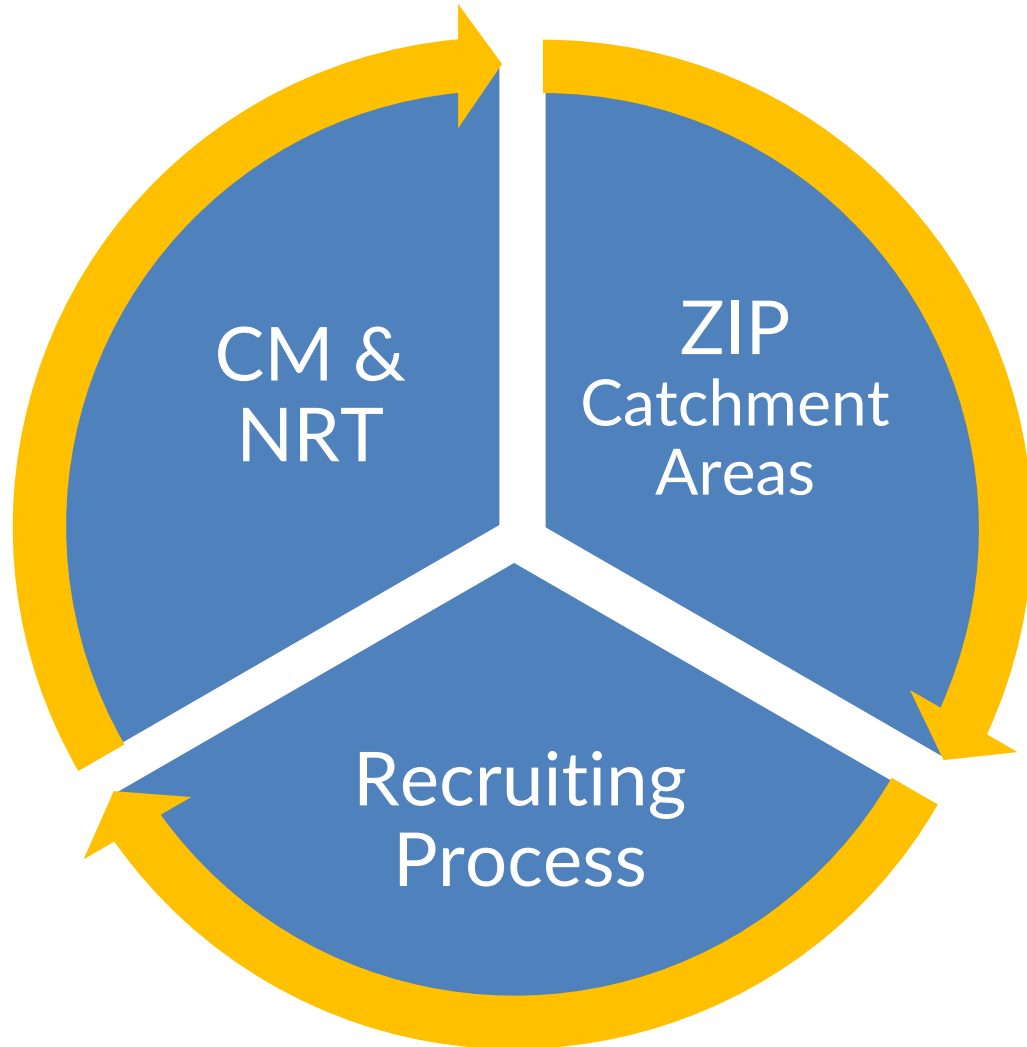
# Virtual Chapters

- Military Nurses
- Surviving Spouses
- Chaplains
- Military Lawyers
- Public Health Services (PHS) Officers
- Spouses and Family
- Public Affairs and Communication Professional
- Healthcare Professionals

# Prospective Member Data Update

- Final release of data is complete
  - 225,000 prospectives names provided to 331 affiliates
- Tampa Chapter has **2,046** prospective members
- Recruitment letters available on ACC webpage
- Sharing lessons learned and best practices
- Very effective council and chapter initiatives underway
- Contact us if not in receipt of prospective member names

# Optimizing Membership Growth



- **Recruiting Process**
  - Planning
  - Execution
  - Lessons Learned
- **Committee Module / NRT**
  - Commitment
  - Training / Proficiency
  - Upkeep
- **ZIP Code Catchment Areas**
  - Council / ICP Presidents
  - Baseline
  - Maintenance

## Featured Advocacy Campaigns

**Pass the Major Richard Star Act**

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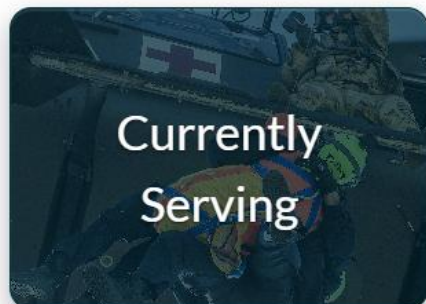
**Improve TRICARE Access for Families**

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**Support Military Spouse Employment**

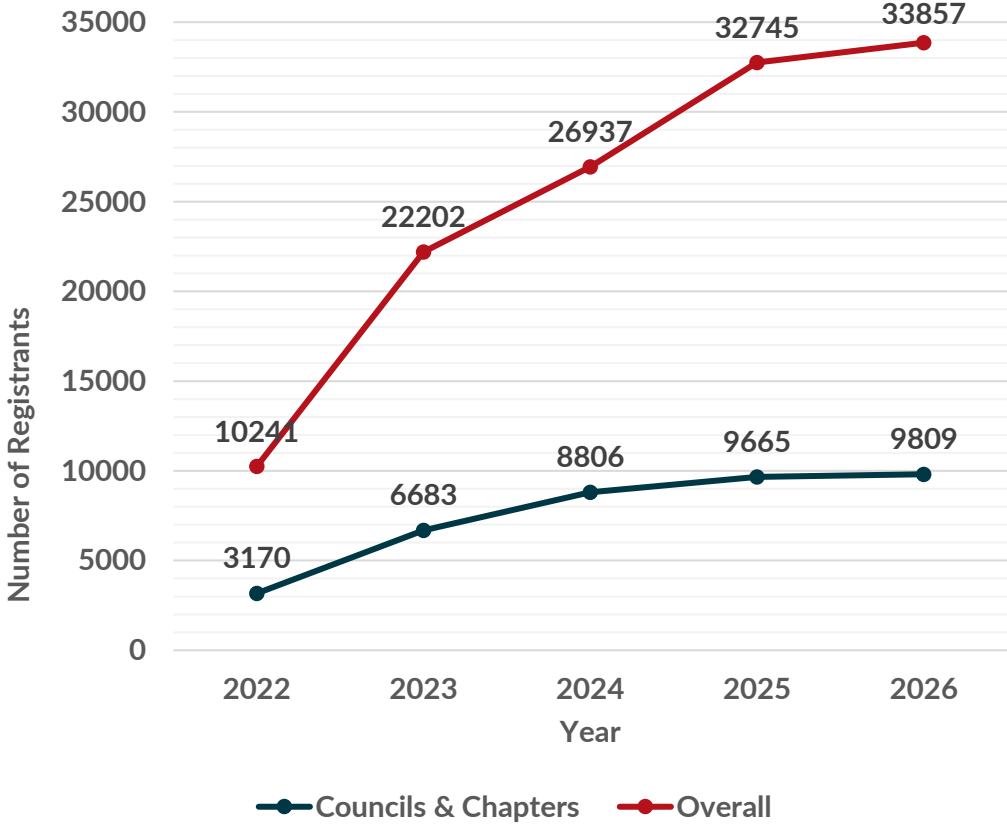
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## MOAA's Advocacy By Issue Area

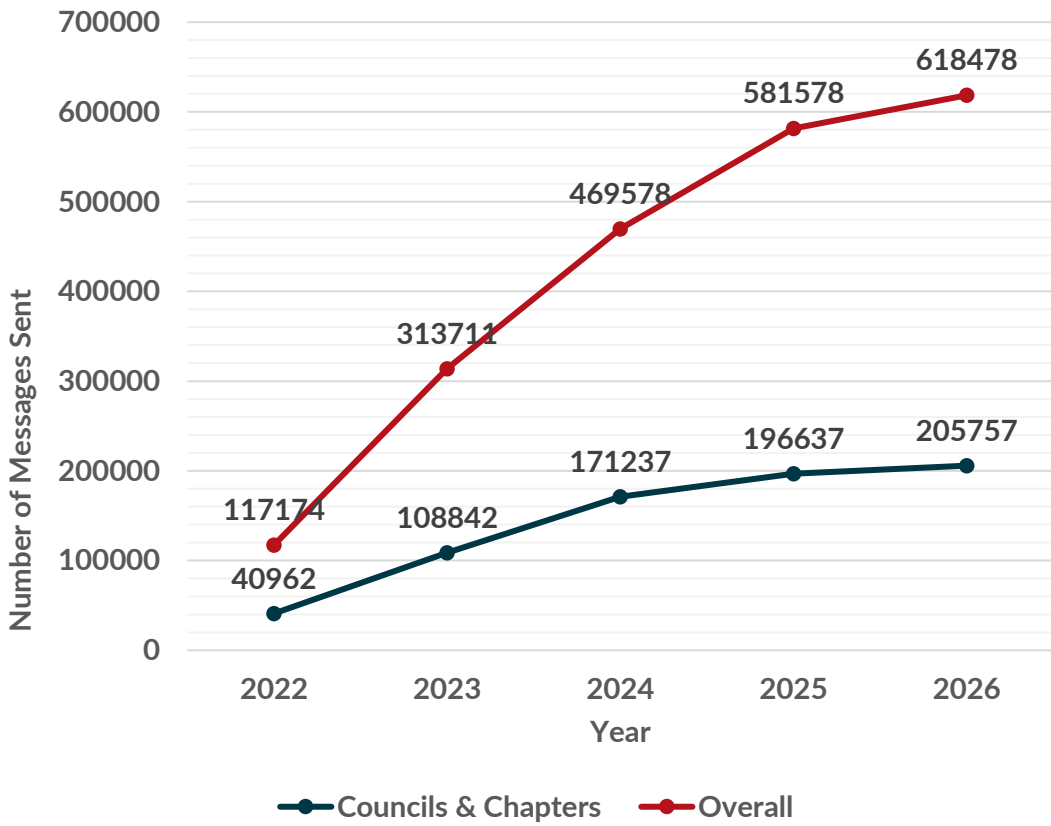


# Legislative Action Center: Chapter Involvement

Number of Registrants



Number of Actions



Cumulative as of 30 March 2026

# Legislative Action Center Data Overview: Ohio

As of July 11, 2025:

- Total Registered Advocates: 626 (219/35% from C&C Members)
- Total Actions Taken: 769 (293/38% from C&C Members)



Chapter Name	No. of Registrants	No. Of Actions Taken
OH00: Ohio Council of Chapters	13	25
OH02: MOAA Central Ohio Chapter	46	53
OH03: Greater Cincinnati Chapter	46	64
OH04: Greater Cleveland Chapter	23	25
OH05: Dayton Area Chapter	47	17
OH08: Ohio Western Reserve Chapter	29	93
OH10: Mahoning and Shenango Valleys Chapter	15	16

# 2026 LOE Award Criteria

- “Extra Credit” Available
  - 10 bonus points for 10% growth or sustaining 100% in Council/Chapter LAC registration
  - 5 bonus points for councils and chapters within visit periodicity

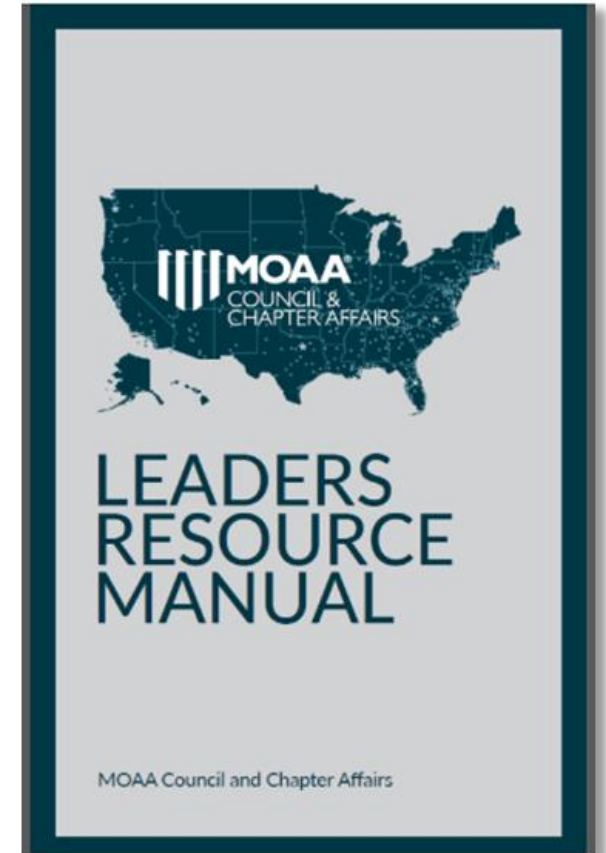


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# Tools for Leaders

- New Leader's Checklist
- MOAA Council & Chapter Leaders Resource Manual
- Council and Chapter Policies and Procedures Guide
- Recruitment Guide
- MOAA website
- Videos, publications – Surviving Spouses
- Monthly Leaders Roundtables
- Leaders Workshops
- All Presidents messages



# MOAA Foundation Crisis Relief Program

- Up to \$1,000 for immediate needs
- Apply within 90 days of crisis event
- Open to all services, all ranks
- Open to currently serving, veterans, spouses, and military and veteran caregivers



# WHY JOIN?



As champions of the uniformed services community, MOAA is dedicated to protecting your hard-earned benefits while providing the resources, programs, content, and other support to make an active, impactful difference in your life and the lives of your family.

Our identity is defined by getting results on Capitol Hill, and we invite all officers and surviving spouses to join us in this critical fight. By becoming a dues-paying MOAA member, you will help fuel our ongoing advocacy efforts on your behalf.

For state and local issues, MOAA chapters lead the way. Find camaraderie with a purpose by joining your local chapter. Scan the QR code for more information or reach out to your local chapter.



## A LEGACY OF ADVOCACY SUCCESS

Worked to establish TRICARE For Life in 2001 and to defeat multiple enrollment fee proposals since

Championed a historic pay raise for junior enlisted servicemembers in 2024

Celebrated passage of the Dole Act to provide needed support to veterans and caregivers in 2024

Other legislative wins we have played a critical role in accomplishing over the years — further demonstrating why MOAA has been named a Top Lobbyist by *The Hill* 18 years in a row:

- Modernized the GI bill for the 21st century
- Expanded benefits for veterans harmed by burn pits through the PACT Act
- Repealed the SBP-DIC Offset ('Widows' Tax')
- Enhanced protections for families residing in military housing
- Secured back pay for federal recognition of promotions
- Defeated the 'COLA minus 1 Percent' reduction in retired pay
- Halted military treatment facility downsizing
- Boosted compensation significantly for retirees with 50% VA disability or greater

## STAY INFORMED ON LEGISLATIVE ISSUES AND MORE

### Legislative Action Center

Our Legislative Action Center empowers you to engage with your lawmakers on issues impacting the uniformed services and veteran communities. Learn more at [moaa.quorum.us](http://moaa.quorum.us).

### MOAA Newsletter & Military Officer Magazine

MOAA offers a weekly e-newsletter with updates on legislation, benefits, finance, and more, plus a monthly magazine featuring in-depth coverage of military life and policy issues.

### CONTACT YOUR LOCAL CHAPTER:

CHAPTER NAME

CHAPTER LEAD

CHAPTER WEBSITE

CHAPTER LEAD CONTACT

