

JACKSON ACTION PLAN

GEORGIA SALUTES SERVICE

Georgia is proud to be home to veterans, active-duty service members, military spouses, Gold Star families and the organizations that serve them. They have worn our nation's uniform, defended our freedom, and carried burdens most of us will never fully understand.

Rick Jackson's Georgia Salutes Service Plan will make Georgia the best state in America for veterans, active-duty service members and military families. It is built around a simple standard: the mission matters, people matter, and someone must be accountable for getting the job done.



CREATE A GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS

Give veterans, active-duty service members and military families a direct voice in the Governor's Office and one place accountable for results across state government. Its job will be to break through bureaucratic layers and coordinate the agencies responsible for serving military and veteran families. One team will assist and guide veterans. Another will focus on active-duty service members and military families.



LAUNCH A 24/7 VETERANS SUPPORT HOTLINE

One number, at any hour, with someone responsible for connecting a veteran to the right help. No call-back-on-Monday answer. No dead end. No veteran left wondering whether anyone is listening.



DELIVER BETTER HEALTHCARE FOR VETERANS

Expand access to high-quality providers for anyone who has served. Deliver healthcare solutions built around access, quality, and the needs of veterans.



STRENGTHEN LOCAL VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS

Support the organizations that know local veterans and are often the first to see when someone needs a hand. Create a Community Grant Program for Veterans of Foreign Wars chapters, American Legion posts, and veteran-serving nonprofits.



BUILD VETERAN-FRIENDLY WORKPLACES

Establish a Veteran-Friendly Business Designation Program to recognize employers that recruit, hire, and support veterans and military families.



REMOVE BARRIERS FOR MILITARY FAMILIES

Make sure a military move does not come with another government bill or more red tape. Waive professional licensing fees for veterans and military families.



HONOR SERVICE WITH TAX RELIEF

Provide tax relief for veterans and the law enforcement officers who put their lives on the line to keep Georgia safe.

RICK'S COMMITMENT



A veteran should not have to battle state government after fighting for our country.

A military spouse should not be punished for the sacrifices that come with service.

The people who have had America's back will know Georgia has theirs.



- Rick Jackson

We will answer the call. We will keep our word. And we will serve those who served.