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As a proud member of the local business community, you understand the importance of supporting those who serve. The **Military Forces Conference Foundation (MFCF)** along with the **National Guard Association of Texas (NGAT)** are writing to invite you to partner with us in honoring the unwavering commitment and resilience of our Texas National Guard members by sponsoring the annual **Best Warrior Competition**, taking place in **Bastrop at Camp Swift from February 24-27, 2025**.

The Best Warrior Competition is a rigorous three-day competition that tests the tactical and technical expertise of Soldiers and Airmen through scored events, such as an oral knowledge exam board, a tactical road march, obstacle course and physical fitness test, as well as "a mystery event" announced the day of the competition. Both Army and Air National Guard members compete against each other for the title of "Best Warrior" and "Best Noncommissioned Officer" in the State of Texas. The winners of this Best Warrior competition will be named and honored at a luncheon on February 27, 2025, and will continue to represent Texas in regional and/or national Best Warrior competitions later this year.

The MFCF is a 501c(3) non-profit organization and NGAT is a 501c(19) veteran's organization with over 30,000 members who have or are currently serving in the Texas National Guard. Our purpose is to raise and disperse contributions from the private and public sector to complement and support funding of military events, professional education, educational scholarships, and activities in support of military Service Members in the State of Texas.

Our Texas National Guard service members continue to shine as they serve and protect our citizens both here in the state and abroad. Our troops here at home are busy assisting in preventing and deterring illegal immigration and transnational criminal activities along the Texas border. The National Guard is always ready and always there when called upon to assist during hurricanes, floods, fires, natural disasters, or domestic situations. They are Texans serving Texans. The members we support never hesitate to answer the call to duty and we hope you can help by answering this call for support.

Donations for the Best Warrior Competition are used for meals and refreshments during the events and for awards and a banquet to recognize the winners. This event does not receive funding for the military, which is why we are asking for your support. To donate please go to the following website: https://ngat.org/best-warrior/. We will recognize all donations on our website, in our association magazine as well as during the banquet. Any amount is greatly appreciated.

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