

## **HIDDEN VETERANS BENEFITS REVEALED!**

Everyone knows that the VA runs benefits programs that cover a variety of medical costs. Here are a few other things that you might not know:

- Single Veterans may be eligible for monthly benefits of \$1,703 and married veterans may be eligible for monthly benefits of up to \$2,019.
- The spouses of deceased veterans are eligible for similar benefits up to \$1,094 per month.
- You don't need to sustain a wartime injury to qualify for these benefits.
- There is a Medicaid (nursing home) eligibility trap that you need to beware of when applying for veterans benefits.

Elder-care attorney Anthony Ferraro will discuss these and other hidden benefits at a seminar at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, February 29, at the Italian American Veterans Museum.

## Don't wait until you need these benefits to find out more about them!

The museum is located in the Office Center at Casa Italia, Third Foor, 3800 Division St., Stone, Park. Parking is available at the corner of 37th and Division, and behind the building if you enter on 39th Aveune.

Enter the back of the building through the red door near the bocce courts with the large, white IAVM sign next to it and take the stairs or the elevator to the third floor.

Admission is free, but seating is limited and reservations are a must.

To assure availability of seating, call 708-345-5933 ASAP and leave your name and number, and the number of people who will be attending.

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR FEB. 29!