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JERRY PATTERSON

A retired Marine Lt. Colonel and Vietnam veteran, Jerry Patterson is a fourth-generation veteran and is a life member of VFW, American Legion and Vietnam Veterans of America.

As state senator, he authored the concealed handgun law and served as a tireless veterans advocate. He chaired the Senate Veterans Affairs committee and passed Senate Bill1060 creating Veterans Homes in Texas.

Jerry was chosen as the Republican nominee for Land Commissioner after winning the March 2002 primary. He is married with two grown children. His son Travis is a Marine Lieutenant.

The General Land Office and Veterans Land Board

- Established by Republic of Texas, 1836.
- Manages 20.3 million acres of state lands.
- Responsible for protection of Texas beaches, bays and estuaries.
- Leases oil and gas drilling rights on state land.
- Royalties generate crucial funding for Texas schools.
- Veterans Land Board manages veterans benefits for 1.7 million veterans.
- Benefits include home and land loans, home improvement loans and state veterans homes.

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"With fewer veterans in elective office, Texas veterans need a strong voice and tireless advocate. The Texas Land Commissioner is chair of the Veterans Land Board, and the one state elected official most responsible for Texas' 1.7 million veterans. Veterans have grown tired of campaign promises – they want action. I am the only veteran seeking this office. I will fight for Texas veterans."

Jerry





Jerry Patterson has specific proposals which will improve veterans benefits and put the power of conservative government behind the promise to Texas veterans.

- **Raise Loan Limit to $200 K (✔ DONE)**
- **Raise Home Improvement loan limit to $50 K**
- **Establish Online VLB loan applications**
- **Cut burdensome federal requirements**
- **Streamline home improvement loans**
- **Market Texas Veterans Homes statewide**

Samuel Bier, *USAF & Fmr. POW*
Past State Commander, Disabled American Veterans
Fmr. Chair, Texas Veterans Commission
Albert B. Block, *USN & Pearl Harbor Survivor*
Fmr. State Chair, Pearl Harbor Survivors Assn. of Texas,
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Past State Commander, Military Order of the Purple Heart
John A. Brieden III, *Capt. US Army*
Veterans Advocate
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Lewis King
Fmr. Exec. Dir. National Guard Association of Texas (NGAT)
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Past State Commander, Veterans of Foreign Wars
SFC Jose M. Lopez, *US Army (Ret.)*
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Fmr. Harris County Veterans Service Officer, 1981 to 2002
George Ruiz
Fmr. Bexar County Veterans Service Officer
Colonel John Stavast, *USAF (Ret.)*
Fmr. Vietnam POW
Roger D. Walker, Sr.
Past Pres. Veterans County Service Officers Assn.
Ron Williams
President, Republican Veterans of Texas

A Place To Live



The General Land Office, through the Veterans Land Board, offers long-term, low-interest loans to Texas Veterans for the purchase of land or a home mortgage - all at no cost to the Texas taxpayer. As Land Commissioner, Jerry Patterson will fight to streamline the loan process and make it more accessible to the veterans who need it most. He will work to put home and private property ownership within the reach of all veterans.

A Place To Care



Texas Veterans have earned the right to quality long-term care. In 1997 Jerry Patterson passed the Texas Veterans Home bill which called for the construction of first-class care facilities for elderly veterans and their spouses -- all at no cost to the Texas taxpayer. The first four are already in operation. As Land Commissioner, Jerry Patterson will fight to build more and provide our aging veterans with the best care anywhere.

A Place To Honor



Every veteran has earned the right to a folded flag and a final resting place in hallowed ground. The Veterans Land Board, in cooperation with federal agencies, is in the process of selecting and constructing the first state veteran cemeteries in Texas. Jerry Patterson will fight to guarantee this program is funded properly and not forsaken by government bureaucrats or beancounters.

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