

Why were we formed?

In 2008, the need to provide financial and service support for the local Fort Meade community was identified. A group of business leaders from the West County Chamber developed the concept of the Military Affairs Committee based on similar organizations around the country. Initially programs were funded on an as-needed basis, but in 2010 the decision was made to establish a sustained source of funding for MAC events. Your contribution to the Central Maryland Chamber Military Affairs Committee is tax deductible as a business expense.

How can I become a member?

Please contact the Central Maryland Chamber at (410) 672-3422 or at kim@centralmarylandchamber.org for membership information.



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Military Affairs Committee

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Who are we?

The Military Affairs Committee (MAC) is made up of area businesses, individuals, and organizations that value the contributions made by military personnel and their families to our nation and region. All MAC members must first have a membership in the Central Maryland Chamber. MAC members make an investment of \$100 in addition to their chamber membership.

Our Mission

The mission of the Central Maryland Chamber's Military Affairs Committee is to better connect the civilian and military personnel, as well as their families, serving at Fort Meade with the local community.



Our Goals

- Provide service members and families of Fort Meade with information about local resources.
- Show support for our military personnel's service through events targeted at both specific groups and the community at large.
- Express patriotic support through signage and other means.



Why Join?

In addition to helping us support the service members and families of Ft. Meade, your annual contribution entitles you to:

- Red, white, and blue ribbon to wear at Chamber events to identify yourself as a Military Affairs Committee member
- Listing in Military Affairs Committee brochure
- First option to participate in MAC events at Fort Meade*

*Some limitations may apply due to FMWR regulations

Help us plan!

The Military Affairs Committee meets every 2nd Thursday at 9am in the Chamber's conference room.

Event Participation

Some of the events the committee has participated in over the past years include:

- Annual Army/Navy Tailgate Party
- Comedy Show
- Community Council Meetings
- Lunch at The Baltimore Station
- National Night Out



Military Affairs Committee and the Central Maryland Chamber received the 2020 Army Community Partnership Award.