

Bert Hartsfield, Leon County Property Appraiser, announces the availability of an additional homestead exemption for military servicemembers. The exemption is available to those who were deployed during 2010 in support of the following:

- Operation Enduring Freedom (Began October 7, 2001)
- Operation Iraqi Freedom (Began March 19, 2003 and ended August 31, 2010)
- Operation New Dawn (Began September 1, 2010)

The amount of the exemption is determined by the number of days of qualifying deployment during 2010. For example, if a servicemember was deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom during 2010 for 50% of the year, he or she would receive a 50% reduction in taxable value of their homestead property for 2011. The exemption is effective for the 2011 tax roll and an application must be filed with the Property Appraiser's Office.

The application is available for download. Please click on "[Forms](#)" and then "[Deployed Military Exemption Application](#)." Although there is a June 1 deadline for filing, extensions will be granted in consideration of the delay in the required legislative action. For further information, please contact the Leon County Property Appraiser's Office at 850-488-6102 or admin@leonpa.org.



Leon County Property Appraiser's Office

Deployed Military Exemption

A new exemption is available for homesteads of service members who were deployed last year outside the United States in support of the following designated operations:

- **Enduring Freedom** (began 10/7/01)
- **Iraqi Freedom** (3/19/03 thru 8/31/10)
- **New Dawn** (began 9/1/10)

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