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USAA Bank Launches Alliance with Soldiers' Angels

USAA named exclusive credit card provider

SAN ANTONIO – USAA Bank and Soldiers' Angels are introducing a customized credit card for approximately 86,000 veterans, wounded and deployed service members, and their families.

USAA Bank now offers the Soldiers' Angels USAA Rewards™ World MasterCard® credit card to help support the group's programs and activities. USAA Bank will make a contribution to Soldiers' Angels with every account opened or renewed, and each time cardholders make an eligible purchase.



"Year after year, USAA has shown its commitment to going above and beyond for military members and veterans, and so has Soldiers' Angels," said Patti Patton-Bader, founder of Soldiers' Angels. "We are pleased to announce our relationship with USAA, and I am thrilled to welcome them to the Soldiers' Angels family."

"We are honored to be working with Soldiers' Angels," said Nathan McKinley, USAA vice president of military affinity. "Soldiers' Angels has done a lot over the years for deployed soldiers and their families, including tens of thousands of care packages. I'm optimistic that this new program will assist in generating additional support, and USAA certainly appreciates the many contributions Soldiers' Angels makes for our country."

In 2009, USAA opened its membership to all veterans who have honorably served and their eligible family members. To learn more about the USAA and Soldiers' Angels credit card program, call 1-800-531-7148 or visit <u>usaa.com/soldiersangels</u>.

About Soldiers' Angels

Since 2003, Soldiers' Angels has been an ensign of advocacy and support for our nation's men and women in uniform, veterans and their families. Their motto, "May No Soldier Go Unloved," captures the energy that motivates hundreds of thousands of volunteers – the Soldiers' Angels. Join them as they give wings to their work, and help them show our heroes a level of gratitude that is befitting of our great country. To learn more, visit <u>soldiersangels.org</u>.

About USAA

USAA provides insurance, banking, investment and retirement products and services to 9.1 million members of the U.S. military and their families. Known for its legendary commitment to its members, USAA is consistently recognized for outstanding service, employee well-being and financial strength. USAA membership is open to all who are serving or have honorably served our nation in the U.S. military

– and their eligible family members. For more information about USAA, or to learn more about membership, visit <u>usaa.com</u>.