How can we address and prevent veteran homelessness in our communities?

Homeless veterans are veterans that used to be in the military and became homeless. This means that the homeless veterans don’t have money, food to eat, drinks, and nowhere to stay. Since 1987, VA’s programs for homeless veterans have emphasized collaboration with such community service providers to help expand services to more veterans in crisis. These partnerships are credited with reducing the number of homeless veterans by more than half over the past six years.

One way we can get the veterans into a safe community is providing jobs, a new home, nicer clothes to wear, and free or affordable health care. We can address and prevent veteran homelessness in our communities by keeping the homeless veterans from living on the sidewalks and near the garbage. Therefore, we should make a new Homeless Community Center that cater to veterans. This new Community Center can also let family members come and visit the homelessness veterans during different times. If their family members remember them or has to time to come visit it might make them feel at home and it would be very nice if they family would come to visit.

In addition to building a community center for veterans, we could offer transportation to and from the community center to get help from other sponsors such as the VA Hospital. The VA Hospital also helps to provide new low-income homes, clothes, minimum wage jobs, and dental assistance. This essay shows how we can possibly address and prevent veteran homelessness in our communities.