

## **NEEDS YOU!!!**







- MOAA is a POWERFUL VOICE to maintain a strong national defense and to continuously protect our earned benefits.
- State Council & Local Chapters provide a voice at the state level to protect benefits and enhance Veterans' Programs.
- Work with others to preserve your entitlements; together, we're a STRONG VOICE.





# YOU NEED MOAA

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Military Officers Association of America

HOW MUCH FAITH AND CONFIDENCE DO YOU HAVE THAT CONGRESS, THE ADMINISTRATION, & DOD WILL HONOR AND PROTECT YOUR EARNED BENEFITS FOR SERVING?



### June 20, 2014

Secretary of Defense Chuck Hagel and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Martin Dempsey made their final push in support of administration's FY 2015 budget proposal at a Senate Appropriations Defense Subcommittee hearing on June 18. DOD witnesses emphasized that the current budget environment required personnel accounts to be trimmed to preserve military readiness.

They restated their support of administration proposals to

- Cap military pay
- Hike TRICARE pharmacy fees
- Consolidate TRICARE options
- Increase out-of-pocket housing costs
- Cut the commissary subsidy.

Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-S.C.) echoed his support for making cuts to military personnel programs, insisting that personnel costs consume 50 percent of the defense budget.



## WHAT HAS MOAA DONE FOR YOU?

- Won full Consumer Price Index cost-of-living adjustment (1.5%) for retirees, family survivors, and disabled veterans
- Established a new grassroots record, generating more than 1 million messages to Congress
- Kept TRICARE affordable by defeating proposals to increase fees, deductibles, and pharmacy copays
- Avoided a 24% cut in Medicare and TRICARE payments to providers
- Won 45 states' participation in the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children
- Created financial penalties for fraudulent use of unauthorized military awards and decorations under the Stolen Valor Act
- Won \$30 million in supplemental aid to school districts serving large numbers of military children



### Some reasons to join MOAA

- 1) Make yourself heard—with a group
- 2) Give back to the military community
- 3) Support worthwhile charitable organizations
- 4) Network with fellow military professionals
- 5) Stay informed of major issues and concerns
- 6) Influence key state legislation
- 7) Camaraderie with a **PURPOSE**



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