

The Guardian staff welcomes letters from our readers. We print as many as we can and, when appropriate, coordinate with experts to get responses to concerns, questions and problems you may be experiencing.

But you don't just have to write when you're upset about something! We also like to get letters about things that are going well and people who have done good things.

Some letters don't get printed because they are not signed. Army regulations prohibit us from printing them.

So if you write, please sign. If you don't want your name published, tell us to withhold your name.

Here are a few tips for writing letters to the editor that have the best possible chance of getting published:

Keep your letter short and simple. Get to the point. Don't "overdo it." If you write too much, we'll have to edit for space.

Computer printouts are great, but if you don't have access to a computer or typewriter, that's OK. Just print neatly and legibly and that will keep our typesetter happy!

You can also email letters to us at this address: afzypo@polk.army.mil or guardian@wnonline.net.

If you have a personal problem, don't use the Guardian to do your legwork. Go through appropriate channels. Please remember that letters are published at the discretion of the editor.

Hope to hear from you!

The editor