



November 18, 2025

I am asking the Board to vote on ending the County ride program in Goodhue County in favor of having our veterans use the DAV ride program.

The DAV Ride program has all volunteer drivers who drive DAV vans. They pick up the veteran at the veteran's home, drive them to the VA appointment, and then bring the veteran's home. Veterans will need to call and set up rides at least one week prior. Appointment times must be between 9 am and 1pm.

Ending the County Ride Program:

- End date of December 1st for accepting new rides.
- No rides further out than January 1st.
- Encourage Goodhue volunteers to sign up as DAV drivers.

To notify our veterans, we have created a list of all veterans who have used our program over the last year. We will contact each veteran to notify them of the change and the new process for requesting rides.