



Okaloosa County Military Community Covenant



We, the citizens of Okaloosa County,
welcome military families of the

7th Special Forces Group (Airborne)
and
Members of the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter Initial Training Site



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We also recognize ...

the commitment and increasing sacrifices that **all** our military families are making every day
... the strength of our service members comes from the strength of their families
... the strength of families is supported by the strength of the community
... the strength of the community comes from the support of everyone in the community.

We are committed to ...

... Building partnerships that support the strength,
resilience, and readiness of all our service members and their families.



Supporting Those Who Serve - Together, We Build Strong Communities

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