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RELEASE:**

**Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans Trust Fund (V4V) approve
\$80,000.00 in two Grants to assist Minnesota Veterans.**

At the November 17, 2021, monthly Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans Trust fund meeting, the following grants were approved by the eight-member board of directors:

- **Magnus Veterans Foundation** was awarded **\$60,000** for their efforts in providing support for veterans. They stated the specific purpose of the grant request was:

Your grant award will fund 100 veterans with free specialized health care for a year. Additionally, once a veteran becomes a member of Magnus Veterans Wellness Campus (MVWC), they are entitled to this exceptional quality care throughout their lifetime, at no charge. See info at:

<https://magnusveteransfoundation.org/about-us/>



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- **The MACV (MN Assistance Council for Veterans)** was awarded **\$20,000** for their efforts in supporting homeless veterans .The specifics of the award was::
The MN V4V Trust Fund will be a matching grant partner for MACV Home for the Holiday fundraiser. See info at:
<https://www.mac-v.org/about-us/>

The Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans (V4V) Trust Fund is a 501c (19) non-profit organization established as the result of the 2006 sale of Lake Minnetonka Big Island Disabled Veterans Camp. The non-profit organization has eight board members, two veterans each who are appointed by the DAV, VFW, MOPH, and American Legion. The board oversees the funds from the sale of the island to the City of Orono and has a grant application process on their website. Grants are made to organizations serving MN veterans in a way that conforms to the criteria the V4V has documented online at their website, mnv4v.org

To learn more about the history of the Big Island Veterans Camp see:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big_Island_Park

And

<https://minnehahacreek.org/sites/minnehahacreek.org/files/Big%20Island%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>

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