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**TWU LOCAL 100** VETERANS LOBBY **MAY 7th, 2013** 



The Transport Workers Union is having a Veterans Lobby day to push bills to improve the lives of

those who have proudly and honorably served their country.

## Below please find bills before the legislature that TWU Veterans will lobby to have passed.

The TWU Veterans Committee is also drafting a comprehensive Veteran's Bill to cover all Veterans who were in the military regardless of the years of service. We will be fighting to add up to 3 years service credit buy back towards pension time for all Veterans as well as Civil Service test points for all Veterans.

The following bills are being considered;

- 1) Military Buyback for Service During the Cold War, S3577, Addabbo, (2013). Provides credit to members of public retirement systems of the state for military service rendered during the cold war.
- 2) Allowable Service credit A8382-A, Ortiz / S4444-A, Flanagan (2007). Allows members of a public retirement system to buy back up to five years of military service credit.
- 3) Military A4936, Cusick 2013 Provides that an eligible member of the public retirement system may buy back service credit for certain military service with two years of credited service.
- 4)Military Buyback for service during the Iranian Hostage Crisis A5577, Oaks/ S3722, Nozzolio (2013). Provides credit to members of public retirement systems of the state for certain military service during the Iranian Hostage Crisis
- 5) Military Buyback for service During the Kosovo War. Bill number pending.

## Please join us.

The Veteran's Day Lobby bus will be leaving from the Union Hall at 1700 Broadway at 53rd Street at 7AM. Sign up and send us on the application on back.

We have only 30 slots on the bus. First come first served.





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FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE TWU VETERANS COMMITTEE AT 212-873-6000 x 2113 (for Phil Caruana-Veterans rep); x2059 (for Kevin McCawley-MOW) x2036 (for Paul Piazza-Stations);

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