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### **The FMAA Suggests American Flags as a Unique Gift Idea**

(Wayne, PA, April 12, 2018) . . . Summer can be a busy gift giving season with graduations, weddings, and housewarmings. The Flag Manufacturers Association of America (FMAA) suggests that Americans look no further than their local American flag dealer for a unique and thoughtful gift idea.

A gift of an American flag could become a sentimental keepsake through the years. Whether the recipient is just starting out on their own or just getting settled in a new home, by giving the gift of an American flag, you would be helping them begin a tradition of proudly flying that flag on holidays.

An American flag would be an especially thoughtful gift for anyone related to the military or graduating as a first responder, too.

While shopping for your flag gift, make sure to look for the FMAA Certification Seal to be sure it is truly an American made flag – made in America, for Americans, by Americans. United States law requires every flag be labeled with its country of origin. Those designated as “Made in USA” may be true to their name, but only those bearing the FMAA Certification seal are guaranteed to adhere to the standards and continued compliance as monitored by a professional association and its domestic members.

In 2005, FMAA launched its “Certified Made in the USA” certification program, designed to ensure that all American flags purchased are made in the U.S. of materials that are domestic in origin and that all processes involved in its manufacture were completed in U.S. facilities with U.S. labor. The FMAA monitors and requires re-certification from its member manufacturers every year.

The Flag Manufacturers Association of America is a non-profit trade association, established in 2003, dedicated to educating and promoting the quality, variety, and proper use of flags manufactured in the United States.

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