

Post Legislative Session Report  
Martin Gallegos MVLC Legislative Chair  
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As of today it looks like we have good news to report on this year's legislative session  
Concerning the personal income exemption it passed,  
The two HJR in regards to property tax exemption also passed and now goes to the voters.

The two major initiative for the Adjutant General of the State of New Mexico also passed HB 116 and SB210 Big wins for the National Guard

See attached those listed with a question mark the status is not updated at the NMlegis web page or are Sine Die

I will monitor to see if and changes occur in the next few days

I had the opportunity to speak to Rep Martinez and Sen Burt. They and other Representatives worked hard to negotiate these bills over the finish line. We can thank those who for years continue to keep reintroducing these bills. Representative Harry Garcia, Rep Eliseo Alcon are two that should be commended.

The list is as follows that have worked on our behalf

Rep Alan Martinez  
Rep. Harry Garcia  
Rep. Eliseo Alcon  
Rep. Rebra Sarinana  
Rep. Harlan Terrazas  
Rep. Randall Pettigrew  
Rep John Block  
Rep Ambrose Castellano  
Rep Stefine Lord  
Rep. Cynthia Borrego  
Rep. Tara Lujan  
Rep. Jennifer Jones  
Sen. William Burt  
Sen. Harold Pope  
Sen. Michael Padilla  
Sen Craig Brandt

If I have left any Sen. or Rep. that was in support of these initiatives it was not intentional.

Make contact with your Representative let them know that we appreciate their support of our veterans and servicemembers. I know that the passage of these bills will pay big dividends to the state in the long run

To all who put their time and effort emailing and making phone calls, thank you, it did make a difference.

We made it this far and Sen Burt said that the work was done and now we need to introduce amendments next

year to get surviving spouses and widowers added along with other commissioned services.

If you have any questions or comments please forward them to as I appreciate your feedback

Respectfully

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