



The National Guard Association of Kansas would like you and your Company to become an Annual Partner in Patriotism with us for 2021.

The National Guard Association of Kansas works on behalf of the 6,600 Men and women and their Families that serve in the Kansas National Guard. These Soldiers and Airmen serve in units across the 105 counties in Kansas. We work with our Elected leaders on the State and National Level to ensure our military members receive resources they need to have the proper equipment and training to conduct their missions.

2020 was a challenging year for all of us and the Kansas National Guard has been keeping busy working flooding, fires and COVID Operations. They have been providing Protective Personal Equipment, (PPE), packaging food, conducting COVID Testing sites, and now assisting with Vaccination of Kansans. In addition, over 250 members flew to Washington DC to serve during the Inauguration. Our 2021 Conference was scheduled to be at the Hilton Double Tree in Overland Park (Kansas City) KS on April 16-17<sup>th</sup>, but due to Safety concerns of our personnel and families, we have decided to hold a virtual conference again this year. The hotel has graciously allowed us to save our reservations and we plan on being there for our State Conference on April 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> 2022.

Today's Guardsman is the living embodiment of a true Citizen Soldier. When our Guard personnel are in the news, many people do not realize that these Guard personnel have another civilian job they have left to serve their State and Nation. Our Association works hard on legislation to ensure our Soldiers and Airmen are taken care of as well as their places of employment that allow them to leave their current job to serve.

As an annual Corporate Partner at any level, we will work to ensure your company and logo is advertised on many of our publications and social websites. In addition, throughout the year we will inform you of events and ways to ensure your products are known to key personnel and leadership in the Kansas National Guard.

Your sponsorship of the National Guard Association of Kansas's Partners in Patriotism Program signifies your support of the Men and Women and their Families that serve in the Kansas National Guard. Please email me for any questions on our Partners in Patriotism Program.

Sincerely,

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