

# VETERANS

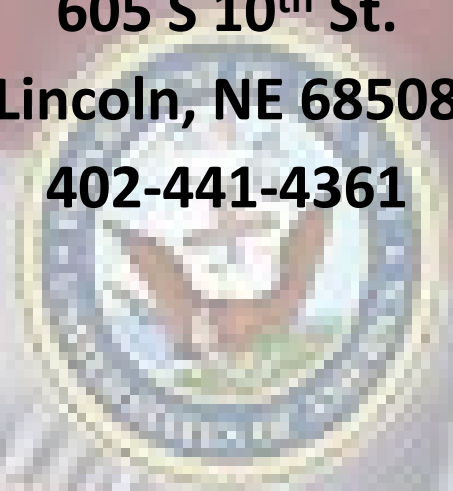
## Lancaster County Veterans Service Office

**Mark Lakamp, Lancaster County Veterans Service Officer**

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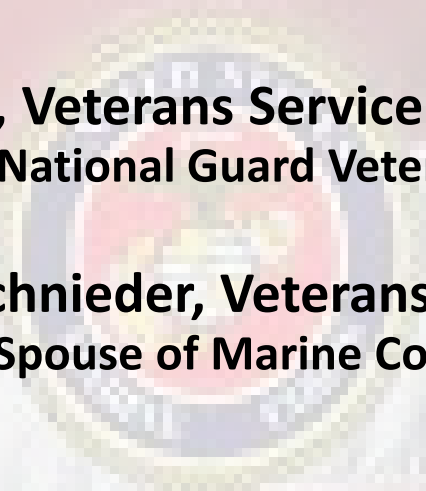
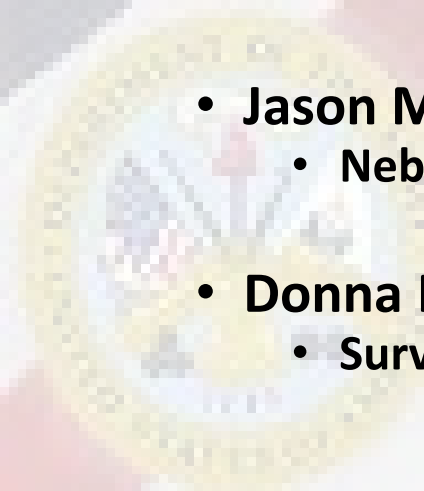
# What We Do

- **Help Veterans and Families work with the VA for:**
  - Disability Claims
  - Dependents Indemnity Compensation (DIC)
  - Burial Benefits
  - Appeals
  - Education and Health Care
- **Help Veterans and Families work with Nebraska Department of Veterans Affairs for:**
  - Nebraska Veterans Aid
  - Nebraska Veterans Homes
- **Administer Lancaster County Veterans Aid Fund**
- **Find Answers to Questions Veterans and their Families Ask**

# Who We Are

- **Mark Lakamp, Lancaster County Veterans Service Officer**
  - Retired Navy Veteran
- **Sue Baumann, Veterans Service Officer**
  - Air Force Veteran
- **Mark McDonald, Veterans Service Officer**
  - Army Veteran
- **Jason Meyer, Veterans Service Officer**
  - Nebraska National Guard Veteran
- **Donna Reifschneider, Veterans Service Specialist**
  - Surviving Spouse of Marine Corps Veteran

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# How Can We Assist You?

- **Are you a Veteran?**
  - Are you interested in filing a claim?
  - Health Care through the VA
  - Nebraska Veterans Homes
  - Preplanning for National Cemetery
  - Homestead Exemption
  - VA Guaranteed Home Loans
  - Other Federal and State benefits
- **Are you the Surviving Spouse of a Veteran?**
  - Did your spouse have a service-connected death?
  - Are you eligible for a pension as a surviving spouse?

# PACT Act

- **All Veterans**
  - Requires toxin exposure screening for all veterans in VA Health Care
- **Vietnam Era Veterans**
  - Adds Thailand, Laos, Cambodia and Guam as Agent Orange presumptive locations
  - Adds Hypertension as Agent Orange presumptive condition
- **Gulf War and post-9/11 Veterans**
  - Defines areas with presumptive environmental toxin exposure
  - Adds 20+ presumptive conditions for burn pit and other toxic exposure

# How to Work with Us

- **Appointments**

- 402-441-7361

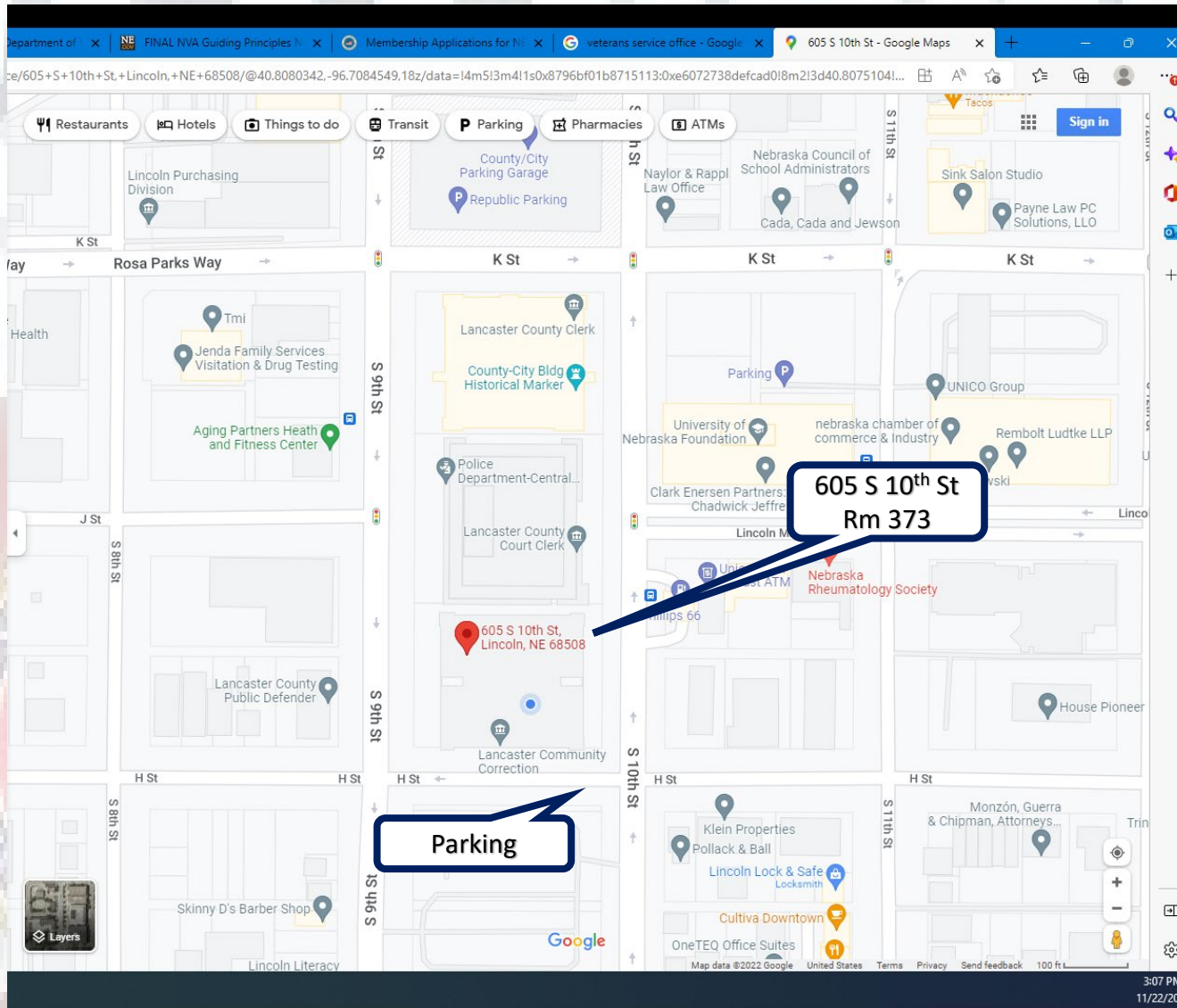
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# Location



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Questions?

