

Veteran's Preference

NOTE: Veteran's Preference points cannot be considered without supporting documentation. Attach copy of "Veteran's DD214 Copy 2, 4 or 6, or other documentation verifying military experience. A Veteran is defined by Minnesota Statute 197.447.

The City of Little Canada operates under a point preference system which awards points to qualified veterans and to certain spouses of deceased or disabled veterans, subject to the provision of Minnesota Statutes 197.447 and 197.455, to supplement their application. After receiving a passing score, 10 points are granted to non-disabled veterans on open competitive jobs and/or exams; 15 points are awarded if the veteran has a service-connected compensable disability as certified by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (USDVA).

To qualify for preference for a competitive job and/or exam, you must have earned a passing application/exam score, AND:

1. be a United States citizen or resident alien, AND
2. been separated under honorable conditions from any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces; AND have either
 - a. served on active duty for at least 181 consecutive days, OR
 - b. have been discharged by reason of disability incurred while serving on active duty, OR
 - c. have completed the minimum active duty requirement of federal law, as defined by Code of Federal Regulations Title 38, Section 3.12a, i.e. having fulfilled the full period for which a person was called or ordered to active duty under Title 10 of the United States Code, OR
 - d. certified service and verification of "veteran status" granted under U.S. PL 95-202.

Claims must be made on this form and submitted with your application by the application deadline of the position for which you are applying. If the DD214 Copy 2, 4 or 6 or other documentation verifying military service is submitted to our office separate from this sheet, please attach a note with it indicating the position for which you are applying and your present address.

The information you provide on this form will be used to determine your eligibility for veteran's preference points. You are not required to supply this information, but we cannot award veteran's points without it.

Thank you for your military service and your interest in employment with the City of Little Canada. Please contact our office at 651-766-4047, or your local County Veterans Service Office if you have any questions regarding veterans preference.

City of Little Canada
VETERAN'S PREFERENCE POINTS APPLICATION

Complete this form only if you are claiming Veteran's Preference

Veteran: Self Spouse

Full name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

Check box for which category you are applying for:

Veteran (10 points):

DD214 or DD215, Copy 2, 4 or 6, or other documentation verifying military service must be submitted to receive points.
Honorably discharged veteran: Yes No

Disabled Veteran (15 points):

DD214 or DD215, Copy 2, 4 or 6, or other documentation verifying military service, and USDVA Summary of Benefits Letter showing a compensable service connected disability rating decision, usually 10% or more, must be submitted to receive points.

Percent of Disability: _____%

Spouse of Deceased Veteran (10 points or 15 if the veteran was disabled at time of death):

Veteran's DD214 or DD215, Copy 2, 4 or 6, or other documentation verifying military service, photocopy of marriage certificate, spouse's death certificate and proof veteran is deceased, must be submitted to receive points. You are ineligible to receive points if you have remarried or were divorced from the veteran.

Date of Death: _____ Have you remarried? Yes No

Spouse of Disabled Veteran (15 points):

Veteran's DD214 or DD215, Copy 2, 4 or 6, or other documentation verifying military service, photocopy of marriage certificate, and USDVA rating decision showing a compensable service connected disability rating decision, usually 10% or more, and which shows the nature of the disability, must be submitted to receive points.

How does the veteran's disability prevent performance of a stated job "requirement?" Due to the veteran's service-connected disability the veteran is unable to qualify for this position because (be specific):

AFFIDAVIT: I hereby claim Veterans Preference points for this job application and/or examination and swear/affirm that the information given is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I hereby acknowledge that I am responsible to obtain the required Veterans Preference verification documents and submit them to the City of Little Canada by the required application deadline.

Signature

Date