



## Cumberland County Board of Commissioners

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### Press Release

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### **Cumberland County Continues Serving Veterans Under New Office Name**

*County changes name to Office of Veterans Affairs & Services*

**Carlisle, PA** – Cumberland County Veterans Affairs will now be known as the Office of Veterans Affairs and Services to better reflect the county’s role in serving and advocating for veterans.

“We continue to help veterans apply for benefits in which they are eligible,” said Office of Veterans Affairs and Services Director Dan Osten. “We provide support through the entire process, including representation in appealing a negative outcome to the Board of Veterans Appeals.”

The office is not a federal or state department, and while the office does not provide state and federal services, it will assist veterans apply for benefits and advocate on their behalf.

#### **Office of Veterans Affairs & Services:**

- Assist service members, veterans and families who apply for local, state, and federal benefits.
- Advocate for veterans and help coordinate services to meet their individual needs, both long-term and immediate.
- Represent veterans, and their families to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. We provide support through the entire process, including representation in appealing a negative outcome to the Board of Veterans Appeals.

The new email for the Office of Veterans Affairs & Services is [veterans@cumberlandcountypa.gov](mailto:veterans@cumberlandcountypa.gov) and the new web address is [cumberlandcountypa.gov/veterans](http://cumberlandcountypa.gov/veterans).

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