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ANALYSIS OF STATE AND FEDERAL VETERANS' BENEFITS
IN PORTAGE COUNTY FOR FY 2008

Sources; United States Department of Veterans Affairs (USDVA) **Geographic Distribution of VA Expenditures for FY 2008**, in Wisconsin by county.

The Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs (WDVA) **Analysis of Committed Benefits by County** for 2008.

The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (USDVA) reported that Portage County, Wisconsin had a veteran population of 5,112 during FY 2008. This figure represents a decline in the Portage County Veteran population of 1.92% from FY 2007.

FEDERAL AND STATE VETERANS' BENEFITS RECEIVED BY
PORTAGE COUNTY VETERANS AND THEIR BENEFICIARIES
DURING FISCAL YEAR 2008

Total Federal expenditure for Portage County	15,937,000
Compensation and pension – U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs (USDVA) Benefits 2008	\$8,598,000
Education and Vocational Rehabilitation – U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs (USDVVA) benefits	\$738,000
Insurance and Indemnities – U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs (USDVA) benefits	\$396,000
Total Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs (WDVA) Benefits	\$1,069,376
Estimated amount of USDVA Medical Services	<u>\$6,205,000</u>
TOTAL <u>State and Federal</u> veterans expenditures in Portage County	\$17,006,376.00

Portage County, Wisconsin continues to be reported above the national average in percentage of awarded and processed Federal veteran compensation benefits according to 2008 USDVA statistical reports.

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