## VETERANS TO BENEFIT FROM PARTNERSHIP AND INNOVATION BETWEEN NON-PROFITS, GOVERNMENT

**Washington, DC** – Today, *Warrior Gateway* <sup>TM</sup> announces the *G.I. Network: A Nation of Support. One Network* <sup>TM</sup>, the largest free network available designed to connect hundreds of thousands government programs and vetted non-profits, with the millions of veterans in the US.

Available in January 2012, the *G.I. Network* will connect veterans and their families with more than 220,000 government and non-profit organizations as well as with each other. The *G.I. Network* has been piloted over the last year with several *Warrior Gateway* non-profit and government partners to provide a collection of free tools and services to help veterans and military families find and connect with education, employment, health and wellness programs.

"Warrior Gateway has a history of providing innovative technology solutions designed to help veterans and their families," said **Devin B. Holmes, CEO of** *Warrior Gateway*. "Veterans tell us that there are too many disconnected resource websites. The *G.I. Network* is the game changer that solves this problem. It provides a solution to network all those resource websites and help people connect in a meaningful way. Developed in response to the Joining Forces initiative, the *G.I. Network* helps each of us connect with veterans and their families in our communities."

The *G.I. Network* will launch in January 2012. For more information about participating and to be notified of the public launch, please visit: <u>www.GINetwork.org</u>.

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**About G.I. Network: A Nation of Support. One Network.** <sup>™</sup>**:** Publicly launching January 2012, the G.I. Network connects hundreds of thousands non-profits and government programs as well as millions of veterans under one network. A program of Warrior Gateway, the G.I. Network harnesses state-of-the art technology to create the largest free network for today's veterans to connect in their local community.

## A NATION OF SUPPORT

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Active Duty Emergency Counseling Training GI-Bill Adaptive Provider Scuba Healthcare Navy Reserves Locate PTSD Outdoor Neighborhood Retired Legal Help Discounts Civilian Marine Academic Local Events Branch Aid

## **ONE NETWORK**

**About Warrior Gateway**<sup>™</sup>: Founded in 2009, Warrior Gateway connects individuals in the military community with organizations and programs (non-profit, government, educational or employment-related) in their neighborhood that are there to support them. Warrior Gateway harnesses state-of-the art technology and community collaboration to help today's veterans make better decisions about what service providers they can go to for help, and have a public forum to share their experiences about the quality and effectiveness of those services. This innovation was recognized with a Federal Computer Week Fed-100 award for significant contributions to the Federal IT community in 2011. For more information, please visit: www.warriorgateway.org.

