



Just the Fast Facts...

Certified Quilt Business with the Quilts of Valor® Foundation

What is the Certified Quilt Business Program? The Certified Quilt Business Program offers businesses within the quilting industry an opportunity to support the Quilts of Valor® Foundation mission.

Why become a Certified Quilt Business?

Two main reasons: to show support for service members and veterans and to market your business to volunteers making Quilts of Valor® (QOVs). Over 200,000 QOVs have been awarded by over 10,000 volunteers. The average cost of materials alone is about \$300.00 per QOV.

What is the Registration Process?

There are two steps to registration: (1) Complete the on-line registration form and pay an annual \$30 fee, and (2) Complete and submit the Financial Responsibility Form. You will receive a Welcome email with information including creating a QOVF account. Each business is expected to adhere to the QOVF Policies & Procedures regarding handling of funds.

What are the Benefits?

QOVF Marketing: Quilt Businesses will be listed on the QOVF website pages with a link to the business, mentioned in the newsletter, promoted in QOVF's social media, and by other appropriate methods.

QOVF Logo: Certified Quilt Businesses are permitted to use the QOVF registered trademarks as shown below in advertising, newsletters, on websites, and in social media: Quilts of Valor®, Quilt of Valor®, QOV® and the QOVF logo. Please note that instances of potential infringement on the QOVF's trademarks will be addressed appropriately. Electronic copies of the logo can be obtained by emailing Executive.Director@qovf.org.

Certified Quilt Business Only Website Login:

A dedicated on-line area where business may purchase QOVF merchandise, request marketing tools (e.g., brochures), access forms, and learn about what other businesses are doing to support the QOVF mission and encourage customers to become engaged in the mission.

Donations: Businesses may raise funds and accept monetary or non-monetary donations on behalf of the QOVF. Donations may be used to make quilts or may be designated for specific purpose, (e.g., for a QOVF Group, a specific State, Under Our Wings®, Al Lind Legacy Fund, Generations of Service, General Foundation Operations). Donations (monies and non-monetary donations) must be recorded using the donation forms.

Reimbursement from Donations: After locally raised funds are recorded for tax code compliance, 100% of funds become the business' designated funds and are available for reimbursement, in accordance with the QOVF Policies and Procedures

QOV Labels: Labels are available from the QOVF store or other sources. The QOVF store and some sources donate a percentage of the cost back to the QOVF.

Completed Quilts: QOVs may be awarded locally or shared with another state or group to fulfill existing requests. All awards should be reported via the website.

More Opportunities:

Support a QOV Group: Consider sponsoring a [QOV Group](#) and work together towards the mission. Sponsorship waives the group's fee (\$30.00).

Support the Under Our Wings® Program: Consider supporting youth and adult community service organizations in Under Our Wings programs as they learn to make and award Quilts of Valor. [Click HERE for Details](#)

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