Guidelines for Inclusion – Veterans Memorial Park of Old Hickory

The following criteria have been established to determine who will be honored on the memorial at Veterans Memorial Park. Criteria used for initial establishment of the memorial are due to the Rayon plaque that served as a catalyst for the park. A description of guidelines used to determine the initial names is also included below.

- Honorees for WWII memorial include current residents of Old Hickory, individuals who worked for DuPont and were drafted from their employment, and individuals who lived in Old Hickory when drafted.
- Honorees for post WWII wars/military campaigns will include Individuals who were residents of Old Hickory at the time of military service, or lived in Old Hickory following their service.
- Individuals must have served in any branch of the United States military during the following dates:
 - WWI April 6, 1917 to November 11, 1918
 - WWI Russia April 6, 1917 to April 1, 1920
 - WWII December 7, 1941 to December 31, 1946
 - Korean Conflict June 27, 1950 to January 31, 1955
 - Viet Nam Era February 28, 1961 to July 1, 1975
 - Lebanon July 1, 1958 to November 1, 1958 or September 29, 1982 to March 30, 1984*
 - Invasion of Grenada October 25, 1983 to December 15, 1983
 - Operation Ernest Will February 1, 1987 to July 23, 1987*
 - Invasion on Panama December 20, 1989 to January 31, 1990*
 - Gulf War August 2, 1990
 - Iraq War 2002 -

^{*} not recognized by the American Legion