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AMERICA AND MILITARY SAVES WEEK IS FEBRUARY 26TH – MARCH 3RD

Department of Finance joins Financial Institutions and Agencies In Celebration of America and Military Saves Week

Boise, Idaho The Idaho Department of Finance is honored to announce its participation in the 2018 America and Military Saves Week, partnering with financial institutions and the Idaho Military Financial Alliance.

"The Department continues its support of our military by offering financial-related education," Idaho Department of Finance Director Gavin Gee said. "It is our hope that the events of America and Military Saves Week will provide valuable tools to all participants, enhancing their ability to make sound financial decisions."

The Department also has invited its state banks and credit unions to once again help sponsor this important event.

The Idaho Military Financial Alliance will staff a booth at the Commander's Conference on Saturday, February 24, at the Idaho Air National Guard, located at Gowen Field in Boise. The Alliance will provide the financial education information that it offers to military personnel and will advertise the upcoming Military Saves event, which also will be held at Gowen Field.

On March 3rd and 4th, the Department of Finance – as a member of the Idaho Military Financial Alliance – along with Mountain America Federal Credit Union, the Idaho Department of Insurance, and other agencies will offer Lunch and Learn presentations to Idaho servicemembers. Topics will include "Your Rights and Remedies with Debt Collectors," "Investing Basics," and "How to Ensure a Stellar Credit Score."

The Department urges Idahoans to sign up on the America and Military Saves website and join the Department in promoting these worthwhile campaigns.

Help Americans "Set a Goal. Make a Plan. Save Automatically!"

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