



U.S. Department of Transportation
Office of the Secretary of Transportation



At DOT, We Support Our Veterans!
***“Bridging Gaps from Civilian Life Transitions
to Endless Opportunities”***

DOT Veteran’s Council

Who We Are

- ♦ The DOT Veteran’s Council (DVC) is comprised of veterans who share similar interests in promoting diversity and inclusion, collaboration, and community outreach services for veterans.
- ♦ The DVC works in partnership with the Department to advocate for increased education and awareness, retention strategies, and ladders of opportunities for all veterans (including women).

Mission

- ♦ Embrace ethnicities, beliefs, ideas, and learning methodologies, while promoting individual attributes
- ♦ Identify, integrate, and support community outreach services, and employee engagement
- ♦ Recognize “unique” talents/technical backgrounds needed to support DOT’s mission
- ♦ Pursue organizational objectives efficiently and effectively to meet mission-critical demands

Top Priorities

- ♦ Support DOT’s 50TH Anniversary Celebration Honoring Veterans – A National Day of Service
- ♦ Advocate for retention strategies and ladders of opportunities for veterans
- ♦ Establish networks and information gateways for sharing information, activities, and community events
- ♦ Build and expand internal/external partnerships for the planning of activities and special observances
- ♦ Establish measurable metrics for identify hiring and retention strategies for veterans

Open Forum Meetings

Come Join Us! The DVC general meetings are to be held on a quarterly basis. More frequent meetings may be held to plan and execute special events/activities/agency initiatives.

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For more information, visit: <https://www.transportation.gov/careers/veteran-opportunities>.

Send questions, inquiries, and your interest in being a part of the Veteran’s Council to: dotveteranscouncil@dot.gov.