

# American Legion Application

## APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP IN MINNEAPOLIS-RICHFIELD POST 435 AMERICAN LEGION, SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, AND AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY ORGANIZATIONS


Welcome to the Post 435 Gun Club! In order to join the Gun Club, you must also be a Member of one the American Legion Post 435 organizations listed above. You must be a Member of Post 435 in order to join the Gun Club. Applicants understand that they may be asked by Post 435 to demonstrate proof of eligibility at any time after submitting their application. New Members must be eligible to join and must complete and sign the form below.

### American Legion Eligibility

Any person (Male or Female) who served at least one day of active duty in the military during any of the dates on the American Legion Application form and who is either still serving honorably or has been honorably discharged, is eligible.

**Family Membership Option:** Post 435 Gun Club Memberships are *Family Memberships*. If your Spouse, regardless of his or her gender, is eligible for ANY American Legion organization, then you can become a Family Member of the Post 435 Gun Club once your Spouse has enrolled in a Legion Organization and the Post 435 Gun Club.

**Need or Want to Prove Your Eligibility?** To obtain Military Records on Department of Defense form DD-214, you need to submit a form SF-180 to the appropriate military service office. You can get a SF-180 form from any Gun Club Officer, or go on-line and get one at the U.S. Archives Website: [http://www.archives.gov/facilities/mo/st\\_louis/military\\_personnel\\_records/standard\\_form\\_180.html](http://www.archives.gov/facilities/mo/st_louis/military_personnel_records/standard_form_180.html)

<b>The American Legion Membership Application</b>				
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(Name)			(Phone)	
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(Mailing Address)				(Date)
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(Post #)	
<b>Please check appropriate eligibility dates and branch of service below</b>				_____
				(Dues)
<input type="checkbox"/> Aug 2, 1990 – cessation of hostilities as determined by U.S. Government				
<input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 20, 1989 – Jan. 31, 1990				
<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 24, 1982 – July 31, 1984	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Army			
<input type="checkbox"/> Feb. 28, 1961 – May 7, 1975	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Navy			
<input type="checkbox"/> June 25, 1950 – Jan. 31, 1955	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Air Force			
<input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 7, 1941 – Dec. 31, 1946	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Marines			
<input type="checkbox"/> April 6, 1917 – Nov 11, 1918	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Coast Guard			
<input type="checkbox"/> Merchant Marines 12/7/41 – 8/15/45 (only eligibility)				
				
I certify that I served at least one day of active military duty during the dates marked above and was honorably discharged or am still serving honorably.				
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Signature of applicant			Name of recruiter	
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