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**Birmingham Senior Men's Club Foundation
Announces Two Major Grants**

The Birmingham Senior Men's Club Foundation is making major grants to Michigan Veterans Homes and the Michigan World War II Legacy Memorial, announced Tim McGee, Foundation president.

The grants will be presented at the Senior Men's Club's November 18 meeting to Tiffany Carr, Community Engagement Coordinator at Michigan Veterans Homes, and John Maten, President of the Board of Directors of the Michigan World War II Legacy Memorial.

Michigan Veterans Homes has cared for veterans for 135 years. With three home-like settings across the state, it offers skilled nursing care and the opportunity to live as independently as possible, with a focus on long-term care, dementia and memory care, and palliative care. The Senior Men's Club grant of \$10,000 will support the home in Chesterfield.

The Michigan World War II Legacy Memorial, in Royal Oak's Memorial Park on Woodward Avenue at 13 Mile Road, is currently under construction of Phase 1. This phase includes a full-size bronze statue of a WWII soldier, over 1400 paver bricks that have been donated in honor of loved ones, and flags of the military branches. The SMC Foundation grant will sponsor one of the flagpoles.

The Foundation serves the Senior Men's Club's core values of fellowship, shared interests, and community service. It is organized and operates for charitable and educational purposes under IRS Code 501(c)3.

The Senior Men's Club provides insight and fellowship to more than 550 members from many Metro Detroit communities through its Friday luncheon meetings, special events, and several interest groups focused on hobbies, sports, and shared interests. Information at <https://www.seniormensclubbirmingham.com/>

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