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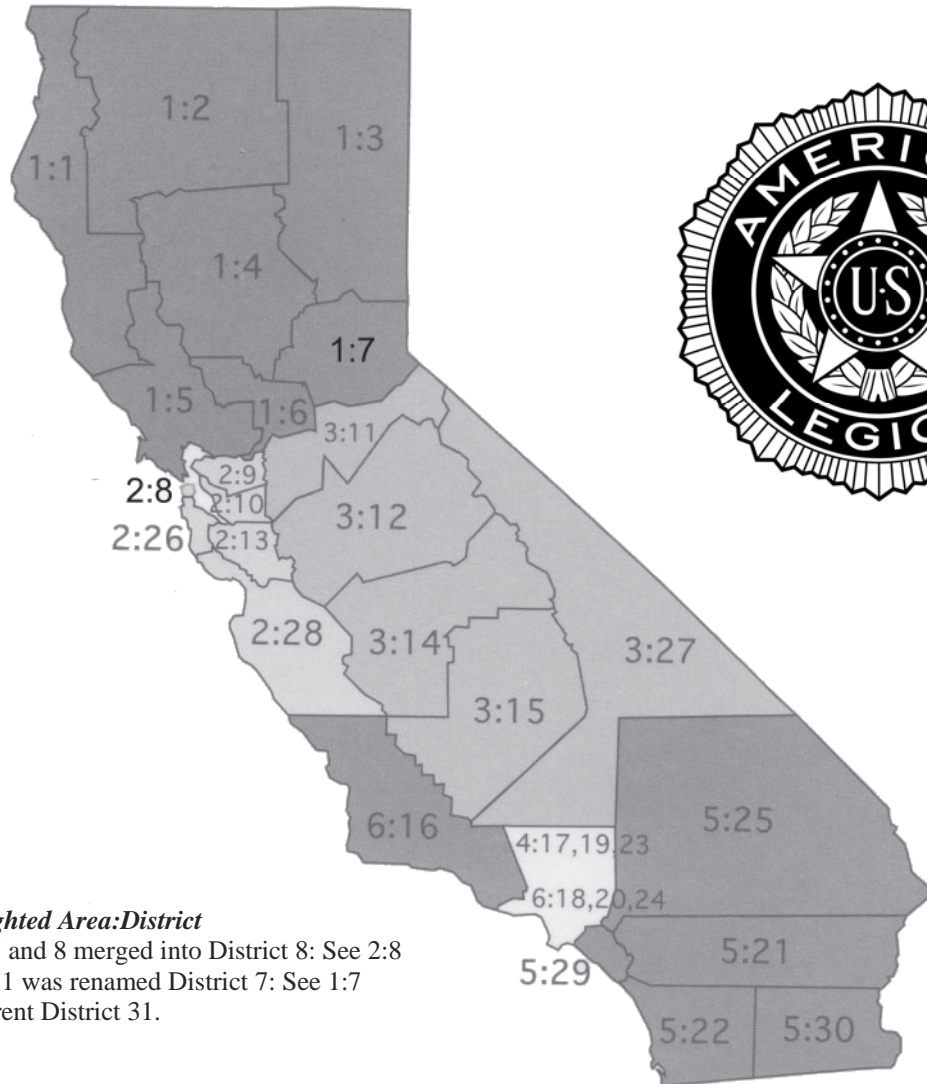


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In 2000, District 7 and 8 merged into District 8: See 2:8

In 2007, District 31 was renamed District 7: See 1:7

There is not a current District 31.

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- T. Dan Hetherington - Dept Commander 1996-97
- Marvin E. Jones - Dept Commander 1973-74
- Charles E. "Charlie" Williams - Dept Sgt-at-Arms 2000-01
- W.R. "Randy" Wharton - Dept Sgt-at-Arms 1998-99

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2013-2014

Year-End

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DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA OFFICIALS 2013-2014

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San Francisco Headquarters Staff – 2013-2014

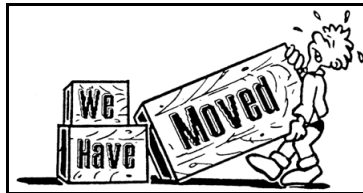
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YEAR – END
Summary Reports
For
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Department Officers
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About the National Commander

Dan Dellinger

Commander Dellinger's theme is "Building for Tomorrow – Today."

The national commander is the chief executive officer and official spokesman of The American Legion, with full power to enforce provisions of the organization's constitution, bylaws and resolutions. Each national commander serves a one-year term, after which a new leader is elected at the national convention. Five national vice commanders who serve different regions are also elected at the national convention each year.

Dan Dellinger of Vienna, Va., was elected national commander of the 2.4 million-member American Legion on Aug. 29, 2013, in Houston, during the 95th national convention of the nation's largest veterans organization.

He became an Army infantry officer after graduating with a degree in criminology from Indiana University of Pennsylvania. He served at Fort Benning, Ga., during the Vietnam War and entered the U.S. Army Reserve in 1972, separating from the service in 1984 at the rank of captain.

A member of the Dyer-Gunnell American Legion Post 180 in Vienna since 1982, Dellinger was made a life member in 1990. He has served as post, district and department commander and chaired numerous committees. At the national level, he chaired the Legislative, National Security and Economics commissions as well as the Aerospace Committee. He served as chairman of the Legislative Council and Membership and Post Activities Committee. He has been a member of the Foreign Relations Council, Policy Coordination, Veterans Planning and Coordinating committees as well as the Legislative Council.

Dellinger is a member of the Sons of the American Legion, Past Commanders and Adjutants Club, Past Department Commander's Club, ANAVICUS and the Citizens Flag Alliance. He has served as a presidential appointee on the Federal Taskforce on SBA Hiring and as vice mayor of the town of Vienna, Va., as well as serving three terms as town councilman. He is a member of the Loyal Order of the Moose and the Loyal Order of the Kentucky Colonels.

He owned and operated a construction management and general contracting firm for 20 years specializing in commercial, institutional and industrial construction.

Dellinger and his wife, Margaret, reside in Vienna. Margaret served as American Legion Auxiliary Unit 180 president for four years and is a past department president of Virginia; daughter, Anne, is a 23-year member of Unit 180; and son, Scott, is a 28-year member of Sons of The American Legion Squadron 180.



About the Western Region National Vice Commander

Douglas Wayne Wooddell

A U.S. Air Force veteran from Aurora, Colo., and former Department of Colorado commander, Douglas Wayne Wooddell is a member of Post 23 in Aurora. He has held numerous leadership positions at the Legion's post, state and national levels. Wooddell served in the Air Force from 1966 to 1969.

DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA OFFICERS

YEAR END SUMMARY REPORTS



Department Commander

Joseph A. Garcia

“Working Together - Side by Side”

Every day we wake up and give thanks to live in the Greatest Country in the world, The United States of America! We all worked together as soldiers to protect this great country. Now in the American Legion, the Greatest Veteran Organization, we work together as Comrades to help fellow Veterans, the families of Veterans, and the Community.

Each and every one of you has made me proud to be your Department Commander. My heart goes out to each of you and I give you thanks for your unselfish contributions to our organization. I know you take time from your lives to give to the programs of the American Legion.

There are many programs that the American Legion supports. I know that especially in this time and age that the Post throughout the State can only do what they can afford. All anyone can ask is that a Post does their best to support our Programs. I am asking that each Post keeps helping and working together to do the best that you can to help our organization, just

do your best. Be proud of what your Post does. Be proud of what you do.

You are a United States Veteran and one of the most important citizens of this great country. You, yes you, have served this country. All of us know, no matter which branch of the armed forces you were in, that at any time you could have put your lives on the line. There are many soldiers who gave their lives for our Freedom, there are many of you who saw combat that fought for our Freedom and yes you were blessed to come home. There are some Legion Members who are still fighting for our Freedom.

We all need to let our Communities know about the programs of our organization. We need everyone in our community to understand why the American Legion exists and what we stand for. We need to let fellow civilians know the meaning of the Four Pillars of the American Legion.

Those of you who have been through the chairs must educate our members in the proper protocol of the American Legion. There are some of the important aspects such as the opening ceremonies, when to salute the Flag, how to introduce our distinguished guest, and how to close a meeting that must be kept intact. Our organization is counting on our members with seniority to keep our traditions; I repeat that our traditions and customs must be kept strong and intact.

The American Legion is leading the way in supporting the Women Veterans. We must continue to focus on our women veterans, they deserve no less. The women Veterans also gave up part of their lives to protect this Great Country.

We all know that the American Legion does much more than just help our fellow veterans and their families. Helping the community and the children’s programs, the local children’s hospitals, the schools, the scholarships, the Veteran hospitals, and helping the severely wounded service members are other ways the American Legion spreads our compassion and love to our fellow Americans.

With the help of the Auxiliary, the Son’s of the American Legion, and the Legion Riders working the Programs of the American Legion to help Veterans and the Community we stand above the rest. Why wouldn’t anyone want to join our organization?

I am so proud of each and every one of you! It is and will always be an honor to be representing the American Legion as your Department Commander. I stand tall, I stand with great Pride, and I stand with each and every one of you as a United States of America Veteran.

Please keep up the great work that you do, you as individuals, you as a team, and you as a member of the American Legion make this organization the Greatest Veteran Organization.

May God bless the Soldiers protecting our country, May God have a special blessing for the Soldiers Families, May God bless each one of you, and May God bless America.



Department Adjutant Bill Siler iii

With the National IT Division On-Line we can now do Membership Reports, Deceased Reports, Forms, Labels, Committee Lists, etc. On AIMS we are able to make some of our forms fillable. We now have 285 posts that are registered for the myLegion site. Of those, there are 44 that use AIM through their myLegion site. With this program National now allows our District Commanders to have this program for the posts in their individual districts. Our Fall Department Executive Committee Meeting (August 2013) was hosted this year at Amador P-108, Sutter Creek by Commander Brian R. Dommies and his crew. The Spring Department Executive Committee Meeting (March 2014) was at Lakewood Post 496 in Long Beach hosted by William V. Miller Jr. and his crew. Thank all of you for a job well done. We have helped veterans and their families this past year through the American Legion Temporary Financial Assistance (TFA) Program. I want to thank all the Legionnaires who

have helped as investigators for this program. MJ reported that this year eleven (11) families were helped with assistance from National totaling \$21,443.83. Private corporation donation to a Veteran Hero in need totaled \$5,000.00. Twenty (20) families were given \$60.00 Thanksgiving and Christmas grocery cards donated through a private anonymous donor via the Veterans Administration. The families selected were prior and some current TFA applicants. This totaled \$2,400.00. The grand total awarded to veterans in need of a hand up was \$28,884.83.

Let's not forget our Department Headquarters Staff. Our staff is very professional and knowledgeable when it comes to The American Legion. Remember how dedicated our entire staff is and remember that none of us could do our jobs if they weren't here to assist us with our jobs. We are still having members that don't seem to know our new address. The address of our new location is: 205 13TH Street, Ste. 3300, San Francisco, CA. 94103

Our Headquarters Staff: Mary Long, Mary Jasinski, Nenita LaCap, Ashmika Singh, Gil Manalo, Kathy Tinitali, and Sarah Etzel. I want to thank them for their hard work and dedication to The American Legion, Department of California.



National Executive Committeeman Alan C. Lennox

It has been my privilege to serve as your National Executive Committeeman for the past two years. As I conclude my service, I look back with pride on our efforts and accomplishments. At times the challenges seem overwhelming and without end, but legionnaires such as you never flinch or give in. Veterans continue to serve and meet the needs of our nation. I often wonder what our great country would be without Veterans still serving America in the American Legion. Who would fight for the four pillars that so nobly define The American Legion's mission?

The National American Legion is clearly an effective organization with great influence. Day in and day out the American Legion continues to address the needs of Veterans and press for a stronger America. The elected officers and staff of the National American Legion are truly committed to the task and are worthy of our respect.

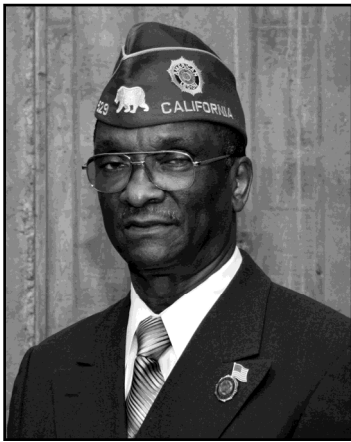
During my tenure I have observed and listened to the challenges, issues and accomplishments from colleagues across the nation. It is truly heartening to realize that Veterans in every corner of America care as we do. In every nook and cranny of America

there go you and I.

The State of California is a premier Department in the American Legion. If one would examine the enormity and magnitude of our challenges, and then examine accomplishments one would observe we are a department of achievement and excellence second to none. Our geographic size, political trendsetting, diversities of industry, competing influences and of people create great challenges. Yet, we legionnaires continue to meet those challenges and improve the lives of Californians throughout our state.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve you and the Veterans of California. It has truly been my privilege and honor, as always, for God and country.

As Always - For God and Country... Al Lennox, NEC



Alternate National Executive Committeeman

Robert C. Brown

Since the State Convention in Palm Springs last year, I attended the DEC at Amador Post 108 then off to the National Convention in Houston TX where Daniel M. Dellinger was elected National Commander. I participated in the memorial service for one of my best friends, Past 6th Area Commander Henry Hicks, on August 31, 2013. September/October was filled with Post, District, County and Area meetings that I attended. Highlights were the African-American Inter-Post Visitations hosted by San Bernardino Post 710 and the Cigar Social fund raiser at Post 434 in Chula Vista. November started with the first meeting of the Los Angeles County Council back in the Bob Hope Patriotic Hall. This was also 40 & 8 Night at LACC. The Hall was officially re-dedicated the following week and I attended that also.

The 17th District Commander, Wayne Yee, invited me to attend a special dinner to entertain PNC and PNA, Robert (Bob) W. Spanogle, who was here to interview and film children/youth activities in the Los Angeles Area for the National Organization. I was invited to be the main speaker for the annual Veterans Day program for the City of Inglewood. Later that afternoon, I attended the program at Jackie Robinson Post (my post) in conjunction with the Hollywood Chapter of the NAACP. The program was well attended and was hosted by the Los Angeles County Council Commander, Patricia Jackson-Kelley. I attended the 5th and 6th Area Caucuses and the Department President, Anita Biggs, official visit to the 23rd District Auxiliary. December was National Commander, Daniel W. Dellinger's, visit to Southern California. The itinerary was printed in The California Legionnaire.

After the NC departed California, I had surgery on my right thigh on my birthday and was out of commission for about 4-5 weeks. I was able to attend the 5th Area Caucus in Brawley thanks to the 4th Area V C, Marilyn Rideaux, who I hitched a ride with. February started with the 4th Area Caucus at Lakewood Post 496. I attended the Inter-Post Visitation hosted by Post 65 in Phoenix, AZ later in the month. March started with the Annual 23rd District Dinner honoring the Department Commander, Joe Garcia, held at Community Post 46 in Culver City. The attendance was great and our special guest was the Department President, Anita Biggs. Everyone seemed to enjoy the tribute to Commander Joe.

The next week-end was the DEC at Lakewood Post 496 in the 19th District. I had the honor of picking up two of our National VIP's at the Long Beach Airport. They were Doug W. Wooddell NVC Western States and Leading Candidate for NC 2015-16, Harold "Dale" Barnett from Douglasville, GA. I was given the honor of introducing Dale to the DEC by the NEC Man, Al Lennox. During my report to the DEC, I gave a detail report on NC Dellinger's visit to Southern California. Do to the length of the report, I am unable to include it here but I want to thank everyone once again for their support.

They say that all good things must come to an end. I will agree with that statement because my term as Alternate NEC will be coming to an end at the National Convention in Charlotte, NC in August. I have truly enjoyed traveling and spending quality time with our PNC James E. Koutz 2013 and Daniel M. Dellinger 2014. I want to thank all the Legionnaires that supported me these past 2 years and I hope that you extend to my successor the same, if not more, support to the office of Alternate NEC representing the Department of California for the next two (2) years. Thanks again and I will see you in Santa Clara in June.



Department Sergeant-at-Arms

Bill Reed

My profound thanks to Department Commander Joseph A. Garcia; he is truly one of a kind. And members of The American Legion, Department of California, it has been an honor for me to serve as your 2013-2014 Sergeant-at-Arms. It has been very rewarding to say the least.

Starting with the Department Installation in Palm Springs, CA (06/2013), our work began. Three Department installations of Districts 17, 18 and 19 followed. The Fall DEC at Amador Post 108, Sutter Creek, CA. and the Spring DEC at Lakewood Post 496 Lakewood, CA were places to be.

Under a new format, National only sent our National Commander to Southern California this year for his visit. We were privileged to hold two dinners for National Commander Dan Dellinger, one at Post 280 (18th Dist.) and the other at Post 283 (24th Dist.), in his honor; also attended our 6th Area caucuses at Post 125, Lompoc, CA and Post 241 Baldwin Park, CA. 4th Area caucus in Culver

City, CA Post 46 on October 5, 2013.

The Sergeant-At-Arms position can be very demanding, but I would like to thank Marilyn Rideaux and Ed Grimsley for their expertise and help. I appreciate it.

In closing, remember – To be courageous requires no exceptional qualifications, no magic formula, no special combination of time, place and/or circumstance. It is an opportunity that sooner or later is presented to us all.



Department Vice Commander Representing Area One

E. Paul Ball

A year ago, at the Department Convention in Palm Springs, I raised my right hand and took the oath of office as the new Vice Commander representing Area 1. In taking that oath, I dedicated myself to ensuring that the coming year would be one of building on the successes of our past Area Vice Commanders and to moving the Area and its members forward. It's a big Area and it is a big job - 53,000 square miles encompassing 26 counties and 4.7 million people. Our Area has 7 districts, 93 posts, and 12,700 members. Fortunately, I was blessed with an outstanding team of Officers and Commissioners that took up the challenge as well.

At the beginning of my year, and at the request of our Department Commander, I began to tackle several Post administrative issues including Officer Certification and Post Audits. And the Area 1 team went to work immediately on expanding our ability to serve our Veterans and our communities. We dug in with a dedication to improve our membership (we close out the year in second place), to improving our mentoring, and to train our future leaders and committee chairs for success.

The entire Area 1 team dedicated themselves to preserving our American values and our way of life through teaching our children the rich history of America and the part we veterans played in preserving this country.

Above all, we worked hard to ensure the Legion's four pillars were ever front and center as we embraced our new year of opportunity, proving the power of "We" working together to accomplish much.

We have had strong participation this year in such programs as Boys State, Scouting, Youth Environmental, Children and Youth, Ritual, and most of all...our Disaster Preparedness program.

The training we offered was a key component of each of our Area meetings. Conducted by our Commissioners on their particular subjects, it has proven to be an extremely valuable part of what our District Commanders take back to improve the programs in both their Districts and their local Posts

It has been a special bonus to have a strong leadership team in place to guide our work. A huge thanks to Department Commander Joseph A. Garcia, Department Adjutant Bill Siler III, Executive Secretary Mary Jasinski, Editor Dave Eby. and the entire Headquarters Staff. It has been an honor and privilege for me to have worked with each of you this year.

My goal was to build on the successes of Area 1's previous Vice Commanders. With their guidance, I think the Area has been moved forward once again.



Department Vice Commander Representing Area Two

Janet M. Wilson

First let me thank all the dedicated Legionnaires in Area 2, for your continued service to our Legion. Thank you to: 8th District Commander Eduardo Ramirez, 9th District Commander Dave Jackson, 10th District Commander Ron Parshall, 13th District Commander Lawrence Doutherd, District 26th Commander Jerry Redford, and District 28th Commander James Scariot. They were a crucial part of the leadership roles that helped members and enhanced our Area. The National revitalization membership drive in February, helped to increase membership and taught us how to recruit, retain our members, and helped many posts in District 8, 9 and 10 reach their 100% goal. Thank you to all those that volunteered to work this very successful event, and keep working on those call sheets.

I want to give other members of our family, Riders, Sons and Auxiliary a special recognition for their programs and events that enrich our Posts and Districts. We know how vital they are and want them to know how much we need them, and never what them to be forgotten, or overlooked.

The Four Chaplains service in San Francisco held each year was another aspect of Area 2 highlights for me and this year surpassed with record numbers in attendance. Please remember to mark your calendars for next year, the 2nd Saturday in February.

I would like to thank Post 29 Martinez and Post 593 Prunedale, for allowing me to use their Post homes to host my Area meetings. Both Posts were great with hospitality and support. Thank you.

I wish you all the best for your convention, and for the year to come, continuing the legend of the Legion, and its programs. Stay positive, enjoy the journey and remember: For God and Country and our military in service, keep them in your prayers, they are our future. Making a difference, Passing it ON!



Department Vice Commander Representing Area Three

Walt Butler

What has this year seen for Area 3. Unlike last year we have not met our Membership Goals but we have seen some minor problems, not the least was the new mailing address for the Department. An area that needs attrition is the Department By-Laws, as I leave office I ask each post to review those by-laws, specifically Certification of Post Officers and Post Audits.

I have enjoyed working with the District Commanders this year; I want to thank Scott McKee for his assistance in putting on the Service Officer Training for the Area, District 12 Commander John Kirwin for his Adjutant & 1st Vice Commander training.

I wish the incoming Vice Commander the best of luck, it will be tough on membership with the dues increase, some posts have chosen to keep their dues at \$30 and that will be a good selling point for next year, for those posts that chose to raise the dues it will take a little more work but I'm sure you can keep up the renewals.

I attended the 4 Chaplains Service at Department and was very impressed with the way Chaplain Crooks set it up, I encourage all members who can to attend as it is very good service. I also urge all members to attend their District Meetings and the State Convention for it is the Blue Caps on the floor that make this a GREAT organization. Incoming District Commanders learn what your positions is and the responsibility that it has at the Department Executive Committee meetings.

LET'S ALL GET INVOLVED AND MAKE THE NEXT YEAR FOR AREA 3 THE BEST YET.



Department Vice Commander Representing Area Four

Marilyn E. Rideaux

This has been very challenging year for me as Department Vice-Commander and before I go any further I want to thank those who walked side-by-side with me during this year and even took my hand and led me down the path as needed. Despite the ups and downs, Area 4 is still standing strong. Why? It's because we have some dedicated Legionnaires in District 17, 19, and 23 who generously donate not only their valuable time but share their knowledge and experience as well. The best thing about having served as Vice Commander to Area 4 is that it allowed me to personally get to know some of the "go-getters." I would like to thank District Commander Wayne Yee of the "sensible 17th," District Commander Dennis Radcliffe of the "noisy 19th," and District Commander Jeep Barnes of the "teamin' 23rd" District for supporting the mission. Special thanks to Gil Soto (19), the best historian ever, John Bartos (17), Robert

Brown (23), Henry Brown (23), Marvin Levy (23), Sgt-at-Arms *Emeritus*, Robert Mitchell (19), "Mr. American Legion Baseball," and William "Bill" Miller (19) for being on my team.

I am not going to bore you with my travel this year. My only regret is that I was not able to attend as many meetings and events as I had hoped to due to prolonged illness not to mention that I work full-time. For the record, I want to say that I am very proud of the time and attention that was given to programs such as baseball, Boys State, oratorical, scouting, JROTC and other children & youth programs, support for women veterans, the Troops, and homeless veterans and veteran families.

Area 4 held three (3) caucuses this year. The dates were October 5, 2013, February 1, 2014, and May 3, 2014. I would like to thank all of you who were able to visit Area 4 this year, especially National Commander Dan Dellinger, National Auxiliary President, Nancy Brown-Park, Department Commander Joseph Garcia and his wife, Esther, Department Auxiliary President, Anita Biggs, Alternate NEC, Robert Brown, Department Service Officer, Scott McKee, Department Sgt-at-Arms, William "Bill" Reed, Department Chaplain, Hugh Crooks, Department Vice Commander-Area 2, Janet Wilson, Department Vice Commander-Area 6, Scott Sinclair, Department Historian and Aide to the Department Commander, Ed Alvarez and his wife, Pat. In addition, thanks to ALL the candidates who also visited us as well. Although I did not mention everyone by name, your presence was equally as important to me.

As the year winds down and we prepare to attend Department Convention, I want Area 4 to know that I am very proud that we held first-place in Department for quite some time this year. Although we are now in third place, there ain't no stopping us now – we're still on the move! In conclusion, in case you missed this in an issue of the California Legionnaire, I think it important enough to share again. There are five (5) words in the Preamble to the Constitution that are constantly mis-pronounced: **perpetuate** (per-pet-u-ate), **inculcate** (in-cul-cate), **autocracy** (au-toc-ra-cy), **posterity** (pos-ter-i-ty), and **consecrate** (con-se-crate).

For God and Country people, let's get it right!



Department Vice Commander Representing Area Five

Lee Quarcelino

First I would like to thank all that who served the 5th Area during the last year. The Comrades that volunteered to work and help are all the best and have my appreciation. Luckily, there were no bumps in the road this year. The District Commanders kept their Districts in order. District Commanders and 1st Vice Commanders: I heartily commend you for your participation in the Area meetings and your reports. Thank you for your membership accomplishments and the time you spent traveling and answering calls in the night.

The Area was raising money this year for VA&R. I feel that of all the important things that the Legion does is that VA&R is the most important of all. We must take care of our Veterans.

Though the year is not over, Area 5 is striving to be Number 1 in membership. One Commander commented, "well- you have the biggest Area in California" I informed him that we have a huge number of members and it is harder for my Area to get 12,000 members to pay

and you only have 4000 to get. I know that it is not easy to get the members to pay. Remember that we can only serve so many, but with numbers we serve and provide for all. Help us help you.

I think that all of us need to be together. We are almost the biggest membership state in the United States and we can overpower the vote. Let's stay focused and support our troops, our families, and our country. Have a great rest of the year and a great Convention. Good luck to all who is running for office.

God Bless all of you and our Country



Department Vice Commander Representing Area Six

Scott Sinclair

Greetings Comrades,

What a great year it has been. I have been completely honored to represent you as your 6th Area Vice Commander. You all have been extremely welcoming to me in my travels to see all of you. I thank you for the hard work you all have done all year.

The 6thArea was honored to host the National Commander for 3 nights. `1 night in the 18thDistrict at Post 280 in East Pasadena. We also had 2 nights in the 24thDistrict. Posts 43 Hollywood and Post 283 Palisades. From what I could tell he had a great time and I know the Legionnaires in the Area were grateful to have hosted him.

Our first caucus was well attended at Post 125 in Lompoc. We were able to have the Dept. Membership Director there to help guide us. We hope to improve the turn out at our next caucus on March 22 in Baldwin Park. The Department Commander Joe Garcia gave our Area his

official visit at our 2ndCaucus in March at Abraham Lincoln Post 241 in Baldwin Park.

We have been able to support our fellow Veterans in many different ways this year. We have had Stand Downs, Recovery Rides, Welcome Home events, Deployment events, trips to VA Hospitals and the list can go on and on, but YOU ALL have shown what it is to be a true Legionnaire.

The 6thArea is now home to the newest Homeless Veterans Home in El Monte. It opened earlier this year and will be able to house 43 homeless or low income Veterans with VA and local benefits available to them on site.

All year long the 6thArea has been battling the membership ups and downs. I can say that even though the 6thArea has been at the bottom of the list most of the year but we all have given it our best and with a few innovative membership drives I don't see us ending up in 6thplace. I congratulate the other Areas on a tough fair fight all year long but the 6thwill prevail in the end.

I am so proud of what the 6thArea has done to make sure that the American Legion name and traditions are upheld. I can honestly tell you that we have our fair share of the states professionals here in the 6tharea. It has been a pleasure so far representing them in all that they do for God and Country as they are "Working Together, Side by Side" and I look forward to the next few months as we continue to do the good work that we all do.

I want to thank you all again for making this year one to remember. I can honestly say I will not forget it. Please enjoy your time here at our Convention in Santa Clara.



Department Chaplain

Hugh E. Crooks Jr.

Hello Department of California! This is one of the hardest articles I have had to write as it will be my last one for the Book of Reports as your Chaplain. I first must thank Commander Joseph Garcia for allowing me to be your Department Chaplain. When I suggested that I could enhance the position of Chaplain, he had full faith in me to be able to do that. I now feel that I have not let you or him down. We have changed the way we do the Post Everlastings at Department Executive Committee Meetings. Hopefully, we have increased the dignity given to our comrades and shown them how much they really have meant to us.

During this year I developed what I call my "Post Everlasting Bag". I found a bag and placed the following articles inside of it: an American Legion Bell; a gavel; a CD player; a copy of Taps; and a copy of the prayer which is given at the ceremony. I find a veteran in the audience and ask him to help with the ceremony. I start with a few remarks that describe not only how much we will miss our departed comrade, but explain to those who are not members of the American Legion what Post Everlasting is, and how we will all see our departed

comrade at a later date. I then describe the Last Roll Call, and proceed. The veteran's name is called, the bell rung and the person helping calls out in a loud voice from the back of the hall: "No Response", and the prayer is given. I have found that this service is not long, but shows how much we dignify our comrades, and each time I have used it you never have to search for words and realize you are doing the job of an American Legion Chaplain.

I don't know if you were able to be present at the Department's Four Chaplains Service. This was not a service for the Department Chaplain to speak for 2 hours, but a time of celebration of the courageous and brave Four Chaplains who truly believed in our one God. I thank ALL of the Legion family who were involved and helped. It was uplifting to see that we could change the service to make it more visual and be able to send everyone home with good feelings. If you would like a copy of this please contact MJ as it belongs to the Department of California. Hopefully, those Chaplains that are after me will make even more changes and take this to an even higher level.

I've received a copy of the Chaplains report from twenty-three (23) of the Chaplains and find it gratifying that they are doing the work of spiritually uplifting the membership. If you are a Chaplain and did not turn one in please do it next year, as this is one of the few ways that the Department Chaplain can find out what the Chaplains are doing, I hope that you shared this report with your Post, District and Area. I do not have enough space to thank everyone personally that made this year as good as it was.... Just remember that the American Legion Preamble starts with the phrase: "For God and Country".... with God always being first.



Department Parliamentarian

Gary Leach

It has been an honor for me to serve as your Department Parliamentarian these past two years. I want to extend my thanks to Commander Joe Garcia for having the confidence in me to reappoint me to this important position. It has been a very rewarding experience for me, and I hope you have all learned something about parliamentary procedure from the California Legionnaire articles I have submitted.

Our annual convention always results in a number of resolutions being brought to the floor. Each one provides an opportunity for debate, followed by a vote on whether or not to adopt. Therefore, I think the beginning of the convention would be a good time to review the rules of decorum during debate. Webster defines decorum as "correct or proper behavior that shows respect and good manners." The Journal of the House of Commons is one of the earliest known references on parliamentary procedure. In the year 1604, here's what it had to say on the subject of decorum: "He that digresseth from the Matter, to fall upon the Person, ought to be suppressed by the Speaker. ... No reviling or nipping words must be used." The language used may seem

archaic today, but the intent survives. The following is a brief summation of proper decorum from Robert's Rules of Order:

In debate, a member's remarks must be germane to the question before the assembly.

A member can condemn the nature or likely consequences of a proposed measure in strong terms, but he must avoid personalities, and under no circumstances can he attack or question the motives of another member. The measure, not the member, is the subject of debate.

Members of an assembly cannot address one another directly, but must address all remarks “through the chair.” The use of names of members should be avoided in debate. Officers should always be addressed by their titles. Others should always be addressed in the third person, such as: the member who spoke last, the delegate from District . . . , etc.

As our annual convention gets underway, let’s keep these rules in mind. Let’s all conduct ourselves with the proper decorum, respect one another’s rights, and have a productive and enjoyable convention.



Department Service Officer Scott F. McKee

Another Legion Year has come to an end and the 96th Department Convention is convened in the heart of Silicon Valley known as Santa Clara. The challenges of the VA in meeting our veterans and their dependents needs have grown exponentially. There are many factors which contribute to this growth, including an aging veteran population (WW II, Korea, Vietnam), as well as a young veteran population (Persian Gulf, Iraq, Afghanistan) returning from multiple deployments in hostile zones. During this age of austerity, with budget cuts, and our government looking at reduction in military forces the demand for our services is and will be greater than it has been in the past. Unlike the claims filed from our previous conflicts, which would average a few disabilities and/or issues, today's claims average 8 issues or more. They are more complicated with the signature claims of these wars and conflicts of PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder), and TBI Traumatic Brain Injury.

These young veterans, active, reserve, and guard are entering the civilian world and seeking employment, as well as the myriad of VA benefits. Both of these groups seek the use of the VA medically, compensably (compensation/pension, GI Bill Education and Home Guaranty), and finally for end of life needs (hospice, burial, survivor dependency). Between our fiscal years 2009-2010, 2012-2013, and now 2012-2013 we have seen a dramatic increase into the filing of VA Benefit claims. Especially with the advent of the VA introducing the filing of claims through eBenefits, and the new development in the VA going paperless by introducing two new internet tools for claims processing known as the (SEP) Stakeholders Enterprise Portal, and VBMS (Veterans Benefits Management Systems). These have been developed from the old paper processing to the new technology, which is hoped that all veteran claims will be done in a virtual environment in order to expedite the claim, and eventually eliminate the backlog. Each and everyone of our offices co-located in the Los Angeles, Oakland, and San Diego Regional Offices are undergoing new training and retooling in order to meet those demands to assist out veterans and their dependents in the 21st Century.

The demands on our staff both at the VA Regional offices and hospitals have increased just as last year, and will further increase over the years, especially with the Pentagons proposal to reduce the US Army by another 100,000 troops.

This is the staff who has assisted you this past year in the different VA regional offices beginning with Los Angeles - Service Officers - Cynthia Mann, Fernando Martinez (continues to serve on Active Duty with the US Navy), Mike Camarena who continues to serve as a valued asset to the team in Los Angeles, Administrative Assistant Jaclyn Cano, Secretary/Receptionist - Emy Crisostomos, and myself Department Service Officer for the State of California Scott McKee; Oakland -Service Officer (Supervisor) - John Kelley, Service Officers, Michael Robertson, also two fairly new members of the VA & R team, which have shown to be of great value, James Jackson Service Officer, LeAne Watts Claims Specialist, and receptionist/Secretary Pat Terzakis; San Diego - Service Officer (Supervisor) Josie Grafilo, Service Officer Nestor Soriano, and Administrative Assistant Mirna Porter-Cuen. I would like to personally thank this staff, which has done their utmost in assisting veterans, whether they are Legionnaires or not, as well as their dependents in the filing of claims with the VA. Combined this staff has over, estimated of 245 years in VA and military matters and experience. They not only serve this Great Organization with zeal and passion but our staffs of the VA & R Division just aren't here as a job but as a calling. In today's world that is rare and it shows in the amount of veterans and dependents who want to have the American Legion represent them with their claims. Due to our annual training the Service Officers and staff of the VA & R Division of the Department of California continue to have the latest and greatest knowledge expertise, and experience of any service organization. We pride ourselves in doing all we can in providing nothing but excellence to the veteran's and their dependents we serve.

Added to the outstanding staff at the VA regional office we have an excellent array of devoted Legionnaires who serve with that same zeal and passion our veteran community in nine of our VA Regional Hospitals and Clinics. These tireless Legionnaires work in these following facilities: Fresno VAMC- Raymond Gravano, Martinez VA OPC-Joseph Koonin, Palo Alto VAMC-Jeffery Postlewaite, Sacramento VA OPC-Edward Hoxworth, Loma Linda VAMC-Eddie Jordan, and our new Hospital Representative in San Diego VAMC-Casey Davis. Under the Los Angeles County Council Administration of the American Legion VA & R, we have Hospital Representatives at, Long Beach VAMC Frank Sellers, and currently they are looking to hire at the West Los Angeles VAMC

a Service Officer. We have heard great news from the Los Angeles County Council of a new hire out of the 25th District, Past District Commander Josephine Thomas will be the new Hospital Representative at the OPC Clinic Sepulveda. These are the point team of VA IG Accredited Hospital Representatives, which are on the frontlines at the hospitals, and clinics where many veterans seek our help in dealing with the bureaucracy of the VA. One American Legion, with one team focused on helping veterans, and their dependents to receive their just earned benefits they fought for.

We should also report, and must not leave out you, the Legionnaires, at the local posts who do all you can to promote the organization, and report to your fellow Legion Family, and citizens the vital work we do together for those who have served, who do serve, and those future generations who will serve. Along with this is a partnership in almost every one of our counties throughout the State of California, and that is the County Veteran Service Offices. Did you know many of our claims we receive at our offices at the VA regional Offices come from these dedicated people? If a hospital or regional office is not close enough to your home, more than likely a County Service Officer is readily available in filling out a claim with the VA. Put this all together and the VA & R Division of the American Legion for the Department of California makes it happen. We have seen the lives of veterans and their dependents go from frustration and despair (which there is still a great deal of) to one where the veteran and his/her families receive a higher standard of living, better healthcare, which leads to a better more productive life.

To improve upon our first pillar of the American Legion we have had the fifth year of our VA & R education seminar program/workshop at each of the Area Meetings I attended. I can't thank the Area Vice Commanders enough for their support in implementing this program. Legionnaires, and Auxiliary Members (Women's, Sons of the American Legion, and Legion Riders) when I make my annual visit to the Area meetings you are encouraged and invited to attend one of the seminars, as you will find it valuable knowledge to know. You may not see the value at that point but it may come in handy later down the road of your Legion or personal journey. You don't have to be a Hospital Representative or the Post Service Officer; you just need the desire to learn about how you too can assist our fellow veterans and their dependents in filing for VA benefits. The added benefit to this knowledge is for you by, becoming familiar with the many VA benefits. In the course of Legionnaires life he/she will eventually go to the VA to seek some benefit/benefits. Whether it is GI Bill education, Home Guarantee and/or CalVet Home Loan, health care, compensation/pension, or end of life needs you will file for one of these services. Being familiar with the VA Claims process along with your dependents will make it a great deal easier in dealing with the VA.

This year we continued with our VA & R program known as the "*Full VA Seminar; Becoming familiar with the VA Claims process.*" This is not only for the Post Service Officers but is for all hands and is open to the general veteran population. We had one this year at the Clovis Veterans Memorial Hall in Clovis, California and had good attendance. We require reservations and limit of about 50 people. We felt more than that would not be suitable to a good exchange educational environment. Hopefully we will be able to offer these throughout the state next year. Please let us know in each area if you would like to have this type of seminar.

The VA & R Seminars we put together is based upon the Post Service Officer Guide, which each post receives at the beginning of each Legion year. Unfortunately this past year due to the delay in updating of the *American Legion Post Service Officer Guide* it was not printed at the National level, and sent to the posts. Please look for it possibly, we hope in the early autumn time frame. Our seminars cover the VA & R Basic benefits, programs, and it is up to you if you want to take the easy exam to better measure your understanding of the material. If you're like me, and exams make you nervous, not to worry it is very basic information and many have taken the exam successfully. The exam is for you and if you have any questions it will help focus on questions you may have concerning VA benefits.

For our Hospital Representatives this is your continuing education, and as the VA laws and regulations change, you must become familiar with it in order for you to assist those veterans, and their dependents you serve. Since I will be in each Area throughout the state, and you are located in one of the 6 Areas, I ask you to attend so Department can do all we can to help you with your job in the medical centers or clinics.

We are noticing these workshops are gaining momentum, as it is taught in all six of the Areas, once per year. If you miss the one in your Area be aware some of these Areas neighbor up with other Areas (especially in the more metropolitan areas), so you are more than welcome to play catch-up and attend. When I visit your Area please take the time out to attend one of these classes you'll be surprised on how much you'll learn. Again this year I hope I will be allotted the time to have our annual VA & R workshop at the 96th Convention in Santa Clara, California. The BVA is dramatically changing and the emphasis will be on filing through the internet *eBenefits, which includes (healthy vet), claims lanes, and of course presumptives for herbicide exposure 9Agent Orange), Gulf War exposures, service connected disabilities, as well as end of life benefits* to name a few. The focus, at the Area meeting will be the same as the Convention but will also cover the basics of filing a claim. So check the Department Convention Agenda for the day, time, and place of the workshop.

Like all years past in the VA & R Division, this one, also has been a very busy one. Due to challenges the VA has been facing recently, with the massive backlog, the VA budget, and increased volume of workload, our service officers have been vigilant to find and correct any inaccuracies or mistakes made by the VA. Services we provide range from assistance with VA medical care, claims, appeals, VA insurance programs, burial benefits, veterans' employment, Veterans Affairs Volunteer Services, and by continuing as liaisons with the administrators of California State Veterans Affairs programs. Other efforts are geared toward maintaining and improving VA benefits through work with state, local veterans affairs agencies, congressional committees, executive branches of government, and other federal agencies.

Additionally we would like to thank the local Posts and veterans who have shown gratitude for the services of our VA & R Division by their donations. The demand is great, but resources are limited, because of the continued floundering of the economy, increased healthcare needs, conflicts throughout the world, more, and more veterans and their dependents are filing for VA benefits.

Thanks to donations like these, we in the VA & R Division can meet the future challenges, and continue to provide an important, high quality service to California veterans and their dependents or survivors.

At every American Legion Meeting I attend we always recite the *Preamble to the American Legion* and end it by saying... “sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness”. This truly translates into that sacred pledge President Abraham Lincoln called us to do... “Let us strive on to finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow and his orphan.” This is what your VA & R Division is all about, and we will solemnly pledge to heed his call year after year.

Now the numbers for this past year:

First is Workload- Regional Offices & VA Medical Centers

2013-2014 (9 Months) July 1, 2013-March 31, 2014

Personal interviews: 9,555 Telephone in/out: 25,158

VA files reviewed (non-rating board): 9,704 VA files reviewed (rating actions): 13,229

New or Reopened claims filed: 15,174 Power of Attorney gained: 3,485

Correspondence in/out: 163,816

Appeals: Allowed: 14% Remanded: 48% Denied: 38%

Second is Average Return on Investment

	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014
Budget	\$816,922	\$948,678	\$948,678
Workload	\$706,793,033	\$858,375,493.50	989,639,984.25
Return	\$865.19	\$904.81	\$1,043.18

Department Service Officer McKee continued...

Third is the Average Return of Federal Dollars Returned

By the Department of California American Legion Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Division

July 1, 2013 – July 30, 2014

	OAKLAND	LOS ANGELES	SAN DIEGO	TOTAL	PER/MO
JULY	31,780,446.00	14,674,444.00	26,008,780.00	72,463,670.00	\$72.4M
AUGUST	32,973,459.00	16,889,141.00	27,017,194.00	76,879,794.00	\$76.9M
SEPTEMBER	29,566,040.00	16,561,310.00	26,588,081.00	72,715,431.00	\$72.3M
OCTOBER	32,819,251.00	16,431,206.00	26,476,716.00	75,727,173.00	\$75.7M
NOVEMBER	30,165,083.00	13,948,582.00	25,952,291.00	70,065,956.00	\$70.7M
DECEMBER	30,386,364.00	13,968,103.00	25,310,087.00	69,664,554.00	\$69.6M
JANUARY	31,949,239.00	14,859,958.00	25,420,001.00	72,229,198.00	\$71.7M
FEBRUARY	32,211,588.00	14,513,707.00	25,942,657.00	72,667,922.00	\$72.6M
MARCH	33,332,981.00	16,515,828.00	27,497,367.00	77,346,176.00	\$77.3M
APRIL (TBD)					
MAY (TBD)					
JUNE (TBD)					
TOTAL	\$285,184,421.00	\$138,362,279.00	236,213,174.00	\$659,759,874.00	\$82,469,984.25

FORECAST: \$989,639,811.00

This summary of VA&R division’s workload doesn’t illustrate many other day-to-day activities, ranging from discharge upgrades to assisting veterans in obtaining their military medals or records. VA&R’s mission is to serve as an informed source available to California’s veterans and their families on all veterans’ programs.

On behalf of myself, and the staff of the VA&R Division, it is an honor and privilege to serve as your Department Service Officer. We look forward to the challenges facing us in an uncertain world assisting veterans and their dependents in their earned benefits and making their lives better.

Additionally we would like to thank veterans who have shown gratitude for the services of our VA & R Division by donations up to \$2,000. Just this fiscal year, because of your generosity, we have received over \$10,000 in donations. With changes in the economy, healthcare, continued conflicts throughout the world more and more veterans are filing for VA benefits. Thanks to donations like these, we in Rehab can meet the future challenges, and continue to provide an important, high quality service to California veterans and their dependents or survivors.

I want to personally thank our Department Commander Joe Garcia, the Officers of Department, Department Adjutant Bill Siler iii & Staff, Personnel Committee, Finance, Ways and Means, VA & R, and Commissioners for having confidence in me to lead this great division. In this seemingly more hostile world we live in, we will have to face the future challenges and partnering, not only with the Veterans Administration but the Department of Defense, as well as state and local government: In “caring for him who hath borne the battle, and for his widow, and for his orphan.” W A. Lincoln 1864

We can no longer do it alone or leave it up to elected leaders for the task is too large for one entity.



Department Historian

Edward M. Alvarez

The Department Historian position has been an eye opening experience for me as a legionnaire, traveling throughout the State of California visiting many Posts, Districts, and Areas-some have never had a visitation by a Department Commander. We went to many different veterans’ locations throughout the state-from attending the Vietnam Veteran’s Memorial in Sacramento, Four Chaplain’s Ceremony in San Francisco, to our DEC in Amador, to the Veterans Day Parade in Redlands, to the Homecoming in Anaheim for our National Auxiliary President Nancy Brown Park from our own State of California.

I would like to thank Commander Garcia for appointing me as Department Historian and his Aide. We’ve had a lot of fun making visitations to all the Posts we visited North and South. At one of these posts it was interesting to see that the last commander that the Post recognized by having a picture on the wall was Past Department Commander Gumbar. Commander Garcia made sure they received a new picture of him to hang on the wall. It was very enjoyable to

make visitations with Commander Garcia because not only is a likable guy but he is respectful and courteous to everyone he meets. He is an excellent representative of the American Legion Department of California when he represents the American Legion.

Many time a Post has difficulty filling the Historian position because it is misunderstood at the Post level on how important it is. There have been almost 3000 pictures taken this year of our visitations and/or special events that we have attended. Thank God for digital cameras because if this was the old type of film, it would cost a fortune and time to get them developed.

I look forward along with Past Department Historians to being able to judge your history books at the convention this year. Please be sure you check the Officer’s Manual for the rules on judging because any book that goes on to National is judged to the letter of the rules and Officer’s Manual.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at convention in Santa Clara and to Commander Joe having an outstanding convention.



Welcome,

Are you a member of The American Legion? Is a family member?

Then you’re in the right place!

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Department Judge Advocate

Robert Carolan

We have come a long way this past year in the Judge Advocate's office. It is a journey that I do not wish to repeat. This office is almost equally divided between assisting in a business atmosphere and defending in a legal atmosphere. Yet it is the legal atmosphere that consumes the majority of our time and money. This phenomenon is created by the insidious use of the "lounge" to relax in that the American Legion graciously allows in our Posts but does not recognize as part of the organization. It is here where an estimated 50% of our legal problems arise. I can attest to this. The other 50% arises predominately from internal conflicts and from outside sources not controlled by the American Legion.

The first 50% can be rectified almost immediately. The Post bar **MUST** be under the control and direction of the Post; not the House Committee, not the Bar Committee, nor any other committee designated to oversee this operation. It is the responsibility of the Post Executive Committee to control all bar operations. The appointed permanent or temporary committees for bar operations simply administer the Executive Committees' directives. If a liquor license is involved, strict adherence to liquor laws must be obeyed. Bartenders must be trained on how to handle customers including non-member customers. But above all else, Bar Regulations **MUST** be formulated by the Executive Committee and **POSTED** in the bar areas. This is the business part of the Post operation and is simply an exercise of common sense. This should reduce, or perhaps eliminate, the number of incidents which create legal problems which, as I have said, consumes most of our time and money.

The other 50%, generated from internal and external sources, usually has no immediate solution. In this area, the main culprit is the lack of control over the Post's money and losses from embezzlement. The word "trust" here is totally overused and is the best source of all Post losses. It is trust that erroneously offers total reliability rather than "control" because it does not have to be understood like control. As I have stated throughout the year, Post officers allow this to happen. Trust is easier to administer than control. When losses occur in the American Legion, most are not reported for 2 basic reasons: first embarrassment by Post officers and second not knowing what to do when a loss is discovered. I have given you a solution to this problem which is called "internal control". It is because of these 2 basic reasons that we do not know the total dollar losses each year among our 14,000 Posts worldwide in the American Legion.

The first item to address is embarrassment. Forget it! You are not the first and will not be the last to suffer monetary losses. Get to work and find the approximate amount and source of any loss. Get professional help immediately, especially if the loss is sizeable. Take control of bank accounts and credit and debit cards. Notify all, including your bank and credit card companies. Above all, file a report with the local police department. All will give you basic advice which you will need. But don't forget that this is only half of what you have to do. The other half is to stop future leaks and this solution I have already given to you. It is called **GUIDELINES FOR CASH INTERNAL CONTROL FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS 2014**. If you need to see it, refer to the February 2014 edition of *The California Legionnaire* on Page 9.

The next part of the second 50% is the internal conflict within a Post. It is generated by rumor, poor communication and a total lack of knowledge of American Legion legal processes. It is also generated by a total lack of knowledge of the Post Bylaws. Understanding and utilization of the Bylaws will eliminate most of the questions and problems arising within the Post. The Department Officer's Guide is also an excellent source for seeking answers to Post problems. The Department Trial Manual is the next source if all else fails. Hopefully, this source can be avoided and should be avoided especially by compromise. Lack of compromise is a major factor in allowing problems to spread and is virtually missing from the Post vocabulary and replaced by the word "retaliation".

During this past year we were called upon to assist to resolve major issues in 17 of our Posts. Some of these cases are still open and 3 more are pending. Another case names us individually in the California Superior Court. The 17 cases involved covered appeals to the DEC; expulsion of members; eligibility of members; recall of Post Commanders; revocation of a Post charter; suspension of members; Post embezzlement; criminal and civil cases from lounge operations. We were also busy in advising Posts of IRS filing requirements and IRS audits. We spent many hours advising members to study their Post Bylaws, the Department Trial Manual and the Officer's Guide. All of this work we accomplished with the aid of only 3 of our members who volunteered their valuable time and expertise. They are Rees Lloyd, Esq., Jeff Seaton, Esq. and John "Doc" Bart. I thank you comrades.

In closing out this year, I was fortunate to attend the IRS National Phone Forum which covered only exempt organizations under our 501 (c) (19), for veterans' organizations. This was such an excellent presentation that I pass it on to our members. The following was noted:

1. **DD-214's do NOT have to be kept on file at the Post.**
2. The Post Membership Register can be used to verify membership.
3. Form 8822b was not covered.
4. Loss of tax exempt status.
5. Annual Coverage Test.
6. UBTI taxable income issues.
7. Bingo issues that are taxable in some cases.
8. How to correct errors and deficiencies.

All of these problems are covered in the IRS manual, TAX GUIDE FOR VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS, Publication #3386, which can be obtained at their website www.irs.gov. All Posts should keep a copy on file. Be aware that the IRS, upon audit, will be looking to see if any Post fails to report Unrelated Business Taxable Income. This is their primary goal.

While this office observes primarily the worst and yet only a minor segment of our organization, we must keep in mind that the major segment is a wonderful volunteer organization giving to both veterans and civilians alike. We demand nothing in return except perhaps decent and timely VA Healthcare. The greatest gift the American Legion gave to our country, except for our member's own service, was from our 1937 National Commander, Harry W. Colmery, who wrote the G.I. Bill. We must never forget it.



Immediate Past Department Commander Kenneth A. Kramlich

It has been my extreme privilege to have the opportunity of serving the members of the Department of California as their Junior Past Commander, for the term 2013-2014. I would not have been able to fulfill my duties without the support and love of my wife, Darlene, and my entire family.

God Bless and remember: God, Country, and the California Legion Family.

Note: It is with a heavy heart that we report Ken's wife of 49 years, Darlene Rose Kramlich passed away on April 24th at Lodi Memorial Hospital with her family at her side.



THE AMERICAN LEGION DAYS AT YOUNTVILLE VETERANS HOME

The
American Legion
State Baseball
Tournament
is scheduled
for the weekend
following the
Annual Picnic



Friday, July 25, 2014

Golf Tournament - Vintner's Golf Course - On the grounds of the Veterans Home
Ralph Jacob, Golf Chairman

Saturday, July 26

Events of the Day are still to be determined
Michael Hughes, Picnic Chairman

Sunday, July 27, 2014

Annual Department of California Picnic - (details to be determined)
Michael Hughes, Picnic Chairman
Districts Pot Luck, Barbecue lunch for the residents, Ice Cream Social

- Tours of the Veterans' Home grounds by the 40 & 8 Locomotive
- Pie Eating Contest
- Children's Games
- Music by TBA

Wednesday, July 30, 2014 to Sunday, August 3, 2014

American Legion Baseball - California State Championship Senior Tournament
Odell Shelton, Baseball Commission Chairman

- Senior State Tournament - Wednesday, July 30, 2014 to Sunday, August 3, 2014
- **The Senior championship game is 1:00 pm on Sunday, August 3, 2014**

Wednesday, August 6, 2014 to Sunday, August 10, 2014

American Legion Baseball - California State Championship Junior Tournament
Odell Shelton, Baseball Commission Chairman

- Junior State Tournament - Wednesday, August 6, 2014 to Sunday, August 10, 2014
- **The Junior championship game is 1:00 pm on Sunday, August 10, 2014**



Department Legislative Advocate to the CA Legislature

Pete Conaty

2014 is the second year of the State Legislature’s 2013-2014 Legislative Session. Due to constant turnover of legislators and staff, educating legislators and staff about veterans issues and to ensure that the American Legion is a major player in public policy regarding veterans and the military.

Again, as in 2013, an unprecedented amount of bills and resolutions were introduced which dealt with veterans or military issues. To date, we have identified almost 100 bills that relate to veterans and/or military issues.

Working with Don Harper, the Chair of the Legislative Commission, who in turn consults with the members of the commission, the Legion has taken active positions on 33 pieces of legislation. Two bills are sponsored by the Department. 31 bills are being watched and tracked. Overall, 64 Assembly and Senate bills are currently on the Legion’s bill file. Many bills are still under review by the Legislative Commission. This upward trend in the amount of veterans related legislation is expected to continue for the next 2 to 3 years as our military commitments wind down. On average, about 30,000 military members are discharged in California each year.

The culmination of the Department’s grass roots advocacy is the Annual Legislative Day at the State Capitol, which is the premier opportunity for Legionnaires to establish and maintain relationships with local legislators, key staff members, and policy consultants. These all day events feature speakers from the Legislature, the California Department of Veterans Affairs, and other state agencies that offer services to veterans, and key legislative staff and consultants. Legionnaires circulate through the Capitol and visit their local Senators and Assemblymembers, introduce themselves, and leave behind informational materials and talking points regarding American Legion and the Department’s supported bills. This is a great opportunity to educate legislators and staff on issues important to veterans and to establish a working relationship which can sometimes evolve into a Legionnaire becoming the go-to person regarding veteran’s issues.

This year, the Legion was briefed by the Secretary of the California Department of Veterans Affairs (CDVA), Peter Gravett. Secretary Gravett outlined the major goals and issues of the CDVA and thanked the Legion for their good works helping veterans. Each year the Department awards two legislators its Legislator of the Year Award, given in recognition of and appreciation for exemplary and tireless efforts in support of veterans in the state of California. The awards were presented during the Capitol Day event.

veterans outreach, assistance with claims filing, the National Guard, veterans in the criminal justice system, non-profit organization regulations, veterans license plates, base realignment, etc.

Senator Roth and Assemblywoman Atkins were chosen for their leadership, support, and dedication to the veterans and service members of California.

Senator Richard D. Roth was elected to represent the California State Senate’s 31st Senate District on November 6, 2012. The 31st State Senate District includes portions of Riverside County including the Cities of Corona, Eastvale, Jurupa Valley, Moreno Valley, Norco, Perris and Riverside. Senator Roth is chair of the Senate Budget Subcommittee on State Administration and General Government, and he chairs the Senate Legislative Ethics Committee. Senator Roth also serves on the Veteran’s Affairs Committee. On March 28, 2013, Governor Jerry Brown appointed Senator Roth to the newly created Governor’s Council on California Military Future.



*Assembly Speaker-Elect
Toni Atkins*

Senator Roth was admitted to the Air Force Judge Advocate General’s Corps (JAG) and earned his law degree from Emory University in 1974. He then entered active duty in the US Air Force in 1975. By 2004, he had risen to the rank of major general and served in the Pentagon as Mobilization Assistant to The Judge Advocate General of the U.S. Air Force. Senator Roth retired from the Air Force in 2007 after 32 years of service.



*Senator Richard Roth
(Maj Gen, USAFR-Ret)*

Senator Roth has introduced legislation to improve the Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise system, require the Employment Development Department to monitor outcomes for veterans, and create a California Veterans Leadership Program

to connect returning veterans of military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan with employment, housing, and mental health resources and tools.

Assemblywoman Toni Atkins was first elected to the California State Assembly in November 2010 to represent the 76th Assembly District. In 2012, she was re-elected to represent the newly redrawn 78th Assembly District which includes the coastal San Diego communities from Imperial Beach, along the Mexican border, north to Solana Beach, as well as most of central San Diego. Atkins previously served as a member of the San Diego City Council, a position she held from 2000-2008.

Assemblywoman Atkins serves on Assembly Committee on Veterans Affairs. She has also been elected by her fellow Assembly members to be the next Speaker of the Assembly. She will take assume the Speakership in a few months.

During her tenure in the Legislature, Assemblywoman Atkins has guided three important pieces of veterans legislation to the Governor's desk where they were subsequently signed into law. AB 163 established a sales and use tax exemption for military thrift stores. ACR 36 encouraged all superior courts to consider establishing veterans treatment courts or veterans treatment review calendars to assist troubled veterans who have service-related mental health issues. AB 1588 required boards within the Department of Consumer Affairs to waive the renewal fees, continuing education requirements, and other renewal requirements of any licensee who is called to active duty as a member of the United States Armed Forces or the California National Guard.

On June 25, the California State Assembly will hold the 7th Annual Legislator of the Year Luncheon. My office was instrumental in initiating this event and we play a major role in organizing, coordinating, and fundraising for these recognition luncheons. If the 2013 event is any indicator, we will have over 350 people attend this function at the Sacramento Convention Center, a short walk from the Capitol. Each Assembly member is encouraged to select a veteran or currently serving service member from their district and bring them to Sacramento to be honored for their service to the country and their communities.

I want to thank the American Legion for allowing me to represent you at the state Capitol. Together we are all making a tremendous difference for all of California's nearly 2 million veterans and we will continue to do so as long as I have your support.



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Aeronautics and Aerospace Commission

Robert Cozad, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To promote Aerospace Research and Education to the members of the American Legion and the citizens of California. The Aerospace Commission keeps the members of the American Legion advised of all activities in the field of Aerospace. The Aerospace Commission has become an educational resource to the schools of California, awarding scholarships, and facilitating activities in the Aerospace Educational field.*

Aeronautics and Aerospace Area Commissioners

- 1 Julian Grabski (113-5)
- 2 Ernest J Henry Jr (564-13)
- 3 Robert Cozad (108-11) Chairman
- 4 Charles Leonard (252-23) Vice Chairman
- 5 Daniel Fritz (365-22)
- 6 Fred T Douglas (826-20)

Field Trips and Museum Visits

During The Department of California Convention, the Aerospace Commission attempts to locate and visit a nearby aerospace museum or military aviation facility. These field trips are not only educational; they build camaraderie within the ranks of the American Legion and also stimulate the interest and participation of the member of the American Legion in the field of aerospace. Last year we visited the Palm Springs Air Museum. This year the Commission is planning to visit the Moffett Field NASA Ames Research Center on Friday, 20 June while we are attending the Santa Clara Convention.

Because of the efforts of Area 2 Commissioner Ernest Henry, we have special tours for everyone.

One of the biggest players of Aerospace has been right here in California at Moffett Naval Air Station and NASA. So, in collaboration with the Moffett Museum, The NASA AMES Visitors Center, and Post 881, we would like to give this year's Convention goers a chance to see that history through a very extensive tour that would include the following:

A docent guided tour of The Moffett Museum and The NASA AMES Visitor Center, along with a visit to Hanger 1, Moffett Field Chapel and drive by tour of select points of interest on Moffett Naval Air Station both past and present and will include a lunch.

We are offering 2 tours, one on Thursday, June 19th, for those attending the 40 & 8 and the Past Commanders part of the Convention, and one on Saturday, June 21st for Convention attendees. Attendance is limited to 40 seats for each day at only \$25.00 per person. This will include a pick up by bus at the convention center at 1130 and return at 1630 to Convention Center on both Thursday and Saturday. Phil Whiteside, 1st Vice Post 881 will be the POC for this event at moffett.tour@gmail.com and a phone number will also be forthcoming. A flyer will be available on the 2014 Convention website as well as emailed out for distribution to the Posts.

From the Moffett Field Historical Society Museum website: "There is much to enjoy at our museum. Our historic displays will take you through Moffett Field over the years, beginning with building the world-famous hangars and on to the lighter than air era, the World War II period, use by both the Army and Navy, the Cold War period, NASA Ames, and the modern uses associated with jets and spacecraft There is hands-on fun for the kids, who can 'fly' a P-3 Orion, sit in VTOL Harrier cockpit, 'fly' a flight simulator, and see famous aircraft like the U-2 up close. They will also enjoy a very elaborate model train set up. Our Docent tours provide historic insights ... from the beginnings of Moffett Field in the early 30s to the loss of the Macon to the U-2 and more ... from experts. Our Library is a great resource for those interested in local and/or military history. The Museum Gift Shop has a wonderful selection of gifts and souvenirs, including toys, books, models, and many unique items so you can take home some memories of your visit."

As Chairman of The Aerospace Commission and Area 3 Commissioner I have traveled both inside and outside my Area. I visited the California State Aerospace museum in Sacramento. I continue to send out Aerospace items of interest by e-mail to those that I am aware of having an interest in Aerospace.

Within my Area, I have reported to the District and Area meetings. Bill Dacus from Post 83 in the 12 Dist. has made presentations on the CAP and filled in at meetings in my absence.

In the 11th District, Post 803 has provided scholarships that enable recipients to attend pilot training. They have followed up and maintained contact and support.

This year The Aerospace Commission is hoping to award its Flight Training Scholarship to another fine young individual. The last recipient was CAP Cadet C/MSgt Kyle Zimmerman. Kyle's dream is very nearly completed as he has only a few hours needed before getting his pilot's license.

This has been a very busy year for Aerospace in Commissioner Charles Leonard's Fourth Area. They are located in the very heart of the aerospace industry and find an overwhelming support to their learning center and simulator program.

I would sincerely like to thank all of the Aerospace Area Commissioners, Julian Grabski Area 1, Ernest Henry Jr Area 2, Charles Leonard Area 4, Daniel Fritz Area 5, Fred Douglas Area 6, for their dedication and hard work to further the goals of the Aerospace Commission. Our successful year could not have been accomplished without the support of Department Commander Joseph Garcia, Thank You Commander.

Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy Commission

Robert R. Safrano, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To promote the development, supply, quality and environmental conservation, applicable to food, agriculture and natural resources, through study of conditions and problems, and by working and counseling with State agencies and leaders in their respective fields; to implement an active forestry and environmental youth orientation program. To monitor the energy policies applicable to the state, promote energy conservation and circulate to the Districts and/or Posts energy policies as a program of The American Legion.*

Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy Area Commissioners

- 1 Robert R Safrano (338-5) Chairman
- 2 Bernard Remoaldo (649-10)
- 3 Ben Williams (74-12)
- 4 Jesse J. Morales (8-17) Vice-Chairman
- 5 R. Mike Thweatt (255-22)
- 6 Christopher Coleman (48-16)

What is the Commission supposed to do?

In my opinion, we are supposed to make Legionnaires, friends and anyone else aware of anything going on in reference to the environment, food, agriculture and the natural resources. All of us should be watching what the U.S. Government, State and Local community is doing. Watch TV, read newspapers, go on the internet and even go to the library.

As an example: The bullet train that is planned to go from the LA area to the SF or Sacramento areas. That train will be going through a lot of farm land. I have noticed in the papers that there are farmers in the valley ready to take up arms against it, because it cuts straight through their lands. Cuts up their farms and they have not say in it. What about our dams that hold water for agriculture and drinking water? I read in the paper that they are going to cut back on the flow of water to help fill the dams. Think about what this could cause. The only thing holding back the salt water from the ocean is the flow of water keeping the salt water at a certain point. If you

reduce the flow of water, the salt water will come up further into our streams and damage the habitat there. I am not a farmer and I do not pretend to know much about their problems, perhaps some of you reading this report could help out in this area.

Now read the BOLD sentence above that was added to the Mission Statement in later years. It is a very good program and it is invaluable in teaching our future leaders what they can do about Agriculture, Natural Resources and Energy. If it wasn't for Barbara Ross, I am not sure the program would have survived. We can give her and her committee a lot of credit.

To the Legion family - Sons of the American Legion (SAL), Legion Riders, and Ladies Auxiliary, we need your support to give a deserving Sophomore or Junior High School student an opportunity to learn all they can about Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources so that they can use this knowledge to maybe come up with ideas on how to improve our planet. It only takes one good idea to benefit mankind and I believe that with your help you can keep this program going strong and we can accomplish this together.

I know times are tough but we can come together to make this happen. If your Post has an SAL Squadron, Legion Rider Chapter and/or Ladies Auxiliary Unit you can combine your fundraisers to send a young adult to the "Premiere" Youth Environmental Conference that is taught by the US Forestry Service. Who knows, that student might be the next one to come up with a plan to make the planet a better place to live in. It is to the benefit of their future and ours. You can be part of this dream by funding one or two students.

My thanks go to the Forestry Service of Eldorado National Forest and Barbara Ross, our program coordinator.



Youth Environmental Conference (YEC)

Visit us on-line at www.calegion.org

Y.E.C. is on Facebook: Yec2011

2014 - Youth Environmental Leadership Conference

Barbara Ross, Coordinator



Forty six students received Certificates of Completion from the U.S. Forest Service after 4 busy days at Sacramento County Office of Education Science facility in Sly Park. We had a total of 17 Posts from 10 districts sponsoring students.

Opening with breakfast at Haggin Grant Post 521 in Rio Linda on Friday morning, the students began 4 days of field and class work covering a wide variety of subjects.

Several of the students had boarded a bus in LA at 11:30 Thursday night; they picked up additional students in Fresno and Modesto on their way to Rio Linda, while another group of students came in by van from District 13, we sent one of the counselors to pick up a student in San Anselmo, and local students found their way to the Post for the 8 AM breakfast. For the first time in many years, every student who signed up showed up!!

The Forest Service cadre, led by Kristi Schroeder, was introduced; the students were given an introduction to the program and provided with materials they would use for the weekend. The Legion family counselors were introduced and provided some of the rules the students would be expected to follow over the weekend. Simple things like “mom and the maid stayed home, so clean up after yourself”.

With binders, agendas, note pads and pencils in hand everyone loaded into the bus at 11:30 and headed for Sly Park.

Students participated in interactive projects where they learned each other’s names, talents and hobbies, and discussed Maslow’s Terminal Values as part of the process of getting to know each other – our similarities and our differences.

Assigned to 3 groups, green, red and blue - which attempts to bring participants together from different areas of the State - the students selected 3 members of the Student Council who address issues that come up during the conference. The groups work as a team while on field trips or other activities, but are not required to eat or room with that group.

KP duty – everyone’s obligation and everyone’s dread when they first hear about it. But, after serving a meal or working in the dishwasher area, several volunteer to take an additional shift.

6AM wakeup for everyone, but if you want a hot shower you’re awake long before that. Breakfast KP staff are in the dining hall by 6:30 and everyone else is expected to be at the hall for a 7:00 breakfast. Same breakout for the 12:15 lunch and 5:30 dinner.

Group activities begin at 8 AM each day and end around 9:00 PM with some free time in the evening for school projects, basketball, ping pong or rehearsing for the Sunday night talent show which is followed by a campfire and S’mores.

Students learn about the process of laws being written that protect the forest, while making the land useable by as many groups as possible – home owners, hiking trails, areas for Native Americans to grow their basket weaving crops, ATV riders, campers and many other types of activities. They learn how conflicts are resolved and how many agencies and private citizens it takes to help with the resolutions.

Movies about the different early environmentalists and the history of the Forest Service are an important part of the weekend. Because they have to sit still, the students always complain about this part of the weekend on their evaluations. They want to be on the move at all times. They don’t like rules, early wake up, curfews, sitting still, or 5 hours between meals – but they really like the excellent meals that the staff prepares.

Friday evening’s activities included rock wall climbing and the Planetarium. Some parents might have been more than a little worried watching their student climb the steeper wall blindfolded, but teenagers will never turn down a challenge!! Short of a previously provided medical exemption, every student must try the easy climb.

On Saturday the students sat by the lake and wrote “reflections”...what they see, what they feel. There aren’t any guidelines because these are their thoughts. On Sunday they sit in one of the tree-covered areas and again write their “reflections”. These are typed up, copied and distributed to the student as well as the Forest Service personnel, Sly Park staff, and the counselors.

They will be submitted to our Department and hopefully will be on the Ag Commission section on the website. Some of the students convey their thoughts in the form of drawings – amazing drawings!!

This was a “knock your socks off” group of students – Eagle scouts, students selected for Boys and Girls State, Girl Scout Silver and Gold Medal recipients, Kiwanis Key Club members, FFA, Rotary Youth members, you name the group, and they were with us.

Our application asks for the student's GPA, but it's strictly for demographics. Without a doubt this was, collectively, the best well-rounded group of participants we've had. As programs flowed and topics came up, at least one student had information to share with the group, and the topics were about as wide-ranging as they could get as long as they were on program and somehow related to the purpose of the conference.

Sunday evening every student is required to address the group and say something about the conference. They quickly learn that microphones don't bite. By the end of the evening the entire group is on stage singing along with the guy who brought his guitar.

Monday's final exercise finds the students in small groups with common goals for programs to bring back to their communities. Everything they've learned over the weekend is put into practice in selecting a single project, outlining it, determining the cost, where to put it into practice, how to raise funds, and what timeframe is needed to get it going and what type of guidance they would need. Feasible is the key word. The project outlines are presented to the entire group, with everyone speaking on part of the project. Everyone's ideas are considered and participants learn how to be OK when their idea doesn't work in the best interest of the project.

Getting on the bus to return to reality on Monday, some of the students' comments were: "This is a great program. It opened my eyes to a different world compared to where I live". And "I definitely would like to come back and attend this course again".

School science teachers and counselors provided these comments: "They all gave me big hugs and thank you's when they got back so I know they had a good time".

From the perspective of a Legionnaire who has attended as a counselor and still interviews students: "We interview 5 students at each school. They are all equally qualified and enthusiastic. The choice is tough and four are always disappointed. The interviews are always refreshing and make you realize the schools are doing a good job and that there are lots of good kids out there".

During this year's conference the Legion counselors met to discuss a number of issues that are facing the program – lack of a written agreement with the USFS, possible policy changes with the bus company relative to not driving during the 2 AM to 5 AM timeframe which will impact us, possible severe rate hikes with both the bus company and Sly Park, and information on the scholarship program.

All these issues will be addressed at the convention committee meeting which is currently scheduled for 1 PM on Thursday, June 19. Hopefully we will have several people in attendance to help the Commission and membership make some decisions.

The USFS Fire Prevention Specialist mentioned that she is a Veteran. 3rd Area AG Commissioner, and conference counselor Ben Williams was the first to provide her with a Legion Application while I was able to provide her with a list of Posts closest to her home which is in District 7. No one escapes us!!

Pictures have been posted on Face book by students and counselors. I understand you can access the site by "friending" me.



Richard Bernard is a Science Teacher who has been with us as a counselor for about 10 years. Rick's first year he joined the SAL's. Below is a letter from one of his students that he thought everyone should read and share...

To the American Legion: May 22, 2014

"Last weekend, I participated in the Youth Environmental Leadership Conference. I want to thank you for the amazing opportunity. Everything I learned and experienced there, from the forest to leadership speeches, was extremely enjoyable. My knowledge grew and I hope to apply it in my community.

My favorite part of the conference was learning about the forest. Being from West Covina, I had never seen a forest, let alone a forest so large and beautiful. I learned about different species of trees and how I can eat the tip of the pines of the fir oak trees (an interesting and delicious fact). It was very surprising to learn that trees actually need fire to survive. I realized that my previous knowledge of the forest was low, but thankfully, the conference increased it very much. It also sparked an interest of forestry in me. It is definitely now an area of interest for me, perhaps an area where I can look for a career. Thank you for that- you have potentially given me a career to look into.

I would also like to thank you for the luxuries you treated us with. The large bus with its televisions was very enjoyable and comfortable for the long trip. The cabins were also very comfortable. I did not miss home since the cabins were perfect.

My mother is a single mother, and opportunities like the conference had never before risen for me. When my school plans trips to China or I hear of a summer camp, I have two options: fundraise endlessly, or give up the idea of going. I am extremely grateful that I was able to go on such an enjoyable trip. I find it beautiful that anyone, no matter their income, has a chance to enjoy the trip.

The trip also taught me how to give back to the forests. I now want to start a paper recycling program at my school, since we only currently recycle bottles and cans. I also wish to increase awareness of the need to conserve water.

I know that my fellow students and I all enjoyed the conference. It was the opportunity of a lifetime, and if I could do it again, I definitely would. I'm going to urge the students next year to go because I know they will enjoy it as much as I did.

A "thank you" is not enough for all of your efforts. I know that this letter does not equal the trip you provided me with, but I hope it helps to see that the students are truly grateful for the opportunity. Thank you so much.

Sincerely... Ashley Melody Bravo, a student from Edgewood High School and a participant in the 2014 YELC."

California's "Premier" Youth Program IS the Youth Environmental Leadership Conference

Amateur Radio Commission

Mark T. Keller, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To assist in the development of amateur radio, and to that end, establish an amateur radio chain among volunteer radio enthusiasts.*

The Amateur Radio Commission was established in the Department of California as a backup Communication in times of disasters. Per our mission statement to form a chain of volunteers throughout the state. California American Legion Radio Service (CALARS) was formed.

We have 43 volunteers from Escondido to Pulman, Washington, an San Jose to Reno Nevada and all points in between, check in on a radio net that is held every Sunday at 1 PM Pacific Time on the lower side band dialed frequency of 7.278 Megahertz (MHz) 40 meter band. The purpose of this net is to verify the operation of our equipment and to pass on any information concerning our Legion members.

This also gives us the opportunity to practice relaying messages due to noisy radio frequency conditions which may be prevent one station from hearing another.

At this time on behalf of CALARS I want to give Lawrence R. Douthard Sr. (KD6SWL) a THANK-YOU and a WELL DONE for your many years on our Commission! We are a better group for your hard work.

If you read the April issue of CALIFORNIA Legionnaire on page 14, an article by Area 2 Amateur Radio Commissioner William Staehle, (AG6EM) it identifies a NEW NET using EchoLink software that will allow all American Legion Amateur Radio license holders to participate using either a local IRLP repeater or a computer or a smart phone. Startup will be the 1st Sunday in May at 1:30PM. If you are interested or have Questions please call Commissioner Staehle at (408) 997-6924.

We operate as an open net and invite ALL HAMS to visit with check in's at conclusion of roll call. It would be great if other Legion Posts would join REDLANDS POST 106 and have a HAM Station at their Posts and join our Sunday CHECK IN.

73's AND MAY GOD WATCH OVER US ALL!!



Amateur Radio Area Commission

- 1 Alice L. Snethen (101-5) KJ6YQN
- 2 William A. Staehle (318-13) AG6EM
- 3 Mark T. Keller (265-27) KE6SRX Chairman
- 4 Steve Murray (496-19) KE6DZR Vice-Chairman
- 5 George E. Frederick (852-21) KF6TYZ
- 6 James G Carpenter (502-16) KE6FTB
- T.A. Robert W. Wirth (283-24) KC6UIS

Americanism Commission

Patrick J. Dowd, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To develop and maintain the spirit of 100 percent Americanism among the Legion and residents of the State of California; To put into effect programs of The American Legion; to coordinate any overlapping of plans dealing with Americanism; and to establish an overall policy of Americanism; To act as liaison between the organization known as Boys and Girls Club of America and assist in sponsoring the activity throughout the state; To coordinate the programs of the Posts and Districts of the Department with the public schools.*

Americanism Area Commissioners

- 1 Richard J. Romo (21-5)
- 2 Walter S. Waite III (217-13)
- 3 Eric L. Kurtz (682-15) Vice-Chairman
- 4 Patrick J. Dowd (51-19) Chairman
- 5 Damon Alexander (14-25)
- 6 Terresa A. Brickner (125-16)

The Posts that won for 2013 were:

- 100 & under: Martin Slobodnik Post 338 / District-5, Area-1
- 101-200: San Diego Post 6 / District-22, Area-5
- 201-350: Mission City Post 564 / District-13, Area-2
- 351-500: El Cajon Post 303 / District-22, Area-5
- 501-750: Alvin Myo Dunn Post 365 / District-22, Area-5
- 750& up: Chula Vista Post 434 / District-22, Area- 5
- BEST OVER ALL: El Cajon Post 303 / District-22, Area-5

As you read the reports you get a real since about the Post and how they spend their time, helping in the community and the Veterans, families and children. Americanism is of the Four Pillars of American Legion and the Post that take part and send in their reports should be proud of their accomplishments. Not every Post turns in a report each year but year after year you should see different Post that will send in reports and all Post should be recognized.

I want to thank each and every Post that has turned in their Post report and I know each Commissioner and The Chairman looks forward to a banner year. This year in 2014 remains to be seen and I hope it is a banner year.

Last year 2013 Area 5 did the best job of asking their Posts to turn in their reports, their judging, and selecting their best reports. Let's see who gets the most plaques this year. The plaques this year were changed and they look very impressive and reflect the Post effort that has been put into their report.

American Legion Riders Commission

James G. Banakus, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To support and promote The American Legion Riders as a program of The American Legion Department of California.*

American Legion Riders Area Commissioners

- 1 Ed LaBrada (113-5)
- 2 Terry Baughman (593-28) Vice-Chairman
- 3 Vince A. Cole Jr. (83-12)
- 4 OPEN
- 5 Reggie "Jake" Jacobsen (149-22)
- 6 James G Banakus (534-16) Chairman

The ALR Commission was issued a Call-in for the weekend of April 11 - 13, 2014, in conjunction with the ALR State Convention held at Escondido Post 149 in Escondido, CA. Four Commissioners were present for the first meeting on Friday, April 11th. The Area 2 Commissioner was unable to attend. He was stuck in LA traffic. The meeting was opened by a flag salute led by Area 3 Commissioner Vincent Cole Jr. We were also fortunate to have ALR State President Albert "Poncho" Villa attend the Friday meeting, along with several other guests. We thank them for their input on items discussed.

The minutes of last year's Commission meetings were read and approved. Any items covered in last year's report have been resolved.

The Area Commissioners were asked to give a report of any items they wanted discussed by the Commission. Area 1 Commissioner Ed LaBrada reported that there was a problem concerning an ALR Chapter within Area 1 that has been brought up on charges, resulting in a trial board being scheduled by the ALR Department Executive Committee. During discussion it was determined that this issue, while effecting Area 1, was not within the purview the ALR Commission but was to be resolved by the American Legion Riders Department Executive Committee.



American Legion Riders Department of California

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Area 2 Commissioner Terry Baughman was in phone contact with the ALR Commission Chairman several times prior to the scheduled meeting time. It was decided to wait one additional hour before starting the meeting in hopes he could make it through the traffic problems. Unfortunately, that didn't happen!

Area 3 Commissioner Vince Cole Jr. noted that the American Legion Riders were expanding within his area. He also stated that currently there are 18 ALR Chapters with 439 members. He also stated that he has reached out to the Department officers within Area 3 and that no issues have been reported.

Area 4 Commissioner George Hofstetter resigned his appointed position earlier in the year. A replacement has not been appointed by the American Legion DEC at this time. Since the ALR DOC does not have any Chapters in Area 4, nor an ALR Area 4 Vice President, there would be nothing to report.

Area 5 Commissioner Jake Jacobson said he has contacted various Chapters to see if there were any issues that needed to be resolved. Upon further review he found that the questions raised should be handled by the ALR Area 5 Vice President. Jake also stated that there are now about 40 Chapters within Area 5 and that he attends many different Chapter events to see how they are doing. He also stated that his Chapter and Post have a strong working relationship with the National Guard Armory next door to them and are also working with Navy and Marine units within their area.

Area 6 Commissioner Jim Banakus also reached out to the various Department officers within Area 6. No issues or concerns were brought forward. ALR Area 6 Vice President Christopher Coleman has done an excellent job maintaining a high presence with ALR Chapters within his area of responsibility. Chapters within the area have been involved with Welcome Home events, Active duty & Veteran funerals, fundraisers for Veteran causes, Stand Downs, Parades and community events, all the while representing the American Legion Riders and The American Legion.

A second brief Commission meeting was held early Sunday morning, April 13th, with five Commissioners present. The flag salute was led by Area 1 Commissioner Ed LaBrada. The Commissioners were polled for discussion items and at this time Area 2 Commissioner Terry Baughman's written report was entered into the record.

Area 2 ALR Chapters are very active in promoting, scheduling and putting on ALR events for a wide variety of veteran causes.

This meeting is scheduled as a follow-up to see if anything that came up at the ALR State Convention on Saturday, April 12th, needed to be addressed. There was nothing noted concerning the Saturday portion of the ALR State Convention that really needed discussion. Area 5 ALR Commissioner Jake Jacobson mentioned the Commissioners must read the revised ALR Bylaws scheduled for a vote Sunday morning and to meet with the newly elected ALR Area Vice Presidents and establish communication with the newly elected officers, while still here at the ALR State Convention.

The summary of all Commission members present was that the ALR is doing a very good job supporting the American Legion and expanding its outreach. This is the eighth year of this program and there are ALR members in every Post capacity and at the District level. The program is growing and we all benefit from it. It was another quiet year of no issues coming from the American Legion Department that needed to be addressed by the Commission.

I would like to thank the Area Commissioners that served this past year for their commitment and a job well done. I would also like to thank America Legion Department of California Commander Joe Garcia, as well as Department Adjutant Bill Siler III, for their help and support over the past year.

Baseball Commission

Odell Shelton, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To foster the program of The American Legion in regard to baseball; it shall prepare an annual budget of all its operations and shall include all funds received and expended to be presented to the Finance Commission which will be presented with the Department budget to the Convention.*

California Baseball continues to have successful seasons, but as like last year our numbers are down. With the playing year 2013 we only had 41 senior teams, with our Jr. Baseball program keeps growing. The teams that won the State tournament for 2013 were for the Senior teams it was the Petaluma Leghorns. Petaluma did us proud as they moved on to play the Regional tournament in Arizona. They won all their games except one. They won the Regionals and then got to move on to play in the American Legion Baseball World series.

This was played at Shelby, North Carolina. This tournament was televised on ESPN3. Petaluma did a great job, but come up short at the end. They played Brooklawn Memorial Post 72 for the Championship, with the New Jersey team winning the Championship game. Our California team did a great job and they presented us very well. The state champion for the Jr. Tournament was Mission Viejo as they went 4-0 during the tournament.

The starting dates for the Sr. State tournament this year is July 30th thru Aug. 3rd 2014. The Jr. State tournament starts Aug 6th thru Aug 10th 2014.

The Regional tournament will be played Aug. 7th thru Aug 11th 2014. This will be played in Glendale, Arizona. The American Legion World Series is Aug. 15 thru Aug 19th played in Shelby, North Carolina. It is with great pride to say that one of our players won one of the Academy scholarships worth \$2500.00.

We thank both the Veterans Home of California and our department for their help and assistance in making the tournaments possible. We welcome all to attend our Tournaments.

Baseball Area Commissioners

- 1 Thom Witters (306-5)
- 1 Odell Shelton (205-1) Chairman
- 2 A C Ralston (82-26)
- 2 Michael Underwood (246-9)
- 3 Carlos Gonzales (355-14)
- 3 Edward A. Benes (83-12)
- 4 Robert Boyd (352-19)
- 4 Robert Mitchell (352-19) Vice-Chairman
- 5 Richard J. Smith (72-29)
- 5 Robert N Escarcega (112-25)
- 6 Robert K. Ryan (283-24)
- 6 Terry L. Schercongost (211-16)
- TA Harold Hall (72-29)



California Golden Boys' State Commission

Richard L. Kearns, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To operate Boys State for the development of good citizenship in the communities. Said commission shall prepare an annual budget of all its operations and shall include all funds received and expended to be presented to the Finance Commission which, in turn, will be presented with the Department budget to the Convention.*

Boys State Area Commissioners

- 1 Gary B. Leach (77-6)
- 2 Laurence Kahn (517-9)
- 3 Richard L. Kearns (16-11) Chairman
- 4 Joe Gonzales (51-19)
- 5 Jess C. Lawson (291-29) Vice-Chairman
- 6 Scott Erickson (283-24)

The 76th session of California Boys' State was a great success and was held 22-29 June 2013. A new high number of attendees was reached with 1041 attending the session with only fifteen (15) no shows which was also great. It would be good if we didn't have any no-shows but don't think that will happen but we could sure hope- With a little more follow up with delegates that number could be reduced as most non-attending delegates say they knew they were not going to attend and many had also notified the sponsoring posts. The Boys' State Governor was presented to and widely appreciated by the 2013 Convention by Area 5 Commissioner Jess Lawson.

The 2014 session of California Boys' State will be held again on the campus of Sacramento State on 21-28 June. However due to convention being held earlier this year the Boys' State Governor will not be presented on the convention floor. This is a very important appearance for the Boys' State Governor and regretfully can't be done due to dates being in conflict. Much advance planning goes into these sessions and the commission has to work with the school on available dates which are scheduled years in advance.

The Boys' State Commission met as normal on the first Saturday of November which was 2 November 2013. Meeting was held at Yolo Post 77, Woodland due to the temporary relocation of Department Headquarters. Five of six Commissioners were present, 1 excused due to cancelled flights, plus several District Chairman and other interested Legionnaires. We were honored to also have present - Department Commander Joe Garcia, Department Adjutant Bill Siler III, and our Department Special Programs Coordinator Ashmika Singh. Yolo Post 77 provided all amenities and comforts needed to ensure we had a good meeting and planning session. Once again advanced planning has been coordinated by Chief Counselor Tim Aboudara Sr. and Director Dick Shick to make the program run smooth and constantly add communications to the program so parents and others interested can follow events using twitter and Facebook. There have been much added to keep the program as up to date and enjoyable as possible. Planning starts before the end of the session and throughout the whole year. Too many other individuals are to be commended but don't have room to name all of our talented staff.

This is my first year as Commission Chairman and I would be remiss if I failed to thank Barney LaRue and the rest of the Senior Boys' State staff for all the guidance and assistance. I have been involved and active in the program for many years and appreciate all

the hard work put into this program. Thank all you Legionnaires for your efforts and continued support to make this one of the best Boys' State programs in the nation. California is the third largest program in the nation but second to none. I was fortunate to attend the Boys' State Directors Conference in Indianapolis in September and that is why I can say we are the best. Thank you.



Children and Youth Commission

Janet Hooper, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To carry on the welfare program of The American Legion. To promote the program of the education of war orphans.*

Children & Youth Area Commissioners

- 1 Janet Hooper (807-4) Chairman
- 2 Gilbert E. Klingman (517-9)
- 3 Harold Hudson (55-14)
- 4 Richard A. Ledesma (381-17) Vice-Chm
- 5 Roxanne I. Jones (451-22)
- 6 Janice E. Somers (66-16)

In 1922, three years after The American Legion was established, members realized that neglect of family and child welfare problems were aggravating and handicapping the rehabilitation of the disabled veteran. After a year of careful study, The American Legion Child Welfare program was outlined and adopted in 1924. In 1925, our National Child Welfare Division adopted the "Whole Child" plan. This provides that "the child of every veteran should have a home, health, education, character and opportunity". It is founded on three guiding principles:

- 1) To strengthen the family unit against the forces of today's complex society.
- 2) To extend support to sound organizations and facilities providing services for children.
- 3) To maintain a well-rounded program that meets the needs of today's young people.

While these principles are the guide lines we use four methods to enact these working together – Education, Legislation, Material Aid, and Prevention.

During the past nine decades the development of new and improved public programs designed to provide economic security for children has made it possible for the organization to turn its attention to other areas affecting our Nation's young people. To date, there exists no area of child welfare that has gone untouched by the collective hand of the American Legion.



The very program of Children and Youth itself is unique from any agency, government or private, in its ability to expand from every area of concern for child welfare and child health. The programs of the American Legion's National Commission on Children and Youth are ongoing. They are our lifeblood. These programs demonstrate our commitment to the young people in each community and provide a message of hope to children everywhere.

American Legion Posts are responsible to carry out the objectives and programs of the American Legion and to fully comply with the obligations under the post, Department and National constitutions. The blueprint for the American Legion is service to our veterans, their families and their communities. Recruiting new members does not fulfill our service to the veterans if we ignore their families.

Membership is the lifeblood of the American Legion. Secondary to Veterans Administration and Veteran Services is the Children and Youth activities of the American Legion. Just as it is important to report how many veterans belong to each Post (Consolidated Post Report), it is important to report how each post is serving the Veteran and their family (Child and Youth Report). It is important to report our Children and Youth activities. If you have an inactive Post, report that. These numbers are sent to Congress. The American Legion supports a lot of programs and our members participate in all kinds of activities.

The Temporary Financial Assistance Program helps with maintenance needs, shelter, utilities, food, clothing, and sometimes medical needs. During this reporting period 11 California families received \$21,443.83 from National for this program. Private corporation donation to a Veteran Hero in need totaled \$5,000.00. Twenty (20) families were given \$60.00 Thanksgiving and Christmas grocery cards donated through a private anonymous donor via the Veterans Administration. The families selected were prior and some current TFA applicants. This totaled \$2,400.00. The grand total awarded to veterans in need of a hand up was \$28,884.83.

However it does not include all the hard work and donations of cans and gas cards, clothing, shoe cards given out at Post level. My heartfelt appreciation to all the Posts who stand by their fellow Veteran and extend their hand in friendship and does the necessary follow through to ensure the needs of the families are being met.

I would like to express my gratitude to my dedicated fellow Commissioners: Area 2 Gilbert E. Klingman, Area 3 Harold L. Hudson, Area 4 Richard A. Ledesma, Area 5 Roxanne I. Jones, Area 6 Janice E. Somers and our T.A. Ann-Marie Pina Brown.

Community Service Commission

Johnny A. Carr, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To structure, produce, and carry on the Community Service Commission betterment program for The American Legion local community in which a post is situated and represents; to identify, promote, support and encourage those programs, activities and events not undertaken by posts throughout the Department, not covered by other Commissions and Committees.*

Community Service Area Commissioners

- 1 Henry A. Mazzotte (362-6)
- 2 Michael Ryan (591-28)
- 3 Johnny A. Carr (94-15) Chairman
- 4 James KB Wong (628-17)
- 5 Larry C. Taylor (106-25)
- 6 Michael L. Stadnick, Jr. (56-16) Vice-Chm

The Community Service Commission was tasked with the responsibility of evaluating what community service each Post in the Department was doing in the life of their respective communities.

Last year \$388,932.25 was donated; \$54,601.00 donated money per member, and 71,799.30 man hours were reported by 67 posts.

Since one of the primary goals of The American Legion is community service, I therefore encourage each Post and their members to report all of the hours, money donated, and service projects they have done. Every member and every Post provide service to their communities. If each Post would record and report their activities, then this would have a greater effect on the Department as a whole.



Constitution and By-Laws Commission

S. R. Barghoorn, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To recommend to Department changes necessary or advisable for the better operation of the Department and such other duties as are delegated to it by the By-Laws of the Department.*

Constitution & By-Laws Area Commissioners

- 1 Robert Munroe (61-6)
- 2 Ralph W Jacob, Jr (419-13) Vice-Chairman
- 3 S. R. Barghoorn (108-11) Chairman
- 4 Gregory R. Clark (272-19)
- 5 Emmanuel Valencia (360-25)
- 6 Peter Douglas III (280-18)

The Commission had no major changes to make to our Constitution and By-Laws this year. It has been a year that has predominately focused on the By-Laws of the Districts and the Posts.

Throughout the year, I have been in continuous contact with commissioners. All of the requests for By-Law changes have been properly addressed and processed.

The Constitution and By-Laws Commission members have reviewed, corrected and approved responses and By-Law changes made to their respective Posts. Any request for changes to the Department By-Laws must go through the Department Convention process.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind Legionnaires of the purpose of the Constitution and By-Laws Commission, as well as the responsibility that the Commission carries.

The purpose of the Constitution and By-Laws Commission is to recommend to the Department changes necessary or advisable for the better operation of the Department and such other duties as are delegated to it by the By-Laws of the Department. Along with this, it is the members of the Commissions responsibility to adequately research and weigh the requests for changes to the By-Laws. Following that, the Commission must respond through the appropriate channels in order to keep everything functioning smoothly.

I would like to thank all of the Commissioners for their work this year. Everyone did an excellent job fulfilling their roles and responsibilities. I appreciate the work and commitment of the Constitution and By-Laws Commission members. I look forward to next year.



Convention City Commission

James J. Leyser, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To investigate the facilities and financial ability of cities placing a bid for a Department Convention. To recommend to the Department Convention the city best qualified to hold a Department Convention and upon the Corporation being awarded to a city by the Department Convention, the Department Commission may become the Commander's official representative, with the duties of coordinating all phases of Convention activities with the convention city or corporation.*

Convention City Area Commissioners

- 1 Joseph F. Handy (521-6)
- 2 Edward R. Castillo (68-10) Vice-Chairman
- 3 James J. Leyser (147-14) Chairman
- 4 Woodrow Baca (628-17)
- 5 Robert L. Tade (303-22)
- 6 Jack F. Kidd (283-24)

Greetings to one and all! The year has been slow for the Commission due to the change of Chairmen, and of course no active bids for future conventions. We will be in Ontario, California for the 2015 Convention and Fresno is pending for 2016.

Over the past years the new Department Convention Corporation has been coming together. Last year at Convention the By-Laws were put together and passed, and a temporary officer was appointed at the Fall DEC. Applications have been submitted, and hopefully will be back in time by Convention for the election of officers and moving forward for future convention sites.

I think the fun part of this Corporation is that it involves the Legion family working together for the common cause of The American Legion, Department of California.



Counter-Subversive Activities Commission

Ralph F. Bivings, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To study and recommend the necessary action to be taken from time to time for the purpose of resisting un-American activities and subversive movements, preventing terrorist attacks within the United States, its territories and possessions.*

No report submitted...

Counter-Subversive Activities Area Commissioners

- 1 Lionel Williams (604-6)
- 2 Jeremiah Morgan (456-8)
- 3 Ralph F. Bivings (511-14) Chairman
- 4 John Bartos (628-17)
- 5 Desiree c. Herrera (552-22)
- 6 Reynaldo Paduani (508-18) Vice-Chairman



Disaster and Emergency Services Commission

Michael Brimer, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To organize the membership of the Department into a cohesive unit so that in time of disaster the membership of the Department may be available for duty and to cooperate with all law enforcement agencies in their plans concerning disaster relief.*

Disaster and Emergency Services Area Commissioners

- 1 Michael Brimer (182-5) Chairman
- 2 Kenneth W. White (380-13)
- 3 Joel Parks (26-15)
- 4 Ozan J. Evans (653-17)
- 5 Michelle DeLaCruz (131-29)
- 6 Alvin E. Evenson (136-16) Vice-Chairman

BACKGROUND

The American Legion signed an agreement of cooperation with the American Red Cross to assist it during times of disaster. In 2005, The Legion signed an affiliation agreement with the federal Department of Homeland Security. In 2006, The Legion adopted two disaster preparedness and response oriented Resolutions requiring each level of the Legion, from Department to individual Legionnaires, to be prepared for and ready to respond to disasters, and to assist their local communities in disaster preparedness projects.

The California Department acts as administrative and coordinating headquarters for 6 subordinate Areas, 30 Districts, 485 Posts, and over 75,000 individual Legionnaires. Planning, organizing, preparing and training for, then coordinating a disaster response for such a large organization is a massive task.

The five Commissioners take their responsibilities and its Mission Statement very seriously. They understand the overwhelming evidence that a devastating disaster will soon strike somewhere in this state. The recent east coast experiences of an unprepared population remind everyone of the large regional effects a disaster can unleash. Lack of basic items such as food, water, heat, electricity, fuel, and public services can be expected. People could be on their own for up to a week or more. Planning and preparing for such a situation is paramount.

In September, 2012 the Disaster & Emergency Services Commission was energized with the appointment of several new Commissioners. Once organized, the Commission took immediate steps to: 1) survey the entire Department's readiness to respond to local and regional disasters; 2) create a work plan to meet and exceed the challenges it faces; and 3) begin preparing all levels of the California Department to be ready when the next large disaster strikes.

The first major product was a "fill-in-the-blank" District disaster plan, which the individual Commissioners encouraged their Districts to personalize then adopt. By June, 2013 over 1/2 of all districts had an effective plan in place. At the same time, the Commissioners were hard at work preparing a new comprehensive Department Disaster Preparedness Plan which would meet all federal and state standards. That Plan was presented at the 2013 Convention and unanimously adopted.

In July, 2013, three commissioners rotated off and new replacement members were appointed. The new Commissioners have undergone initial mentoring and are now moving the program forward.

2013-2014 WORK SUMMARY

With the adoption of a new Department Disaster Preparedness Plan, districts are well underway adopting their individual Disaster Plans. With new Commissioners aboard, the next effort was to begin to tackle several of the remaining projects listed in the original work plan.

The Department Disaster Preparedness Plan has been posted to the Department website and is available for downloading. Initial work has been started on updating the Commission’s web page, making it more informative and easy-to-use. Informational articles are now being placed in the Department newsletter explaining the Commission’s readiness efforts and encouraging everyone to prepare themselves and their neighborhoods for future disasters. A preparedness reminder graphic is also being placed in the newsletter when possible.

Two comprehensive checklists have been prepared and are posted on the Commission’s web page to assist individual Legionnaires in getting prepared to either evacuate their homes in an emergency situation, or to shelter in place for several days without food, water or utilities. Those checklists have been emailed to all Area Vice Commanders and District Commanders with a request they be forwarded to all Posts and individual Legion members.

Four projects remain to be completed: 1) to work with all 485 posts in the Department in getting their Post disaster plans in place; 2) to improve communication links both up and down the Department internal organizational structure, as well as with outside organizations; 3) update disaster response administrative operations at the Department office; and 4) initiate a Department-wide training program on preparedness and emergency response.

2014-2015 COMMISSION GOALS

Throughout the next year, the Commission will continue to stress personal disaster preparedness. The Commission will begin to focus on the major project of advising and assisting all Posts in the Department in creating their Disaster Plan.

The Commission will also begin work on the remaining Work Plan goals and objectives, and assisting all levels of the Department to begin to implement their Plans. In addition to getting Plans adopted and implemented, the Commission will also begin to: 1) establish a disaster preparedness and response training program; 2) expand communications to outside organizations; 3) improve the Commission web page; and 4) improve internal administrative policies and procedures on disaster readiness and response.

IN SUMMARY

The Commission takes this opportunity to publicly congratulate the leadership at all levels of the California Department for taking ownership of the project, their swift response, and the solid progress made in laying the groundwork for significant improvements in Department-wide readiness.

In particular, the Commission is extremely grateful for the overwhelming and staunch support its work has received from the Department Commander, Department Staff, Area Vice Commanders, District Commanders, and individual Legionnaires throughout the Department. Guidance and input received from all sources is invaluable. Improving Department-wide readiness is, and will continue to, be a team effort.

The Commission is operating under no illusion. While much of this massive project is complete, time is of the essence in getting ourselves prepared. Planning and preparation are key to survival, and a great deal of work still needs to be done. But we are moving forward. We’ve turned the corner and momentum is building. The California Department is rapidly moving into the leadership role in statewide disaster readiness planning.



Finance Commission

Leroy A. Baca, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To perform such duties as are delegated to it by the Department By-Laws; to generally care for the finances of the Department and make recommendations to the Department Convention and to the Department Executive Committee concerning the finances of the Department. The Finance Commission shall prepare a proposed budget for each Commission and Committee before each Department Convention and shall submit same to the Convention Finance Committee, using the annual report of the Personnel Committee to establish salaries and benefits for all Department employees. Said annual report of the Personnel Committee is advisory only and not in any way binding on the Finance Committee.*

Finance Area Commissioners

- 1 Gordon Elton (76-1)
- 2 John A O’Leary (340-9) Vice-Chairman
- 3 Floyd Martin (108-11)
- 4 Leroy A. Baca (381-17) Chairman
- 5 R.D. "Jesse" James (112-25)
- 6 Julio J. Jimenez (150-20)

Again, for this year I wish to state that there is no “I” in “TEAM”, but teamwork for our number one goal, the viability of California Department of The American Legion. With that goal in mind I wish to personally thank the team: A-1 Gordon Elton, A-2 John O’Leary, A-3 Floyd Martin, A-5 Jesse James, A-6 Julio Jimenez, and Technical Advisor Al Lennox. That is not the total team though because on our decisions we also have Commander Joe Garcia and Past Commander Ken Kramlich helping out, as well as Department Adjutant Bill Siler III and Controller Mary Long, who put in many hours keeping it all straight.

As a team we also receive valuable information from the Personnel Committee, the Audit Committee, and the Ways and Means Commission. As a standard practice, we routinely have everything annually checked by outside Auditor Olen Creech, and additionally an internal audit by the Audit Committee. Everything this past year received good reports.

I wish to personally thank Ron Galvan and the leadership at San Leandro Post 117, Commander Jerry Corum of Chino Post 299, Commander Bill Miller of Lakewood Post 496, and Commander Brian Domes of Amador Post 108 for their help and hospitality during our meetings. I would be remiss not to mention Department staff for all the help in preparing and setting up at DEC and Convention. As I say, it is a "TEAM" effort. I would like to also extend my thanks to all the District Finance Committee members for your input and support. For those that are not aware, each of our 30 Districts has a representative for the Finance Committee at Convention. This year there was also very valuable input and we relied on Bob Carolan, Jeff Seaton and Rees Lloyd for legal help and as you are probably all aware, a law suit has been filed against California Department in Fresno County by Bruce Thiesen. Terry Tracy gave us some tremendous help on the VA&R Foundation.

As a brief report of the past year, I want to bring your attention to what can be referred to as "the nuts and bolts" of the Department. I am sad to inform you that another 3,017 members have transferred to "POST EVERLASTING". Yes, that is correct Three Thousand and Seventeen Legionnaires. I mention this not to create doom and despair, but as we move forward with loss of membership you can see why it was necessary to increase per capita 42 cents per month (.42). This was necessary to keep Department viable with our Veteran Programs that define our Organization. I thank you for your support and understanding of the necessity. To assist in some of our fundraising, Amador Post 108 donated a Sturm Ruger .45 Vaquero Stainless Steel engraved revolver which is to be raffled at Convention. Tickets will be available at each Post and at Convention in Santa Clara.

Additionally, we need to support USAA Credit card and LIT Insurance with Larry Leonardo, our contact representative. We also had a chance with a fund raising platform "Patriot Outreach" brought forward by Col. Monaco through Rees Lloyd. As I state this when you "Donate" to other organizations please check on sites such as <http://www.charitynavigator.org/>. The finance commission concurs that we need to get the word out through advertising and whatever media we can use.

The word on donating through payroll deductions was not disseminated sufficiently and what we received from Patriot Outreach was one donation of 38 dollars.

Thank you all for your support this year to help keep "CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT AMERICAN LEGION" viable and serving veterans. Remember Duty and Honor. If we do not - then remember Phoenix.



Foreign Relations & National Security Commission

Charles E. Camarato, Chairman



Mission Statement: *To promote the program of The American Legion in regard to Foreign Relations in all its phases. To promote the program of The American Legion in regard to national defense in all its phases.*

Foreign Relations & National Security Area Commissioners

- 1 Curtis Lindley (205-1)
- 2 Bennie W. Cooper (591-28)
- 3 William L. Dacus (83-12) Vice-Chairman
- 4 Nicholas Rosa (804-19)
- 5 Charles E. Camarato (416-22) Chairman
- 6 open

Foreign Relations and National Security are actually two sides of the aisle as a Commission for The American Legion. Foreign Relations deals with how our Country's leadership deals with foreign countries and their leadership. A good example would be the Peace Corps and how they promote the goodness of America, for instance, when supplying a country with Aid in the form of material donations or military equipment. Or for that matter, what our aims are when our government decides to support a countries leadership, or oppose it likewise.

National Security involves issues that directly or indirectly may affect our Nations survivability. Such as downsizing our military, placing five super carriers in port, at the same time, all in a row, or lax border security and the flow of illegal immigration and, or, terrorists.

I would have to write a book of reports to place in the book of reports to adequately sum up all the various issues on both sides of the fence, which our Nation has been facing the last year.

Here is just a few, that I personally feel is important. Pulling our troops out of Iraq and Afghanistan is creating a vacuum that is quickly being replaced by terrorists and other foreign countries. We may have blowback down the road for moving out. The American population wearies of war, and we like to see a finale. But will this come back at us?

China is increasingly asserting their sovereignty and territorial claims. Moves that Japan, Vietnam, South Korea, Philippines and India, all feel threatened by. Keep in mind, Hitler started with territorial claims, for all kinds of reasons. I believe that if this country ever sees a WWII, it will be cause of an incident that draws us in like Germany finally attacking Poland. It is now widely accepted that the US is repositioning its military to the Pacific.

Now we have a new scenario unfolding, as of this writing, which are Russia and the Ukraine. NATO is not liking what is happening and this could continue its escalation and where it will go is anyone's guess. What is obvious is that this Administration is escalating its position through sanctions. Their position is very clear.

National does a great job at communicating. Weekly status updates are sent out to all Departments. Their resources are on top of the game for all issues as they arise and change. I urge all, when wanting to know where The American Legion stands on any given event, go to our National Website. Issues that matter to you are always up to date here. Keep in mind, sometimes you may disagree, but the positions stated are a consensus of what the majority of Legionnaires think. And our National Commission is tasked with formulating the Legions policy.



Housing (Veterans) Commission

James A. Hadley, Chairman

Mission Statement:

To assist veterans of this state in their present and future housing problems.

Housing (Veterans) Area Commissioners

- 1 Albert A. Castillo (77-6) Vice-Chairman
- 2 John W. Tomkinson (512-28)
- 3 Michael V. Cruz (26-15)
- 4 James A. Hadley (252-23) Chairman
- 5 Herman A. Grenados (739-21)
- 6 Robert Hernandez (139-18)

Located in the West Los Angeles VA Medical Center, the Fisher House provides a "home away from home" so that America's military families can be together during extended treatment for a serious illness, lengthy physical or occupational therapy. The West LA Fisher House opened its doors in February 2009 and has since served over 1,300 families. A 16,000 square foot facility with 21 private guest suites, the Fisher House creates a warm, compassionate environment where families find support and encouragement with others in similar circumstances.

A family's love is always the best medicine. When a loved one is injured or ill, a Fisher House unites families and relieves the financial and emotional strain of being away from home.

Between 2009 and 2013, there was a 23.49 percent reduction in Veteran homelessness. To build on our progress, VA has increased programs and funding to help Veterans who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. In fiscal 2014, VA will dedicate \$1.4 billion to specialized homeless programs and \$5.4 billion to health care for Veterans who are homeless.

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The single best way to help Veterans who are homeless or at imminent risk of becoming homeless is to connect them with VA. Each VA medical center has a homeless coordinator on staff and specific programs that provide Veterans the support they need to establish or maintain safe, stable housing. VA has also established the National Call Center for Homeless Veterans (877-4AID-VET, or 877-424-3838), a toll-free hotline available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Trained responders—many of them Veterans themselves—are available to provide support to Veterans and their loved ones who lack safe, secure housing. These services are also available on an online chat at va.gov/homeless



Law and Order Commission

Richard E. Kalk, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To foster within the scope of The American Legion principles and policies an affirmative program of respect for and support of law and order in general and law enforcement agencies and officers and duties, and further that a subcommittee be appointed to formulate American Legion policies concerning the use of narcotics and dangerous drugs.*

Law and Order Area Commissioners

- 1 Greg Patterson (807-4)
- 2 Gary Gee (456-8)
- 3 Glen H. Barber Jr. (38-14)
- 4 Richard E. Kalk (381-17) Chairman
- 5 Robert R. Davis (133-29)
- 6 William S. Evans (826-20) Vice-Chairman

The Law and Order Commission met on May 1st in Bakersfield to review the candidates for various awards. The response this year was very satisfying with all Area Commissioners being represented. The selection process was more involved this year because of the number of candidates submitted. The result of this meeting is reflected in the candidates listed.

Law Officer of the Year for Valor: James F Cunningham - San Francisco Police Department, Airport Bureau - Area 2 District 8

Area 4 Winner: Don Thompson - Los Angeles Police Department - Area 4 Post 381, District 17

Law Officer of the Year Community Service: Officer Deon Joseph - Los Angeles Police Department - Area 4 Post 381 District 17

Area 3 Winner: Officer Lonnie Amerjan - Clovis Police Department - Area 3 District 14

Post Awards and the Walter B Knott Trophy will be decided at the committee meeting on Thursday June 20th at the Department Convention in Santa Clara. Time and place will be posted at the Convention. The Awards Ceremony will be as scheduled at 1PM in the Convention afternoon session. Hope to see a large turnout for this event.

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Leadership Commission

Kenneth W. Newman, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To encourage members to utilize their innate potentials, and develop within the potentials the enthusiasm to function for the best interest of The American Legion at all levels.*



Roy Santiago
 Legionnaire of the Year
 2012-2013

The year got off to a great start at the Convention Leadership Committee meeting in Palm Springs. The committee members reviewed the nominations received for Legionnaire of the Year, and after deliberation, the winning nomination envelope was opened. Roy Santiago from Post 872, District 12, was selected as the Legionnaire of the Year for 2012-2013. Roy was brought to the stage during the Friday Convention proceedings and presented with his lapel pin. Congratulations to this deserving individual.

Leadership programs and training workshops have been conducted throughout the Department this year and thanks are due to all District Leadership Chairman and especially Leadership Commission members: Patrick Ford (Area 1); Billy Hurst (Area 3); Art Castro (Area 4); Anthony Stewart (Area 5); and Mike Baldwin (Area 6). Topics have ranged from basic leadership skills and mentoring, leadership succession planning, By-Laws requirements, to End of Year reports. Have a great time in Santa Clara and thank you for participating in all facets of Leadership.

- Leadership Area Commissioners**
- 1 Patrick Ford (385-1)
 - 2 Kenneth W. Newman (558-13) Chairman
 - 3 Billy C. Hurst (74-12) Vice-Chairman
 - 4 Art Castro (51-19)
 - 5 Anthony E. Stewart (434-22)
 - 6 Mike H. Baldwin (288-20)

Legislative Commission

Donald Harper, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To consider legislative matters, making recommendations to the Department Convention and the Executive Committee, and generally supervise the legislative program of the Department during the session of the State Legislature.*

Last year, we had a great legislative program for our California veterans and many of the bills were signed into law by the governor. This year, we also have some key bills that the Legion is also supporting.

Keeping up with the bills working their way thru the various committees can be very demanding and challenging at times. I have the pleasure of teaming up with Pete Conaty to assist me in this effort. He provides me with very valuable tracking information on the veteran bills, and we both attend many committee hearings giving verbal testimony on numerous bills. In my role as Chairman, I review such bills to give an up or down Legion vote based the merits of the bill by consulting with the other Legislative Commissioners and our Technical Advisor.

In a very rare instance will the Legion not support a certain proposed veteran bill. Our obligation as legislative commissioners is to make sure that all bills we are recommending, meet the needs of our California veterans and the high standard of the American Legion throughout the legislative session.

- Legislative Area Commissioners**
- 1 Donald Harper (861-6) Chairman
 - 2 Charles E. Jones (564-13)
 - 3 Roy A. Santiago (872-12)
 - 4 Patricia Jackson-Kelley (252-23)
 - 5 Raymond Clay Baxter (679-29)
 - 6 James N. Creacy (43-24) Vice-Chairman
 - TA Lorraine Plass (111-5)

I recently attended the Legion DEC meeting at Long Beach and gave an update of our legislative program and highlighted some bills worthy of mentioning. I made note of an important bill that was passed by both houses strongly supported by the Legion and signed by the Governor last October in San Diego. That was bill AB639. Speaker Perez spoke at the bill signing event on how important a role that the Legion played in supporting this bill.

AB 639 authored by Assembly Speaker Perez, is called the "Veteran Housing and Homeless Prevention Bond Act of 2014," which would allow funding up to \$600 million dollars to build housing for homeless veterans in California. This special funding is coming up for a vote on the ballot in the June, 2014 election. The public will get a chance to vote up or down on this matter. It will be on the ballot as numbered Proposition 41.

As Legionnaires, we fought for passage of AB 639 and were successful, and now we should fight for the passage of Yes on proposition 41. Building housing for our homeless veterans is not a hard sell from the veteran community, but convincing the public at large can be a challenge.

Historically, two previous state veteran related bond bills funding different programs have passed in California by the voters and I am hopeful that will be the case in proposition 41.

If Proposition 41 passes on June 3rd, the Legion can hold their head up high that we care about taking care of our homeless veterans and we are on the right side of this issue from the beginning. We will always weigh in on key issues no matter how tough the battle gets.

This is just one example of how important legislative bills can be in helping veterans.

We are had a very successful Legislative day in our State Capitol on April 30, 2014 with 91 Legionnaires in attendance. To view a sea of Blue Legion Caps walking the Capitol halls in mass and visiting legislators is quite impressive. It is not an overstatement that when we as Legionnaires speak, our elected leaders listen. I would not be able to do my job if I did not have the great support of all the legislative Commissioners and our technical advisor as well. This is a good team and I am proud to Chair this committee.

I owe a debt of gratitude to the Department Commander and Department Adjutant for their support as we carry out the mission of the Legislative Commission.

Finally, I want to personally thank our able Legion Lobbyist, Mr. Pete Conaty, along with Dana Nichol, for their leadership, bill knowledge, and pure team dedication in working with me and my legislative Commissioners during this session.

It is always our desire to represent the Legion to the best of our ability and to bring honor to the great organization it is.

Thank you All!



Naturalization Commission

Sandra Carr, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To promote naturalization among unnaturalized residents of the State of California; to urge the broadening of the program now established in schools for the education of naturalization, including the teaching of the history and background of the United States of America, and through the Posts and Districts to cooperate with the officials of the Naturalization Department of the United States and the courts when classes of persons are naturalized.*

Naturalization Area Commissioners

- 1 Antonio R. Arca (604-6) Vice-Chairman
- 2 Sam L. Daniels (31-28)
- 3 Sandra Carr (94-15) Chairman
- 4 Guillermo Chavez (812-17)
- 5 Peter Ramos (852-21)
- 6 Maurice R. Woodrow (150-20)

In the State of California there are two Districts, 6 and 22 who are actively involved in the naturalization process. In District 22, Posts and Auxiliaries are very involved with naturalization and have been for many years. District 6 Commissioner attends and participates in the naturalization ceremony every month and has done so for over 18 years.

Other areas in our state find it difficult to participate with the naturalization process as a Post or District because they have been told that their help is not needed.



Even though many times we can't be involved with organized naturalization functions, there are still ways to help. Find an ESL class and help someone learn English, or help with naturalization paperwork. You can always help even though organized groups are not available.

Put on your Legion cap and find that person that needs your help.

Oratorical Contests Commission

Allan D. Hale, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To promote Department Oratorical contests at Post, District and Department levels and to conduct the Department finals of such contests.*

This years State contest was held in Pacifica on February 24th. All 6 Areas were represented. As in years past, not all Districts had a student to send to their Area contest. This is an area that the Post and District Officers could look to addressing in coming years.

The State contest had, as always, six very good speakers. **Area 1** sent Nicholas Chera. Nicholas is from Santa Rosa, is in grade 11 at Chera Academy Homeschool. Sponsored by Martin Scobodnik Post 338, District-5; **Area 2** sent Kate Park from Los Altos and is in grade 11 at Menlo School. Kate was sponsored by Redwood City Post 105 in District-26; **Area 3** sent Michael Greenbury from Fresno. He is a senior at Clovis North High School. His sponsor was Clovis Cecil Cox Post 147 in District-14; Area 4 sent Elaine Tran from West Covina. She is a junior at West Covina High School. Her sponsor was Whittier Post 51 in District-19. **Area 5** contestant was John Redden of Hemet. John is a senior at Hemet High School. His sponsor was Hemet Post 53 in District-21. **Area 6** sent Peter St. John is from Pacific Palisades. He is a junior at View Point High School. His sponsor was Pacific Palisades Post 283 in District-24.

Kate Park was our State champion. I was in Indianapolis April 20 and 21 for the Nationals. Kate won her first contest and ended second in the semifinal round.

My wholehearted thanks to all in the State who volunteered and helped to put on all the contests; I remain humbly in service.

Oratorical Contests Area Commissioners

- 1 Donna Thompson (210-4)
- 2 Allan D. Hale (238-26) Chairman
- 3 Laura F. Kilgore (147-14)
- 4 Gil Soto (51-19) Vice Chairman
- 5 Josephine M. Thomas (421-25)
- 6 David Gibson (43-24)

Public Relations Commission

Joanne H. Evans, Chairman

Mission Statement: *Through the medium of newspaper, radio and other means of dissemination of news to spread the program of The American Legion; to foster and maintain an adequate speakers bureau.*

Public Relations Area Commissioners

- 1 Fred J. Walton (21-5)
- 2 George B. Gomer (564-13)
- 3 Lon Chaney (124-15) Vice-Chairman
- 4 Roy C. Allen (252-23)
- 5 Joanne H Evans (595-21) Chairman
- 6 Walter J. Quinn (150-20)



Public Relations Commission did not meet this year because I felt if necessary we could contact each other by email or telephone. Hopefully, Department funds were saved.

National Public Relations Department has many new programs wherein the Legionnaire can receive information on Press Releases from the National Commander, as to what is happening with bills affecting veterans, what is happening with our veterans serving and what the American Legion is doing to help veterans, children and youth and many, many other areas where we as Legionnaires are involved. There is a "Public Relations Toolkit", published by

National, a very comprehensive book with a DVD explaining the toolkit and how to use it. Enough books were sent to Department for all Posts to each have one in the Department of California. If you did not receive one, please contact Department or call National, Public Relations, and request your copy or any other information including speeches, DVD's or whatever your need is. They will be more than willing to assist you.

Unfortunately if you question many members in local Posts they have no idea of what The American Legion actually does. If we can educate the Officers of the Post, District and Area to reach out and explain what is happening then many in the Post will understand how we work. They do not want to talk to the press as they have been turned down by many who will not print their events. They feel as if the media does not care and unfortunately if the project is not "pitched" right they are correct in saying the media will not handle their events. It is the job of Public Relations personnel and Officers of the Post to learn and pass on the new methods of reaching the media to cover our American Legion events.

One of the things that are happening is that the "print" media a fast fading and newspaper companies are closing. The trend now is "Facebook" texting and twitter. Media outlets are picking up information from these vehicles of information rather than the faxes or printed news releases we are all used to using. Many posts that are successful in receiving media attention are those who still talk to their media representative in person or who use one of the communications outlets the media uses to send information.

National PR produced a CD, History of The American Legion, A National Legacy which is a historical overview since 1919 and I highly recommend that every Post get this CD which is available through National Emblem Sales. It is a great training program for not only new members but for everyone who needs to learn about our history and background. This is a great PR tool which can be used as a presentation to groups or for a membership drive. There are also many other resources available for use that explain the programs of The American Legion. I truly hope that everyone will join with us at Palm Springs Convention and join us in the Public Relations meeting and take part in the discussion of how we can help each other to promote a good public relations program. I guarantee you will learn about PR and you will be able to get many questions answered.

With reports from the individual Commissioners it is apparent that the Posts have been doing a great job welcoming back our troops, promoting PERA, the Blue Star Program and recently many are getting involved with “Heroes to Hometowns”. Some Districts are participating in “Stand downs” for the homeless veterans and working with the “Wounded Warriors” program. We also have the “Riders” participating in the different “Honors” and escorting ceremonies for those coming home for burial. It was obvious that much is being done within the realm of public relations but not much is being done to advertise it to the public.

The commission has reviewed information available to them and to Posts for training on miscellaneous subjects such as “Four Pillars Promotion” Membership Video PSA’s, “Heroes to Hometowns”, Implementation for local Posts, “Operation Outreach” and a video to train on “Developing an Effective Post Public Relations Program”. Each Commissioner in the Department should have copies of these CD’s and some are available with a request through your commissioner through Department. As new CD’s and information are printed at National, Department has been graciously making file copies.

We are hoping that many Posts will submit the Public Relations reports this year. At this point in time Public Relations Commissioners have decided that those Posts submitting good PR reports will have them judged at Convention and those with good reports will receive a Certificate of Participation from their respective Commissioner and Posts with excellent reports will receive Plaques at the August DEC. Plaques will be for excellence in reporting, one each for best report in each Area and if approved one for Radio, Television and Newspaper coverage. The Commission will have discussion on awards for Webpage award at the Palm Springs Convention. I know there have been a lot of programs worked, and I hope that every Post will find that the Public Relations Report for this year is very basic and simple to understand and quick to fill out. We hope we will get a great input this year from all of you who work so hard.

Since you will not see this until you receive your “Book of Reports” the Public Relations Commissioners and I wish to thank you in advance for your dedication in promoting the American Legion Programs and for supporting our troops. Let’s reach out and let the public know just how great the American Legion is and show that it is the largest veteran’s organization in the world.

I thank Commander Joseph Garcia for this opportunity to serve and I sincerely thank the great staff of Commissioners I was able to serve with this year for their time, and dedication, expertise and support. And most of all I thank each and every one of you who worked the Public Relations program in your Post, District or Area. See You in Santa Clara.
Semper Fi!



Publishing Commission

E. Paul Terry, Chairman

Mission Statement: The Publishing Commission shall be totally responsible for setting the criteria of what will be published in The California Legionnaire; its content will reflect the policies and activities of The American Legion. The term of employment of the editor will extend one issue past the Department Convention. All editorials will be signed or approved by the Department Commander. All advertising consistent with The American Legion policy will be accepted. The commission shall be totally responsible for soliciting of competitive bids for the printing of The California Legionnaire, keeping in mind the financial aspects for the benefit of all California Legion members. It shall be responsible for documenting all policy and administrative decisions made by the commission which shall be forwarded in writing to the Department Adjutant as a matter of record. Candidates for statewide Legion office shall be given equal space in the columns of The California Legionnaire. Commissions paid to individuals or companies for advertising in the paper will be made known upon request of any member in good standing of The American Legion.

Publishing Area Commissioners

- 1 David Eby, PDC (529-1) Vice-Chairman
- 2 Paul Terry (410-26) Chairman
- 3 Bryan Adams (20-15)
- 4 Keith Morris (252-23)
- 5 Curtis Witherspoon (201-22)
- 6 Larry Johnson (280-18)

Editor – David L. Eby, PDC (529-1)

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Another year has arrived, the work of your Publishing Commission has passed and an accounting must be made. Your publishing commission has worked with diligence to represent you - From putting the paper together; to the final Mailing - a lot of effort was expended.

First: To have the proper content, we need your support, not only telling what you have done in behalf of the Legion BUT meeting the deadline of the 5th of every month for your copy to the Editor David Eby. Email: editor@calegion.org

Second: If you have a project that you want placed into the 'California Legionnaire that is not dated (We would like you to send it in) We have need of fillers, to fill the allotted space for the paper, 250 words would be about right, Oh yes - a picture with Legion Caps on (200 dpi or better) identify everyone with the caption.

Third: The Commission has worked with the editor on a few projects; the renewal of the contract for the next 3 years; with the economics of the printing, we felt that the best thing to do was to get a few concessions from the vendor. As our membership decreases, we would have to pay a fixed rate, which would be wasteful, paying for papers that we did not need. The Vendor agreed to change that part of the contract.

Fourth: Postage, the big one --- The cost of postage is going up and up. To control the costs, we need to change the way we are doing things. For one, we have to have our mailing list redone and recertified for correct addresses every sixty days, the cost saving answer is hard to come by. We use two mailing lists one for the Legion and another for the Auxiliary, which have to be combined. That means that we have to do the list sometimes in less than sixty days. Problem as of yet is not solved.

A team is the Heart of any program. Working Together – Side by Side! Thank you for your confidence and support Commander Joseph Garcia. A special thanks go to my fellow commissioners, Larry Johnson (280-18); Kelly Haughton (26-15); Lowell E. Arnold (252-23); Roderick P. Orden (6-22) and last but not forgetting my vice-chairman and editor David L. Eby for putting up with "ME" on my long and many telephone conversations.

See you ALL in Santa Clara!



Ritual Commission

Dennis R. Burke, Chairman

Mission Statement: To promote and teach the use of Ritual in all American Legion meetings as described in the official National Publications, e.g. Officer's Guide, to foster teams at all levels of The American Legion for initiatory and installation at meetings, and to lend military pageantry to American Legion functions, particularly at patriotic holiday ceremonies and parades, and at State and National Conventions and to supervise contests of uniform bodies

Ritual Area Commissioners

- 1 Gerald Verrill (807-4)
- 2 Dennis R. Burke (238-26) Chairman
- 3 Richard Salazar Sr. (682-15)
- 4 Lowell E. Arnold (252-23) Vice-Chairman
- 5 Donna E. Griggs (500-21)
- 6 G. B. Barker (211-16)
- TA Dennis Radcliffe (272-19)

I would first like to thank all the Commissioners and especially Technical Advisor Dennis Radcliffe, for all their support and participation this year. Due to our limited budget, we continue to communicate by e-mail, passing on information to make sure that our mission is carried out.

This year's Color Guard Competition is on Saturday June 21, 2014 at the Santa Clara Convention Center, at 7 am. The winner and participants will be presented with certificates and a plaque to the overall winner. The competition was advertised through the Legion Newsletter and promoted by Sergeant-At-Arms, William J. Reed. Last year's winner, again, was from Newport, Post 291, and District 29 and represented California at the National Competition. The Sons of the American Legion competed and were well represented in the competition.

The Ritual Commission urged everyone to participate in Veteran's Day, Memorial Day and The Four Chaplain's programs in their community and to report their activities. This year's Four Chaplain's Service that was held in San Francisco was well attended and I received many reports that it was especially good. Commander Garcia, Chaplain Huge E. Crooks, Jr., with the assistance of MJ, did an excellent job.

I received a good report from Area 5 Commissioner Donna Griggs, who attended the Spring DEC at the Lakewood Post 496 in Long Beach. She reported that American Legion National Commander Dellinger toured the Riverside National Cemetery. There, he visited the United States National Medal of Honor Memorial, and the U.S. National POW/MIA Memorial. He also met with some of the hundreds of veterans who serve on Memorial Honor Details at RNC, providing military funeral services.

Ron Galvan sent me information on The American Legion, 10th District Honor/Color Guard Program which is a very good model for other Districts to follow. The Ritual Commission continues to function well and reports are still needed to insure that proper credit is given to the Posts doing the work.



The American Legion Color Guard signaled the start of the Community Day Parade in West Sacramento.

Scouting Commission

Marvin R. Levy, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To foster and promote the scouting program throughout the state, especially among the Posts of The American Legion of this Department, including such activities as the Boy Scouts, Sea Scouts, Air Scouts, Cub Packs and Girl Scouts.*

For the past 3 years the Department of California scouting program has experienced an 18% growth. This year 83 posts and 2 Son of the American legion squadrons have chartered scout unit. There are a 50 Cub Packs, 79 Scout Troops, 2 Ships (Sea Scouts) and 17 Crews for a total of 148 units involving 4684 youth and 1873 adult leaders. The Department continues to have its annual camporee. This is the 33rd year. It is the only department to conduct a camporee. The 25th district has completed 14th annual campership dinner and raised \$2300. These funds assist scouts to attend scout camp. The Department of California has the 3rd largest program in the American Legion.

The Eagle Scout of the Year is James Thomas McDaniels. He is the Son of Ron and Joanne McDaniels of Yuba City. James belongs to a troop 7050 Chartered by Stephen M. Brammer Post 705 in Yuba City, District 4 Area 1. This year the commission considered 4 applications. We strongly encourage a participation in this program. James application was forwarded to the National the consideration as the National Eagle Scout of Year.

Scouting Area Commissioners

1 Vincent Olivera (77-6)
2 William C. Bergman (47-10)
3 Michael Feist (147-14)
4 Marvin R. Levy (46-23) Chairman
5 Scott C. Fuqua (777-25)
6 Lee R. Wise (125-16) Vice-Chairman
TA North Robert L. Taylor (111-5)
TA South Robert Miller (43-24)

Sons of The American Legion Commission

David L. Ritter, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To promote the program of The American Legion with the sons of the Legionnaires.*

Sons of The American Legion Area Commissioners

1 Charles L. Fitzpatrick (807-4)
2 Paul C. Rodriguez (512-28)
3 David L. Ritter (3-14) Chairman
4 William C. Murphy (188-23)
5 Lloyd G. Mac Bride (53-21)
6 Daniel W. Crow (741-16) Vice-Chairman
TA Michael E. Seaton (13-18)



The measure of the Commission success has been to measure the success of the Sons unwavering support to The American Legion programs. Their contributions to VA&R, Children and Youth, Americanism and Community service are commended each year by the National Organization for their performance and record for supporting and exceeding the National goals.

It all begins at the Individual Squadron level and their dedication to the premise of "Service to Veterans". They average more than 6k hours in direct service at Veterans facilities and more than 7k hours in direct support of veterans programs yearly.

Participation in community activities and programs, including Americanism, Boys State, Community Patriotic programs, Scholarships, School sports programs, Scouting and Special Academic Awards have brought recognition and praise for the Sons and The American Legion at all levels of the community.

For many years the Sons have identified and trained its many qualified leaders to fill the positions at Detachment, Area, District and Squadron levels. The Youth Leadership and Training program was stated in May of 2008. The attendees receive advanced leadership skills to familiarize participants with the Legion Family environment and to provide useful tools and skills for conducting Sons of The American Legion Squadron operations and activities, programs of the Legion Family, and practical knowledge in conducting events and activities. The cost of the program is supported by the sale of The American Legion – Sons Challenge Coins, donations and SAL fundraisers. The Commission and the Sons thank all those who participated in this endeavor.

Membership of the Sons organization has grown tremendously over the years and continues to grow each year. S.A.L. Area Vice Commanders are required to be more active with the formation of new Districts within their Area. The Vice Commanders provide comprehensive reports on their individual activities to the Area S.A.L. Commissioners. This was stressed as a necessity to keep the flow of information by-directional.

The Commission continues to emphasize the need for a one year and five year program to insure past successes, continued and future endeavors build those successful experiences. The dedication of the Sons to all aspects of The Legion programs and their endurance of purpose will ensure the continued development of The American Legion Family.

In closing, I would like to thank my fellow Commissioners for their dedication to this vital Legion program. I also thank the Department staff for their continued support and effort offered the Detachment. The Sons of the American Legion continues to serve the Legion in any venture they are tasked and do so honoring their Fathers.

Valley Forge Workshop Commission

Jack W. Schipper, Chairman

Mission Statement: *This program is designed to send qualified California educators to Valley Forge for a one week intensive workshop which enables them to develop a prospectus to ensure the "American Way" so that our youth of today may have a better understanding of both the historic origins of their liberty and the responsibilities of good citizenship required of them.*

Valley Forge Workshop Area Commissioners

- 1 Jack W. Schipper (28-5) Chairman
- 2 open
- 3 Bonifacio Arong Jr (16-11)
- 4 Peter W. Bernard (273-17) Vice-Chairman
- 5 Danny L. Marquez (772-25)
- 6 Michael Gombar (150-20)

The Freedom Foundation at Valley Forge was founded in 1949 by E. F. Hutton and General Dwight D. Eisenhower with the conviction that continued success of our republic is dependent on all Americans embracing their civic responsibilities while becoming active, engaged citizens who are inspired by the enduring relevance of the Declaration of Independence, the United State Constitution and the Bill of Rights. Each year, nearly 4,000 student and educators, from across the country, visit the beautiful 85-acre campus in historic Valley Forge to learn about America and our democratic system of government. Since its educational mission began, Freedom Foundation has influenced nearly two million students through citizenship programs.

The American Legion and our Auxiliary support the Freedom Foundation by sponsoring both students and teachers to attend the various programs and return to their schools and Posts to share their new knowledge with their peers.

Because of the help of supporters like us the Freedom Foundation has, since its inception, been able to:

- * Enroll over 11,000 teachers in 237 graduate credit seminars and workshops
- * Nearly 100,000 elementary and High School students were able to attend over 1,000 educational programs.
- * Almost 56,000 veterans and Medal of Honor recipients are memorialized in the foundations Medal of Honor Grove.

In 2014 seventeen different American Legion Departments participated in Freedom Foundation programs. We have contacted all Area and District Commanders providing them with information on upcoming seminars. Presentations have been made at Area, District and Post levels. Three Teacher Seminars are planned for this summer on June 30th, July 9th and July 20th at Valley Forge. At the time of this report, the Valley Forge Workshop Commission is still finalizing this year's applications. The commission worked hard in getting the word out to schools up and down our state.

Please contact me or commission members at the Convention or at home and they will provide your Post with any information you may need.



Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Commission

Ronald A. Galvan, Chairman

Mission Statement: *The Rehabilitation program of the Department shall be carried on under the supervision of the Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation Commission throughout the entire Department. There shall be a Department Service Officer, who shall be responsible of supervision of the Department's Service Program. This officer shall act in advisory capacity to the Commission and shall coordinate the work of the staff in San Francisco, Los Angeles, and San Diego Offices respectively and such other cities as may be designated by the Commission. The officer or designated members of the staff shall be official contacts and representatives of The American Legion, Department of California, with the Veterans Administration at regional offices, and Veterans Administration Hospitals. The duties of the Service Officer and staff shall be generally that of prosecuting claims and protecting the rights and privileges of all veterans, their dependents, and survivors and to handle such other matters as may properly be considered service work. The Service Officer and staff shall cooperate with County Service Officers, the Los Angeles County Service Department and the State of California Department of Veterans Affairs. It shall be the policy of the Commission to encourage Posts and Districts to select qualified and able members to serve as Post and District Officers and to provide assistance to help them carry out their duties.*

Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Area Commissioners

- 1 John H. Aldridge (182-5)
- 2 Ronald A. Galvan (117-10) Chairman
- 3 Anthony Guerrero (147-14)
- 4 Irene Cruz (302-17) Vice-Chairman
- 5 Charlotte Baber (14-25)
- 6 Jackie M. Huppert (43-24)

ALAMEDA POINT CLINIC

The Clinic in Fremont is going very well. It has been at the temporary location for 5 years. PG and E has started work on the new clinic to be near the 880 freeway on Technology Ct and the Auto Parkway in Fremont.

The new location will be built on 9 Acres of land and be around 80,000 square feet. It will be (3) three stories high with lots of parking. A new ER section will also be on the location.

Completion of the project is expected in 2018. With the opening the new location, the present location on Liberty St, Fremont will be closed as well as the Livermore Veteran's Hospital and clinic.

The new clinic at the former Alameda Naval Station should start by the end of this year. This location will be at the end of the old run way. It will be two stories and a lot of parking. The waiting rooms will be facing the Bay Bridge and the Golden Gate Bridge, giving a nice view of the San Francisco water front.

They will be adding dentistry, hearing, psychology as well as minor surgeries. The Clinic will also have a Veterans Park with benches to read and a running area. It will also have a bird sanctuary as well as columbarium's for 100 years.



Veterans Employment Commission

Joel Gregg, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To coordinate the program(s) of employment of veterans and to implement and to insure that veterans receive due consideration when applying for jobs for which they have earned preferential consideration through their honorable service to God and Country.*

Veterans Employment Area Commissioners

- 1 Gregory Snyder (521-6)
- 2 Russell C. Bissonnette (474-26)
- 3 Richard S. Smith (26-15) Vice-Chairman
- 4 Henry C. Brown (578-23)
- 5 Joel Gregg (310-22) Chairman
- 6 Lawrence Van Kuran (826-20)

The state of unemployment here in California is at its highest point that I can remember. Every day, we, The American Legion members, continue to get the word out to the active duty and ex-service people about the job fairs, career fairs, and how to start a small business.

We, The American Legion, continue to lead the way for the veterans to help themselves and be there to advise them.

I would like to thank all the Commissioners for attending the job fairs in their area. I have found the veterans want to know about their benefits and receive notification of employment opportunities.



Ways And Means Commission

Michael L. Bloom, Chairman

Mission Statement: *The duties of this commission shall be, and confined to, the development of plans, ideas, and promotions to secure additional funds by and for the Department. All plans, ideas, and promotions of said Commission must be presented to the Department Commander and his Executive Committee for approval.*

Ways and Means Area Commissioners

- 1 John L. "Dusty" Deryck (119-7)
- 2 Michael L. Bloom (512-28) Chairman
- 3 Juan P. Lopez (779-15)
- 4 Bill S. Clapp (496-19)
- 5 Phillip H. Heller (106-25)
- 6 Harley T Santos Jr (125-16)



On behalf of the Ways and Means Committee I would like to thank all of you for your continued support of our programs during this last year. Because of this support we were able to continue to do that which we are charged to do; look out for the welfare and well-being of our veterans and their families!

V.A. & R. is our main emphasis each and every year and the ways to continue a steady flow of revenue and to keep up with the challenges of the ever changing economic times is a huge task each year. I have been fortunate to have the finest Ways and Means Commissioners in the State who work together so well! To each of you I say, "We could not

have done it without one another and the great membership!"

Most of you know the success of the 'Challenge Coin' fundraiser project that we undertook this year! Thousands of added dollars were put into the V.A. & R. account from this one of a kind project!

The challenge; what to do next? At the last D.E.C. in March at Lakewood Post in Long Beach we were presented with yet another idea! By now you will most likely be aware of our fundraising raffle for a beautifully engrave Ruger Vaquero – 45 caliber Revolver. More than 10,000 tickets have been mailed and distributed! At \$10 a ticket we are hoping to be able to once again in the year ahead allow our programs for our veterans to continue on uninterrupted! It is a big challenge but one that we feel working together - the members of our great State are up to meeting. **The flyer is on the next page.**

I hope you are enjoying your time at Santa Clara Convention and I look forward to seeing you all around the Hall and in the meeting areas. Take some time to give yourself a pat on the back for your continued support and we look forward to working with you ALL in the coming year ahead.

DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA
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Department of California Veteran Affairs & Rehabilitation

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DEPARTMENT COMMITTEES • YEAR-END SUMMARY REPORTS

American Flag Display and Sales Committee

Bobby D. Brown, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To promote interest in flag etiquette and display; to promote sales of American flags throughout the Department and to promote participation by civic groups in the display and sales of our flag.*

American Flag Display and Sales Committee
Bobby D. Brown, (568-3) Chairman
Leon L. Carlson (716-29) Vice-Chairman

No report submitted...



Blood Donor Committee

Michael J Diprima, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To emphasize the importance of each Post having a blood bank committee and to assure that there will be an adequate supply of blood in the various blood banks so the same can be utilized by Legionnaires. To develop a strong plan requesting blood donations from our members and other sources.*

Blood Donor Committee
Michael J Diprima (817-20) Chairman
Clifford K. Crowley (585-26) Vice-Chairman

Thanks to all who sent in reports and a special thanks to those who did donate blood. You are helping to save lives by this simple act.

Area 1

District 2 Post 47 11 Units
District 4 Post 673: 3 units

Area 2

No Blood Donor Reports

Area 3

District 12 Post 872 10 Units

Area 4

District 17 Post 381: 265 units Police Post

Area 5

District 22 Post 146: 26 units 13 platelets
District 22 Post 149: Report sent no donors
District 22 Post 303: 11 Units
District 22 Post 537: 65 units
District 22 Post 619: Report sent no donors

Area 6

District 20 Post 817: 1123 Units



Distinguished Guests Committee

Edward J. Grimsley, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To assist, if called upon, at various meetings of the Post, District, and Department levels, in the proper presentation of Distinguished Guests.*

Distinguished Guests Committee
Edward J. Grimsley (310-22) Chairman
Joanne H. Evans (595-21) Vice-Chairman

It has been a great honor to be the distinguished guest chairman for Commander Joseph Garcia. I got to know a lot of people that I had the honor of introducing as special guests at many Department meetings, what great people.

I am grateful for the Commanders advice and friendship. It will never be forgotten. It also was great pleasure to work with his officers.

May God bless Commander Joseph Garcia and The American Legion.



Insurance Committee

Larry Leonardo, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To analyze and recommend all matters of insurance pertaining to the Department and to the individual members.*

Insurance Committee
Larry Leonardo (564-13) Chairman
James Shank (199-5) T.A.

The Legionnaire Insurance Trust (LIT) was founded with the purpose to provide Legionnaires with the most advanced and least expensive form of insurance to protect themselves and their families while providing American Legion Departments with a reliable source of revenue.

The Legionnaire Insurance Trust (LIT), as an endorsed provider of the Department's voluntary purchase program, has made it possible for thousands of California Legion families to obtain the various insurance products that provide benefits in times of accident or illness, at affordable prices.

Because of the unique nature of this program, where the Legionnaire Insurance Trust Board of Directors are made up of Legionnaires from all 49 participating Departments of the American Legion, the Departments of the American Legion has a say in the distribution of the programs dividends that are returned the participating Departments each year. As a result the Departments of the American Legion, annually receives a steady source of income to benefit our programs such as the Department's VA&R program. This year alone, \$92,586.00 was given back to our Department. Since our Department joined the LIT in 1993, the Department has received a grand total of \$3,245,623.00 through our members' participation in this program.

Due to a drop in membership enrollment and dealing new regulations associated with the "Affordable Health Care Act", this year's dividend return was smaller than last years, however the Department of California has seen an increase in our members' participation in the most popular program offering; "Accidental Death" Insurance. This is a free policy for members of the Legion in good standing! It will pay \$1,000 dollars to the family if a member is involved in an accidental death or has dismemberment, if you are on legitimate American Legion business, up to \$5,000 dollars benefits are available, in the event a covered accidental death should occur. This is not an automatic enrollment program; you need to enroll using the forms provided to every Post in California or by going on-line and enrolling. The Accidental Death coverage is a 5 year term policy which the current period (term) started in 2011 and ends in 2016. If you have not enrolled since 2011, please do so as soon as possible.

Other LIT products of interest to our members are; Emergency Assistance Plus, Hospital Indemnity Protection, Cancer Care Plan, Travel Accident Protection, Motorcycle Travel Accident Coverage, Accident Disability, Medicare Supplement Plans, Dental Insurance, and even Identity protection (thru Lifelock). Products of interest can be viewed on the newly revised LIT web-site at www.thelit.com

With this important affordable membership benefit, you provide protection to you and your family AND consistently help insure the Department of California's Veterans Programs are funded, simply by your participation...please join and help our veterans! What could be easier for a 49 cent stamp, a web-site visit or a telephone call?



Inter-Post Relations Committee

James Gordon, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To foster the exchange of ideas and programs between Posts which are unique to a Post or District, to encourage members attendance at various Legion social events, and to strive to develop inter-Posts participation in civic and national holiday festivals and parades.*

Inter-Post Relations Committee
James Gordon (723-19) Chairman
Robert D. Dillard (555-29) Vice Chairman

No report submitted...

Military Affairs Committee

Ronald H. Markarian, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To contact and establish a program of cooperation between the Department and the various military branches.*

Military Affairs Committee
Ronald H. Markarian (147-14) Chairman

No report submitted...



New Posts Committee

S. Mike Hooper, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To develop and recommend programs assisting Districts in the creation and operation of various programs.*

New Posts Committee
S. Mike Hooper (807-4) Chairman

I am pleased to announce that the Department of California has opened two new Posts, one in District 6 Leland Yates Post 709, Commanded by Mike Hughes. I would like to thank Mike for his hard work in getting this Post up and running. In fact the goal for a new post is 15 members; Commander Mike Hughes now has 81 members for a goal percentage of 540% as of April 30, 2014. I know Mike well and I am sure he will even exceed what he has already achieved. Again, thank you Commander Hughes and team for your hard work, your Post has the greatest percentage of membership in the Department as of this date.

District 22 Commander Harry Woods and his team just opened a new Post in Fallbrook, CA on April 25th. Thank you for your effort in accomplishing this for your District and for the new membership that will extend the hand of friendship and good works to the Community it will serve. You have the Department's wishes for much success.

We also had National Membership Assistant Director Sean Sparks and National Membership Director Billy Johnson assist us in this task. The National Membership Team has come out to California three or four times this year to assist in our membership needs, and as you can see as a team we can GET-ER-DONE!

It is vital to our Department that we start new Posts in areas that have a need to assist veterans in their needs no matter what it is, and in addition it will help the local community, the children, and bring awareness to the American Legion and what we do as the largest Veteran Service Organization.

If you are interested in starting a new Post please contact your District Commander, or your District New Post representative.



Membership Committee

S. Mike Hooper, Department Membership Director

Mission Statement: *To foster and promote membership in The American Legion, Department of California.*

Department Membership Committee
S. Mike Hooper (807-4) Director
Chairman North: Henry Sanchez (233-6)
Chairman South: Art Castro (51-19)
Area 1 Chairman: Robert Taylor (111-5)
Area 2 Chairman: Ron Galvan (117-10)
Area 3 Chairman: John R. Bart (23-14)
Area 4 Chairman: William V. Miller (496-19)
Area 5 Chairman: James E. Bieger (595-21)
Area 6 Chairman: Frank Campo (56-16)

Hello California, first of all I would like to say thank you for trusting me to serve as your Department Membership Director. It has been a pleasure to work with everyone working membership, like anything else we have had a few problems but by "working together side by side" as our Department Commander would say, have fine tuned our situations and made things run smoothly.

My goal this year was to have all Districts conduct a District revitalization using mylegion.org and the "find members in my area" section. This section will give you a list of all department holding post (Post 1000/DMS members) who are paid up members in the American Legion awaiting a call to join a local post, it also gives you a list of former members a post/district can call to see if they would be interested in renewing/reinstating their membership in the American Legion. I know of some Districts who did conduct such revitalization's and it showed in their membership goals.

The other issue I was concerned with is training our people at post level on how to process membership, the use of mylegion.org, what is the "request to transfer" form, what is the "project active" form and how to process them in a timely manner. I know when I became Post 1st Vice Commander there were many questions I needed answered and did not know who to contact and who to ask for answers, so by conducting a District wide training session this problem would be eliminated.

District wide training and revitalization need to be conducted each year to make our annual membership goals. An educated American Legion member will work smarter and harder than one that is just put in a position and forgot about, this is true in anything we do from membership to our Committees and Commissions, and we must help those who help us.

California has the largest pool of veterans to be asked to join the American Legion, we need to get out there and show our colors,

wear our caps and set up recruiting booths at our local markets, hardware stores etc. Let our prospective members know we are there for them, we are there to assist in there VA questions and lead them in the right direction. We are there when a veteran with children are having problems financially by using the TFA program. Our children and youth programs are second to none. We offer disaster and emergency grants to those who have been affected by fire, flooding, or any natural disaster at no charge to our members. We have the Legacy Scholarship program for those children who have lost a parent due to the war against terrorism, just to name a few things we do. Now after saying all of that, who would not want to be part our great organization?

I also want to thank the Department Membership team for assisting our membership needs and taking care of our Districts and Posts when needed. Our concern was service to our members, answering any questions that may have come up and helping with our training and revitalization of districts. And that they did. Thanks goes out to Membership North, Henry A. Sanchez Jr., Membership South, Art Castro, Membership Area 1, Robert Taylor, Membership Area 2, Ron Galvan, Membership Area 3, John R. Bart, Membership Chairman Area 4, William "Mildew" Miller, Membership Chairman Area 5, James E. Bieger, and Membership Chairman Area 6, Frank P. Campo, Thank you for your dedication to the American Legion and our most important program and that is membership. I am proud to have served with each and every one of you. I also want to thank District 6 commanded by Michael Hughes and 1st Vice Commander Al Castillo and District 30 commanded by Norman J. Telford and 1st Vice Commander Miguel A. Mendoza for achieving 100% membership goal at the time of this writing, your efforts are greatly appreciated.



Personnel Committee

Alan C, Lennox, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To study job classification and salary and benefits for all personnel of the Department and shall present each year to the Finance Commission a report of its findings.*

Personnel Committee

Alan C. Lennox (108-11) Chairman
Floyd Martin (108-11)
Annette B. Grimsley (310-22)
E. Paul Terry (410-26)

The charge of the Personnel Committee is to just review job classifications, salaries, and benefits for all personnel of the Department of California. The Chair then presents to the Finance Commission a report of its findings and recommendations.

This year the committee met several times. It is my pleasure to report to you that your Headquarters and staff in the service offices of the VA&R Division are professional, efficient, and performing admirably. Under the strong leadership and guidance of Adjutant Bill Siler III and Service Officer Scott McKee respectively, we can all be proud of their accomplishments and dedication to The American Legion.

There have been recent reductions in Department and VA&R staffing levels in conjunction with increased workloads. Staffs have met the challenge. Please be sure to acknowledge their excellent work and how much we appreciate their efforts.

I would like to introduce and thank individually your Department Personnel Committee: Floyd Martin, Annette Grimsley, and Paul Terry. These individuals have provided valuable expertise and effort to the Department of California.

As always... for God and Country



Post Activities Committee

S. Mike Hooper, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To increase membership in The American Legion. To stimulate interest and participation in the affairs of The American Legion. Through the use of the above to establish a positive program of leadership training to the end that there are members trained and ready to insure a constant source of personnel to safeguard the future of the Legion. To take steps to insure that The American Legion will continue to be an active and well-known organization in the community.*

Post Activities Committee

S. Mike Hooper (807-4)

Post activities are very important to the post and the American Legion, if a post has activities for the members to attend or participate in your membership will grow. If your post just holds monthly meetings and there is not much for the members they will not be willing to go out of their way to assist the post, let alone participate in your meetings.

You say what my post can do for activities; well one thing I recommend is to hold a Boys and Girls State luncheon or dinner. Invite your Post members, Auxiliary Unit, and Sons of The American Legion Squadron and show them what this program is all about, let me tell you, this is one program that went to and it was so amazing to see such talented young men and women and to listen to their stories of the boys and girls state event. Hold an Easter egg hunt, have a Christmas party with Santa for the kids. Adopt a cemetery and place flags and crosses on our departed comrades resting place. Maybe have a monthly pot luck dinner at your Post. The more active the post is the more your members will want to participate and bring in their friends and relatives and your post will grow.

Do not forget to get your Post activities posted in your local newspaper or announced on your local radio station, this will get the brand name of The America Legion out to the community, letting them know you are there for them. Post activities are a very important function of our great organization. Be an active post. For more information please contact your District Commander or your District Post Activities Representative.

POW/MIA Committee

Thomas D. 'Tim' Leisen, Chairman



Mission Statement: *The purpose of this committee is to assist former POW's and the families of MIA's and to formulate some ideas relative to their benefits.*

Note: It is our sad duty to report that Thomas Donald "Tim" Leisen has transferred to Post Everlasting.

From Tim's Obituary:

A long time Santa Monica resident and community volunteer passed away February 11, 2014 at the age of 83. Tim was born on May 19, 1930 in Chicago, Illinois and at the age of 15 left home to sign up in U.S. Navy but his Father and Uncle pulled him back. He later enlisted serving active duty in Vietnam and Japan from 1947-1969 and was discharged from the U.S. Navy Reserves in 1978. After returning to Santa Monica he became actively involved in the B.P.O.E #906, Navy League, American Legion Palisades Post 283 and Saint John's Health Center and Foundation. Tim loved his squirrels. He was passionate about the POW/ MIA military cause.

POW/MIA Committee

Thomas D Leisen (283-24) Chairman
Albert L Rude (555-29) Vice-Chairman

Religious Emphasis Committee

Richard T. Lee, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To develop a firm program toward promotion of religious programs and emphasizing our long standing policy of a "Back to God" movement.*

This has been a most fruitful year. The chaplaincy has been very aggressive in preparing Post Chaplains to promote the "For God and Country" concept. This has resulted in increased Post participation in many programs and events germane to religion. This was most evident in the recent Department Four Chaplains Service. Continued use of this program is anticipated in the future as the need for the Back to God movement gains momentum. Let's hear it for the movement and service to God and Country!

Religious Emphasis Committee

Richard T. Lee (741-16) Chairman
Phil Heller (106-25) Vice Chairman

Speakers Bureau Committee

John A. O'Leary, Chairman

Mission Statement: *To speak before civic groups regarding American Legion Programs and Activities on request.*

The Speakers Bureau Roster can be found in the back of the Department Roster. If your Post is in need of a speaker for an American Legion function, you can look up the person in your District who may be able to suggest someone. Our job is to help you find a speaker for you event.

SPEAKERS BUREAU

John A. O'Leary (340-9) Chairman
James J. Mueller (327-29) Vice-Chairman

Women Veteran Outreach Coordinator

Patricia Jackson-Kelley

WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

The Women Veteran Outreach Coordinator explores the past, present and the future of the readiness to serve women veterans. My role is the identified Women veteran Outreach Coordinator for the State of California made its' grand entrance during the tenure of Past Department Commander, Hugh E. Crooks Jr. Armed with my past knowledge and experience coupled with my passion to address issues Women Veterans face, I accepted the challenge, with a high level of enthusiasm. After several attempts to coordinate resources with our National identified women veteran program leadership; it has been disappointing however, I remain hopeful. My most recent interaction with national dates back to September 7, 2012. I have offered my assistance on a regular basis to provide input to update the women veteran pamphlet, assist with the coordination of the outreach and in reach to women veterans and public relation efforts to get the word out that women are different and they do have unique and gender specific care. We are not requesting a "hand out" but a "hand up".

It has been a privilege as well as an honor to serve as your representative. I am encouraged by the increase in the number of women veterans I see at the various venues. For example, on Friday, April 2, 2014, at Los Angeles Outpatient Clinic, approximately sixty-five (65) women veterans gathered for the event. Their enthusiasm and thirst for knowledge was commendable. Thank you women veterans for the awesome individuals you are. A special thanks is also extended to our Brothers-in-arms who support the efforts to recognize "Women are Veterans, too."

The 17th Annual American Legion Hank Ondler Memorial Golf Tournament Friday July 25, 2014 - Vintner's Golf Course

On the grounds of the California Veterans Home of Yountville

Report by Ralph W Jacob Jr, Tournament Chairman



Check in time: 7:30 a.m. — Tee time 8:00 a.m.

Soft spikes only. No tank tops or cut-off jeans please.

Prizes, awards and picnic lunch following the tournament.

***Golf committee will make teams four person scramble, (by handicap and number of residents.) If you have team, ask to be placed together. No more than two residents per team please. First 16 residents, then wait-list. Home Rep: Tom Sarciapone**

GOLF COMMITTEE:

Ralph Jacob: Chairman

408-226-3722 rjinsj@yahoo.com

Dennis Fercho: Vice Chairman

805-890-6554 dfercho93102@verizon.net

Mark Foxworthy: Treasurer

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Eric Measles: Secretary haydenfalls@yahoo.com

Golf Committee: Tom Sarciapone, R.T. Lee

Entry fee \$75.00: includes cart rental,
course fees and lunch.

Mulligans will be available to purchase
day of the Tournament

AMERICAN LEGION GOLF TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

Name _____ Post # _____ District _____

Circle one: Legionnaire / SAL / Auxiliary

Telephone _____ Handicap _____

Email _____

Entry fee \$75.00 all ages: includes cart rental and course fees and lunch.

Mulligans will be available to purchase day of the Tournament

Make checks payable to: American Legion Golf Tournament

Send to ERIC MEASLES,

21980 Lone Tree Road, Anderson, Ca 96007-8402



Fee and entry form due by July 21st

Defense of Veterans Memorials Project

Rees Lloyd, Director and Attorney

On Feb. 3, 2014, the Immortal Four Chaplains were honored with the dedication of a plaque at the Mt. Soledad National Veterans Memorial in a project conceived by the Defense of Veterans Memorials Project, initiated by a Riverside Post 79 Resolution, and carried out by dedicated California Legionnaires from across the State.

Feb. 3 was the anniversary of the date when the troop ship *Dorchester*, transporting 900 soldiers to Greenland,

was torpedoed in WWII in 1943, and the Four Chaplains took off their life jackets and put them on troops without them. The Four Chaplains – Rev. George Fox (Methodist), Rabbi Alexander Goode, Father John P. Washington (Roman Catholic), and Rev. Clark V. Poling (Dutch reformed) - then went to their certain deaths arm-in-arm, praying together for the troops, and singing hymns.

The Four Chaplains were honored by California Legionnaires as the intolerant extremists of the ACLU, which has become the Taliban of American liberal secularism, continue to try to destroy the cross in litigation which is now in its 24th year. The case is now pending in the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeal. It is certain that the case will ultimately be decided by the Supreme Court. That decision will set a nationwide precedent affecting this and future generations.

What is at stake is whether 300-million Americans will continue to have the right to honor their war dead as they choose, including by use of the Cross; or whether atheists or secular extremists epitomized by the ACLU will have a veto power over those decisions. The Project continues to work to with our allies in the Alliance Defending Freedom, Thomas More Law Center, Freedom of Conscience Defense Fund, and Liberty Institute, which represents the Mt. Soledad Association, to defeat the ACLU and save the Mt. Soledad Cross as we saved the Mojave Desert Veterans Memorial Cross in 2012 after ten years of litigation.

Every speaker at the Four Chaplains dedication pledged to continue to fight to save the Mt. Soledad Cross and the right of Americans to honor veterans as they choose. Keynote speaker at the Four Chaplains plaque dedication ceremonies was San Diego Attorney Charles S. LiMandri, founder of the Freedom of Conscience Defense Fund, who is credited with doing more than any other single person to save the Mt. Soledad Memorial cross.

LiMandri was joined by speakers which included: Representatives of Congressman Duncan Hunter (former Marine); and State Senator Joel Anderson; Capt. Joseph R. John (USN, ret.), founder of Combat Veterans for Congress (CVFC). He was joined by Larry Wilske, Navy Special Operations Command [SEAL] (USN, ret.) and Kirk Jorgensen (USMC, and currently Lt. Col. in the Coast Guard Reserves.) (See, www.CombatVeteransForCongress.org) Myke (“NY Myke”) Shelby (USAF, Vietnam) owner of the San Diego Harley dealership, and Dr. John Steel, former Navy fighter pilot and later renown San Diego surgeon and physician. Both are longtime advocates of saving the cross. Victoria Taft, patriotic radio talk show host (www.VictoriaTaft.com); Commander Harry M. Woods, representing host District 22, and Ray Trosper; Sgt.-At-Arms, ALR and PGR, representing Riverside Post 79, which initiated the Four Chaplains Plaque Resolution.

Statements honoring the Four Chaplains from across the country were received and read in the ceremonies, including from: Maj. Gen. Patrick H. Brady (USA, ret.), Medal of Honor (Vietnam), regarded as America’s most decorated living veteran; and Admiral Jeremiah A. Denton (USN, ret.), Navy Cross, seven-years, seven-months a POW in Vietnam, later U.S. Senator (Alabama); Department Commander Joseph A. Garcia; Col. Antonio Monaco (USA, ret.), founder and CEO of Patriot Outreach (www.patrioutreach.org); L.A. County Supervisor Michael Antonovich; and Author William J. Federer, (www.AmericanMinute.com).

The Four Chaplains tribute was co-coordinated by Anthony Stewart, District 22 1st Vice Commander; and myself, as Director of the Defense of Veterans Memorials Project. All expenses were paid by contributions of California Legionnaires, including from Riverside Post 79, Districts 11 and 14, and 22 and 29 through the Fifth Area, and individuals. Contributions in excess of costs were donated to the VA&R Foundation.

Four Chaplains
“That Others May Live”

The “Dorchester,” a converted luxury cruise ship was sunk with 900 troops, including four chaplains. After aiding and calming the troops the Chaplains sacrificed their lives by putting their life jackets on soldiers without them. They linked their arms and prayed together as they sank to their deaths.

REV. GEORGE L. FOX
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REV. CLARK V. POLING
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A Tribute from California American Legionnaires

Rescue at Sea of USAT Dorchester Troops by USCG Escanaba
The USAT Dorchester was sunk February 3, 1943

NO GREATER GLORY
The Four Immortal Chaplains and the Sinking of the Dorchester in World War II

Purple Heart
Chaplains
Distinguished Service Cross

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Patriot Outreach Pilot Project

Rees Lloyd, Co-coordinator

Our Patriot Outreach Pilot Project of The American Legion Department of California has allowed us to reach out in new ways to serve veterans, children youth, community, state and nation.

Our working relationship with Patriot Outreach founder and CEO, Col. Antonio Monaco (USA, ret.), and his national team through our Pilot Project, has great potential to help revitalize our Legion.

The Pilot Project began when our 2012 Convention adopted a Patriot Outreach Resolution initiated by Riverside Post 79 in District 21. This was followed by a recommendation by National VA&R Commission staff at the National Convention that California establishes a Patriot Outreach Pilot Project.

The efforts of the Pilot Project with Col. Monaco have been so successful that the Department Executive Committee voted at its meeting of March 14-16, 2014, to approve and submit for adoption at the 2014 Convention a Resolution initiated by Riverside Post 79 and sponsored by District 11 to adopt it as a National Patriot Outreach Project.

This comes as Patriot Outreach is embarking on an effort to establish a Veterans Assisted Living Facility near every major VA Hospital. As Col. Monaco explained in addressing our 2013 California Convention, nine are planned for California. The first is to be built at the VA Hospital in Loma Linda in the Inland Empire. This offers enormous potential to serve veterans and to help revitalize our California Legion – and the Legion nationally.

Col. Monaco has also generously offered to assist us in another unique way: Because outside audits proved that a very high percentage of donations to Patriot Outreach go directly to programs assisting veterans and a very low percentage to administration, Patriot Outreach was approved as a national and international charity for inclusion in the 2013 Combined Federal Campaign for charitable giving by federal employees by payroll deduction.

In this time of rising demand by veterans for help in dealing with the VA at a time of shrinking resources, Col. Monaco offered to designate to our VA&R Foundation of the Dept. of California, a tax-exempt corporation, all donations made to Patriot Outreach in the CFC charitable giving campaign that come from California.

That is, every time a federal employee from California makes a donation to Patriot Outreach, Col. Monaco will designate that donation for our California VA&R Foundation. (The American Legion is not itself an authorized CFC charity.)

All we have to do is urge our members, other Vets, family members, friends, and acquaintances, in federal employment, to designate Patriot Outreach, CFC and identify themselves as from California, and those donations will come to us. Retirees may be eligible to donate through the CFC in 2014.

This offers tremendous potential at no cost to us. However, in the first year, 2013, there was a lot of talk but little action to actually get out and urge our members and others to make their CFC donations to Patriot Outreach so they could come back to our California VA&R.

Col. Monaco has agreed to extend his offer for the 2014 CFC campaign. It begins in September and runs to December 31. We need to work to make this generous offer work for veterans in the 2014 campaign.

Col. Monaco has been invited to speak again at our California Convention 2014, and to meet with the Finance Commission as requested by Commission Chairman Leroy Baca, to explore this and other areas.

We continue to participate in Patriot Outreach's many varied projects. These include its Veterans Assisted Living Facilities; provision of free—and confidential—help to Vets (and their families) for anger, stress, combat stress, TBI and even PTSI; its equine therapy programs for vets; its "PPP-Recovery" project (i.e., Ponies-Patriots-People," which includes search and rescue of children with trained dogs and horses; and involvement in the annual Edelbrock "Rev'ed Up 4 Kids" charitable car show extravaganza in Torrance.

All are urged to pitch in and lend a hand in these revitalizing efforts. For more information, please see www.PatriotOutreach.org



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TAL Delegate Membership Strength Report Area – District – Post



TAL Membership Milestones

- POST EXCELLENCE AWARDS
- DISTRICT COMMANDER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
- RECRUITER OF THE YEAR
- *RACE TO THE TOP* NATIONAL COMMANDER'S AWARD
- POSTS WITH OVER 1000 MEMBERS
- NEW POSTS
- CANCELLED POSTS



The American Legion Department of California District Standings as of 05/06/2014

		2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Dele- gates	Extra Votes	Overall I Rank
Group A (0001-1999)	1	945	673	166	2	841	88.99 %	45	2	26
	2	1,137	932	103	15	1,050	92.35 %	41	1	17
	3	501	399	53	0	452	90.22 %	20	1	23
	4	1,846	1,497	163	14	1,674	90.68 %	61	1	22
	8	1,110	791	207	50	1,048	94.41 %	59	1	12
	9	1,451	1,160	162	158	1,480	102.00 %	46	2	3
	15	1,947	1,506	262	67	1,835	94.25 %	69	1	13
	17	1,980	1,746	127	3	1,876	94.75 %	61	2	11
	23	1,323	848	293	3	1,144	86.47 %	42	2	28
	24	1,635	1,112	387	2	1,501	91.80 %	57	2	20
	26	1,420	1,106	165	8	1,279	90.07 %	41	1	24
27	784	578	91	5	674	85.97 %	31	1	29	
30	671	617	80	8	705	105.07 %	33	2	2	
		16,750	12,965	2,259	335	15,559	92.89 %	606	19	
Group B (2000-3624)	6	2,780	2,273	390	295	2,958	106.40 %	92	2	1
	7	2,362	2,018	228	37	2,283	96.66 %	66	1	8
	10	2,633	1,796	261	111	2,168	82.34 %	73	2	30
	12	3,305	2,604	381	39	3,024	91.50 %	91	3	21
	13	2,512	1,925	361	27	2,313	92.08 %	79	2	19
	14	2,640	2,163	267	28	2,458	93.11 %	95	1	16
	18	3,298	2,586	354	20	2,960	89.75 %	102	3	25
	19	3,391	2,768	371	45	3,184	93.90 %	112	1	14
	20	3,423	2,472	466	49	2,987	87.26 %	101	2	27
	28	2,337	1,974	272	16	2,262	96.79 %	72	2	7
		28,681	22,579	3,351	667	26,597	92.73 %	883	19	
Group C (3625-5699)	5	3,954	3,155	484	47	3,686	93.22 %	124	4	15
	11	3,894	3,212	363	15	3,590	92.19 %	100	4	18
	16	4,752	3,891	529	85	4,505	94.80 %	128	2	10
	21	4,795	4,146	410	54	4,610	96.14 %	129	1	9
	25	4,794	4,254	411	52	4,717	98.39 %	146	2	4
		22,189	18,658	2,197	253	21,108	95.13 %	627	13	
Group D (5700-Above)	22	8,322	6,908	960	320	8,188	98.39 %	222	1	5
	29	8,033	7,153	549	84	7,786	96.93 %	207	4	6
		16,355	14,061	1,509	404	15,974	97.67 %	429	5	
Area Standings	1	13,525	10,947	1,587	410	12,944	95.70 %	449	12	2
	2	11,463	8,752	1,428	370	10,550	92.04 %	370	10	5
	3	12,570	10,063	1,364	154	11,581	92.13 %	386	10	4
	4	6,694	5,362	791	51	6,204	92.68 %	215	5	3
	5	26,615	23,078	2,410	518	26,006	97.71 %	737	10	1
	6	13,108	11,953	1,736	156	11,953	91.19 %	388	9	6
		83,975	68,263	9,316	1,659	79,238		2,545	56	

Department Paid Conv: 68,263
 Department PUFL: 9,316
 P 1000 Paid & Transfd: 1,659
 P 1000 Paid Not Transfd: 7,908
 Post 1000 Total: 9,567

Department Total :	87,146	National Goal :	96,269	90.52 % of Goal
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Delegate Strength: 2,545	Extra Votes: 56	Total: 2,601
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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 1

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0076	Lewis White, Ukiah	99	76	13	2	91	91.92 %	4	0
0096	Sequoia, Fort Bragg	142	111	21	0	132	92.96 %	5	0
0174	Willits, Willits	94	67	14	0	81	86.17 %	4	1
0205	Walker Bailey, Fortuna	131	88	33	0	121	92.37 %	4	0
0212	Fort Humboldt, Eureka	86	61	11	0	72	83.72 %	3	0
0274	Arcata, Arcata	82	56	18	0	74	90.24 %	3	0
0385	Redwood Empire, Boonville	35	25	7	0	32	91.43 %	3	0
0415	Hoopa, Hoopa	55	38	13	0	51	92.73 %	3	0
0494	Rainbow Warriors, Garberville	42	19	11	0	30	71.43 %	3	0
0529	Hopland, Hopland	20	18	2	0	20	100.00 %	2	1
0548	Gasquet, Gasquet	71	39	12	0	51	71.83 %	3	0
0559	Stuart Macklin, Ferndale	49	38	8	0	46	93.88 %	3	0
0759	Martin Haydon, Covelo	25	26	2	0	28	112.00 %	3	0
0815	Leggett Valley, Leggett	14	11	1	0	12	85.71 %	2	0
District 1 Total		945	673	166	2	841	88.99 %	45	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 47

District Commander Robert Ireland Post 174
 Past Department Commander David Eby Post 529



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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 2

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0092	Cheula, McCloud	157	137	7	1	145	92.36 %	5	0
0122	Ross Neilon, Yreka	57	57	4	0	61	107.02 %	3	0
0197	Shasta, Redding	169	125	24	2	151	89.35 %	5	1
0214	Palo Cedro, Palo Cedro	42	30	4	0	34	80.95 %	3	0
0260	Perry Harris, Etna	37	36	8	7	51	137.84 %	3	0
0369	Willis Hollenbeak, Fall River Mills	65	63	4	0	67	103.08 %	3	0
0441	Samuel Burney, Burney	79	61	6	0	67	84.81 %	3	0
0463	Trinity, Hayfork	19	14	2	0	16	84.21 %	2	0
0720	Shasta Dam, Shasta Lake	247	193	30	4	227	91.90 %	7	0
0746	Glenn L. Wilson Sr. Seawolf, Cottonwood	265	216	14	1	231	87.17 %	7	0
District 2 Total		1,137	932	103	15	1,050	92.35 %	41	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 42

District Commander Larkin Cockrill Post 197



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District 3

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0162	Eagle Lake, Susanville	117	105	7	0	112	95.73 %	4	0
0163	Clifford Harter, Alturas	20	18	6	0	24	120.00 %	2	0
0204	Thomas Tucker, Susanville	197	153	16	0	169	85.79 %	5	0
0329	Mighty Mountaineers, Portola	48	31	8	0	39	81.25 %	3	0
0568	Indian Valley, Greenville	51	43	5	0	48	94.12 %	3	1
0664	Harry Doble, Chester	68	49	11	0	60	88.24 %	3	0
District 3 Total		501	399	53	0	452	90.22 %	20	1

Extra Votes**Total Votes: 21**

District Commander Paul Wise Post 568



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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 4

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0017	Chico, Chico	167	118	17	4	139	83.23 %	5	0
0034	Alfred J. Foster, Willows	53	40	8	0	48	90.57 %	3	0
0042	Yuba-Sutter, Marysville	102	76	4	0	80	78.43 %	4	0
0045	Raisner, Corning	74	70	6	3	79	106.76 %	4	0
0095	Oroville, Oroville	98	71	12	1	84	85.71 %	4	0
0167	Mount Lassen, Red Bluff	159	123	18	1	142	89.31 %	5	0
0210	South Butte, Gridley	58	50	6	0	56	96.55 %	3	0
0218	Vernon Jewel Danley, Maxwell	86	87	2	2	91	105.81 %	4	0
0259	Paradise, Paradise	383	317	27	2	346	90.34 %	9	0
0673	Durham, Durham	82	75	7	0	82	100.00 %	4	0
0705	Stephen M. Brammer, Yuba City	197	148	20	0	168	85.28 %	5	0
0789	Bear River, Wheatland	53	49	4	1	54	101.89 %	3	1
0807	Linda, Olivehurst	334	273	32	0	305	91.32 %	8	0
District 4 Total		1,846	1,497	163	14	1,674	90.68 %	61	1

Extra Votes**Total Votes: 62**

District Commander William Davis Post 789



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District 5

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0021	Theodore Roosevelt, Santa Rosa	479	383	58	15	456	95.20 %	11	1
0028	Petaluma, Petaluma	167	119	19	2	140	83.83 %	5	0
0037	Wilkins, San Rafael	94	62	17	3	82	87.23 %	4	0
0101	Benicia, Benicia	172	150	22	1	173	100.58 %	5	0
0104	Vallejo, Vallejo	77	60	11	0	71	92.21 %	3	0
0111	Sotoyome, Healdsburg	352	310	26	2	338	96.02 %	9	0
0113	Napa, Napa	198	169	23	1	193	97.47 %	6	0
0165	Rago-Christopher, Vacaville	275	224	33	5	262	95.27 %	7	0
0178	Rio Vista, Rio Vista	50	44	3	0	47	94.00 %	3	0
0179	San Anselmo, San Anselmo	105	85	11	2	98	93.33 %	4	0
0182	Reams, Suisun City	218	129	54	5	188	86.24 %	6	1
0194	Tredway, Kelseyville	145	108	20	0	128	88.28 %	5	0
0199	St. Helena, Saint Helena	215	200	23	0	223	103.72 %	6	1
0208	Dixon, Dixon	230	172	27	4	203	88.26 %	6	0
0231	Calistoga, Calistoga	44	33	8	0	41	93.18 %	3	0
0293	William Russell Ledford, Cloverdale	141	141	0	0	141	100.00 %	5	0
0306	Veterans Home, Yountville	32	23	9	0	32	100.00 %	3	0
0313	Twin Cities, Larkspur	184	140	26	5	171	92.93 %	5	0
0338	Martin Slobodnik, Rohnert Park	87	60	20	0	80	91.95 %	4	0
0437	Konocti, Clearlake	223	180	28	0	208	93.27 %	6	0
0489	Jack London, Sonoma	138	106	13	1	120	86.96 %	4	0
0540	Lloyd Andrews Hamilton, Novato	54	41	9	0	50	92.59 %	3	0
0550	Mare Island Navy Yard, Vallejo	213	166	24	1	191	89.67 %	6	1
0603	Manuel L. Quezon, Vallejo	47	48	0	0	48	102.13 %	3	0
0850	Starview, Cobb	14	2	0	0	2	14.29 %	2	0
District 5 Total		3,954	3,155	484	47	3,686	93.22 %	124	4

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 128

Past Department Commander Fred Walton Post 21
 District Commander Robert DeToro Post 182
 Past Department Commander Mark Foxworthy Post 199
 Vice Commander Area 1 Ernie Ball Post 550



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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 6

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0061	Thomas A. Deise, Sacramento	166	113	36	0	149	89.76 %	5	0
0077	Yolo, Woodland	485	420	53	33	506	104.33 %	12	0
0233	Elk Grove-Laguna, Elk Grove	194	185	19	29	233	120.10 %	7	0
0362	Folsom, Folsom	273	238	19	37	294	107.69 %	8	0
0383	Fair Oaks, Fair Oaks	248	201	23	46	270	108.87 %	7	0
0391	George W. Manhart, Sacramento	151	29	117	0	146	96.69 %	5	0
0447	North Sacramento, Sacramento	125	107	14	16	137	109.60 %	5	0
0521	Haggin-Grant, Rio Linda	343	284	36	13	333	97.08 %	9	1
0604	Magellan, Sacramento	108	83	12	1	96	88.89 %	4	0
0608	Florin, Sacramento	178	128	10	7	145	81.46 %	5	0
0637	Citrus Heights, Citrus Hts	254	258	28	45	331	130.31 %	9	0
0662	South Side, Sacramento	26	22	3	0	25	96.15 %	2	0
0696	Gung Ho, Sacramento	23	16	3	0	19	82.61 %	2	0
0709	Lenard Yates Post,	15	17	0	64	81	540.00 %	4	1
0832	Charles Eggen, Sacramento	165	151	12	4	167	101.21 %	5	0
0861	Legislative Action, Carmichael	26	21	5	0	26	100.00 %	3	0
District 6 Total		2,780	2,273	390	295	2,958	106.40 %	92	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 94

Past Department Commander Donald Drumheller Post 521
District Commander Michael Hughes Post 709



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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 7

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0084	Richard W. Townsend, Auburn	297	256	39	8	303	102.02 %	8	0
0119	El Dorado, Placerville	627	541	63	8	612	97.61 %	14	1
0130	Frank Gallino, Grass Valley	448	399	34	1	434	96.88 %	11	0
0169	Alyn W. Butler, Roseville	385	316	30	15	361	93.77 %	9	0
0192	Colfax, Colfax	68	51	7	1	59	86.76 %	3	0
0264	James E. Fowler, Lincoln	108	93	5	2	100	92.59 %	4	0
0587	Warren Mc Keon, Foresthill	168	129	18	0	147	87.50 %	5	0
0620	Rocklin-Whitney Ranch, Rocklin	118	119	14	1	134	113.56 %	5	0
0775	John A. Stacker, Loomis	54	41	12	1	54	100.00 %	3	0
0795	Stella Van Dyke Johnson, South Lake Tahoe	89	73	6	0	79	88.76 %	4	0
District 7 Total		2,362	2,018	228	37	2,283	96.66 %	66	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 67

District Commander Robert Brasiel Post 119



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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 8

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0001	San Francisco, Daly City	110	60	37	31	128	116.36 %	5	0
0040	Golden Gate, San Francisco	76	51	31	0	82	107.89 %	4	0
0198	Samuel Patterson Sr., San Francisco,	19	13	0	0	13	68.42 %	2	0
0203	Rialto, San Francisco	14	2	2	0	4	28.57 %	2	0
0230	Hellenic, San Francisco	102	73	9	0	82	80.39 %	4	0
0236	Enterprise, San Francisco	17	1	11	0	12	70.59 %	2	0
0244	C. C. Thomas Navy, San Francisco	16	8	2	0	10	62.50 %	2	0
0315	Robert Basker, San Francisco	41	40	0	1	41	100.00 %	3	0
0333	Floyd Bennett Aviation, Pleasanton	20	13	7	0	20	100.00 %	2	0
0384	Cathay, San Francisco	111	87	39	3	129	116.22 %	5	0
0448	Alexander Hamilton, San Francisco	231	175	39	1	215	93.07 %	6	0
0456	San Francisco Police-Fire, San Francisco	249	190	19	0	209	83.94 %	6	0
0505	Cesar E. Chavez, San Francisco,	24	16	1	13	30	125.00 %	3	1
0510	General Hunter Liggett, San Francisco	24	17	4	0	21	87.50 %	2	0
0599	Salesian, San Francisco	31	27	2	1	30	96.77 %	3	0
0600	Bataan, San Francisco	3	1	1	0	2	66.67 %	2	0
0737	San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco	2	2	1	0	3	150.00 %	2	0
0875	San Francisco's African, San Francisco	2	1	0	0	1	50.00 %	2	0
0911	The Next Generation Of Heroes, San Francisco	18	14	2	0	16	88.89 %	2	0
District 8 Total		1,110	791	207	50	1,048	94.41 %	59	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 60

District Commander Eduardo Ramirez Post 505



The American Legion Department of California

District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 9

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0029	Henry A. Mc Namara, Martinez	83	64	14	18	96	115.66 %	4	1
0151	David A. Solari, Pittsburg	140	124	9	9	142	101.43 %	5	0
0161	Harding-Noia, Antioch	168	130	15	30	175	104.17 %	5	1
0202	Roy Frerichs, Brentwood	211	184	28	27	239	113.27 %	7	0
0246	M. T. Diablo, Danville	137	98	16	12	126	91.97 %	5	0
0331	Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Hill	256	214	21	29	264	103.13 %	7	0
0340	Louis Hagen, El Cerrito	165	128	16	10	154	93.33 %	5	0
0517	Lafayette, Lafayette	291	218	43	23	284	97.59 %	8	0
District 9 Total		1,451	1,160	162	158	1,480	102.00 %	46	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 48

District Commander David Jackson Post 29
Vice Commander Area 2 Janet Wilson Post 161



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District Standings as of 05/06/2014

District 10

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFLs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0007	Berkeley, Berkeley	64	58	7	5	70	109.38 %	3	0
0009	Alameda, Alameda	32	35	1	5	41	128.13 %	3	0
0047	Livermore, Livermore	152	136	6	0	142	93.42 %	5	0
0068	Hayward, Hayward	536	236	8	24	268	50.00 %	7	0
0117	San Leandro, San Leandro	396	307	71	22	400	101.01 %	10	1
0237	Pleasanton, Pleasanton	177	147	7	15	169	95.48 %	5	0
0292	Albany, Albany	206	137	24	4	165	80.10 %	5	0
0471	East Oakland, Oakland	229	119	56	2	177	77.29 %	6	0
0598	Rizal, San Leandro	50	38	3	0	41	82.00 %	3	0
0647	Leland J. Thompson, Alameda	176	134	12	1	147	83.52 %	5	1
0649	Castro Valley, Castro Valley	150	105	28	14	147	98.00 %	5	0
0695	Naval Supply, Emeryville	92	62	18	0	80	86.96 %	4	0
0837	Newark-Washington Township, Fremont	258	188	18	16	222	86.05 %	6	0
0870	Hayward Veterans, Hayward	39	41	0	0	41	105.13 %	3	0
0873	Fremont, Newark	76	53	2	3	58	76.32 %	3	0
District 10 Total		2,633	1,796	261	111	2,168	82.34 %	73	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 75

Past Department Adjutant Ernest Leal Post 117
 District Commander Ronald Parshall Post 647



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District 11

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0016	Karl Ross, Stockton	809	635	36	4	675	83.44 %	15	1
0022	Lodi, Lodi	450	366	37	1	404	89.78 %	10	1
0102	Bill Brinlee, Valley Springs	200	181	17	1	199	99.50 %	6	0
0108	Amador, Sutter Creek	1,162	924	153	4	1,081	93.03 %	24	2
0172	James Mc Dermott, Tracy	256	200	36	0	236	92.19 %	7	0
0190	Clinton Mc Causland, Ripon	123	104	9	1	114	92.68 %	4	0
0235	Jane Delano, Stockton	20	11	8	0	19	95.00 %	2	0
0249	Mc Fall-Grisham, Manteca	248	228	9	1	238	95.97 %	7	0
0263	Gustafson-Thompson, Escalon	95	88	9	0	97	102.11 %	4	0
0376	Calaveras, Glencoe	111	118	7	0	125	112.61 %	4	0
0632	Sharpe General Depot, Lathrop	55	44	11	0	55	100.00 %	3	0
0787	Blue Mountain, Wilseyville	35	27	6	0	33	94.29 %	3	0
0798	Manuel A. Roxas, Stockton	25	26	0	0	26	104.00 %	3	0
0803	Ed Stewart, Stockton	305	260	25	3	288	94.43 %	8	0
District 11 Total		3,894	3,212	363	15	3,590	92.19 %	100	4

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 104

District Commander Tino Adame Post 16
 Past Department Commander Kenneth Kramlich Post 22
 Past Department Commander Alan Lennox Post 108
 National Executive Committee Alan Lennox Post 108
 Past Department Commander Floyd Martin Post 108



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District 12

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0058	Smyth-Bolter, Sonora	339	268	29	1	298	87.91 %	8	0
0074	Modesto, Modesto	947	742	100	27	869	91.76 %	19	1
0083	Merced, Merced	692	553	84	3	640	92.49 %	15	0
0086	Dos Palos, Dos Palos	58	53	6	1	60	103.45 %	3	0
0088	Rex Ish, Turlock	346	280	33	1	314	90.75 %	8	0
0148	Owen Saling, Chowchilla	91	63	21	0	84	92.31 %	4	1
0166	James V. Perneti, Los Banos	84	81	8	0	89	105.95 %	4	0
0168	Elijah B. Hayes, Patterson	70	52	10	0	62	88.57 %	3	0
0189	Delhi, Delhi	24	1	1	0	2	8.33 %	2	0
0240	Manuel M. Lopes, Gustine	89	66	17	0	83	93.26 %	4	0
0491	Ceres, Ceres	138	103	18	2	123	89.13 %	4	1
0567	Mariposa, Mariposa	89	62	11	0	73	82.02 %	3	0
0660	Le Grand, Le Grand	45	35	4	0	39	86.67 %	3	0
0668	Ballico, Winton	56	58	6	0	64	114.29 %	3	0
0681	Twain Harte, Twain Harte	82	56	9	2	67	81.71 %	3	0
0872	Scranton & Qualle, Hughson	155	131	24	2	157	101.29 %	5	0
District 12 Total		3,305	2,604	381	39	3,024	91.50 %	91	3

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 94

Past Department Commander Frank Machado Post 74

District Commander John Kirwin Post 148

Vice Commander Area 3 Walter Butler Post 491



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District 13

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFLs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0099	West Valley Memory, Campbell	409	319	67	4	390	95.35 %	10	0
0217	Gilroy, Gilroy	312	249	37	4	290	92.95 %	8	0
0318	Willow Glen, San Jose	158	108	22	3	133	84.18 %	5	0
0344	Sunnyvale, Sunnyvale	69	24	12	0	36	52.17 %	3	0
0375	Palo Alto, Palo Alto	61	48	5	0	53	86.89 %	3	1
0380	Amateur Radio, Campbell	30	21	8	0	29	96.67 %	3	1
0419	Santa Clara, Santa Clara	459	379	49	10	438	95.42 %	11	0
0558	Los Altos, Los Altos	124	92	34	2	128	103.23 %	5	0
0564	Mission City, Santa Clara	327	293	37	1	331	101.22 %	9	0
0642	Stevens Creek, Cupertino	80	61	20	0	81	101.25 %	4	0
0714	Diosdado M. Franco, Santa Clara	80	14	31	0	45	56.25 %	3	0
0791	Mayfair, San Jose	295	235	22	1	258	87.46 %	7	0
0809	Clifford R. Rodriguez, Inc., San Jose	47	37	6	0	43	91.49 %	3	0
0858	Northside, San Jose	43	28	9	0	37	86.05 %	3	0
0881	Adm. William A. Moffett, Moffett Field	18	17	2	2	21	116.67 %	2	0
District 13 Total		2,512	1,925	361	27	2,313	92.08 %	79	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 81

Past Department Commander Bradley Stephens Post 375
 District Commander Lawrence Doutherd Post 380



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District 14

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0002	Coalinga, Coalinga	28	17	5	0	22	78.57 %	2	0
0003	Hanford, Hanford	271	230	36	1	267	98.52 %	7	0
0004	Fresno, Fresno	48	37	10	0	47	97.92 %	3	0
0011	Madera, Madera	215	149	29	1	179	83.26 %	6	0
0012	Selma, Selma	112	72	26	0	98	87.50 %	4	0
0023	William Lee Netzer, Sanger	59	49	1	0	50	84.75 %	3	0
0035	Reedley, Reedley	75	52	11	0	63	84.00 %	3	0
0036	Raisin, Parlier	12	12	1	0	13	108.33 %	2	0
0038	Fresno Star, Fresno	28	26	4	0	30	107.14 %	3	0
0055	Easton, Fresno	55	42	13	1	56	101.82 %	3	0
0100	Lemoore, Lemoore	148	122	14	2	138	93.24 %	5	0
0110	Oakhurst, Oakhurst	93	91	9	2	102	109.68 %	4	0
0144	Gerald Thomas, Corcoran	17	14	2	0	16	94.12 %	2	0
0147	Cecil Cox, Clovis	364	283	47	14	344	94.51 %	9	0
0159	Lee E. Doyal Bicentennial, Piedra	49	44	3	0	47	95.92 %	3	0
0191	Kingsburg, Kingsburg	32	26	4	0	30	93.75 %	3	0
0226	Orange Cove, Orange Cove	23	20	2	0	22	95.65 %	2	0
0245	Edward L. Griffin, Fowler	40	37	1	0	38	95.00 %	3	0
0355	Westland, Kerman	49	33	3	0	36	73.47 %	3	0
0509	Fresno Federal, Fresno	744	656	34	7	697	93.68 %	16	1
0511	State Center, Fresno	50	44	1	0	45	90.00 %	3	0
0594	George Van Vleet, Jr., Fresno	85	65	8	0	73	85.88 %	3	0
0621	Squaw Valley, Miramonte	43	42	3	0	45	104.65 %	3	0
District 14 Total		2,640	2,163	267	28	2,458	93.11 %	95	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 96

District Commander Mildred Wright-Pearson Post 509



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District 15

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0015	Tulare, Tulare	115	47	56	0	103	89.57 %	4	0
0018	Visalia, Visalia	102	78	14	1	93	91.18 %	4	0
0019	Alta, Dinuba	35	26	5	1	32	91.43 %	3	0
0020	Porterville, Porterville	194	156	27	2	185	95.36 %	6	0
0026	Bakersfield, Bakersfield	638	563	45	59	667	104.55 %	15	0
0063	Fellows, Taft	60	55	6	1	62	103.33 %	3	0
0094	Exeter, Exeter	74	58	4	0	62	83.78 %	3	0
0124	Merle Reed, Delano	93	71	13	0	84	90.32 %	4	0
0128	Lindsay, Lindsay	26	11	1	0	12	46.15 %	2	0
0221	Tehachapi, Tehachapi	90	65	9	1	75	83.33 %	3	0
0671	Orosi, Orosi	16	9	2	0	11	68.75 %	2	0
0674	Buttonwillow, Bakersfield	15	10	6	0	16	106.67 %	2	0
0682	East Bakersfield, Bakersfield	275	233	35	1	269	97.82 %	7	0
0711	Kern River Valley, Lake Isabella	54	52	7	1	60	111.11 %	3	0
0743	Charter Oak, Ivanhoe	42	25	13	0	38	90.48 %	3	0
0779	Terra Bella, Terra Bella	45	43	7	0	50	111.11 %	3	1
0785	Sierra, Visalia	73	4	12	0	16	21.92 %	2	0
District 15 Total		1,947	1,506	262	67	1,835	94.25 %	69	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 70

District Commander David Carrasco Post 779



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District 16

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0048	Oxnard, Oxnard	587	435	72	2	509	86.71 %	12	0
0049	Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara	137	100	25	0	125	91.24 %	4	0
0050	Paso Robles, Paso Robles	206	165	16	4	185	89.81 %	6	0
0056	Corporal Marshal N. Braden, Santa Maria	455	413	39	4	456	100.22 %	11	0
0066	San Luis Obispo, San Luis Obispo	425	422	46	40	508	119.53 %	12	0
0125	Vandenberg, Lompoc	319	273	29	2	304	95.30 %	8	0
0136	Arroyo Grande, Arroyo Grande	237	208	24	8	240	101.27 %	7	0
0160	Santa Ynez Valley, Solvang	95	68	13	1	82	86.32 %	4	0
0211	William Bill Proud, Lompoc	333	240	38	3	281	84.38 %	8	0
0220	Templeton, Templeton	85	60	11	0	71	83.53 %	3	0
0339	Ventura, Ventura	329	230	61	0	291	88.45 %	8	0
0371	Guadalupe, Guadalupe	88	71	4	0	75	85.23 %	3	1
0432	Cambria, Cambria	275	210	35	1	246	89.45 %	7	0
0482	Walter Ski Gamulski, Ojai	98	76	16	0	92	93.88 %	4	0
0484	Simi Valley, Simi Valley	68	54	6	0	60	88.24 %	3	0
0502	Moorpark, Moorpark	123	123	2	4	129	104.88 %	5	0
0534	Orcutt, Orcutt	275	252	21	2	275	100.00 %	7	0
0686	Oak View, Oak View	45	30	7	0	37	82.22 %	3	0
0741	Camarillo, Camarillo	572	461	64	14	539	94.23 %	13	1
District 16 Total		4,752	3,891	529	85	4,505	94.80 %	128	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 130

District Commander John Velasquez Post 371
 Past Department Commander Dennis Fercho Post 741



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District 17

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFLs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0008	Los Angeles, Los Angeles	39	10	26	0	36	92.31 %	3	1
0273	California Hut, Los Angeles	6	0	5	0	5	83.33 %	2	0
0285	Leonidas, Los Angeles	82	52	26	1	79	96.34 %	4	0
0302	Allied, Los Angeles	13	7	2	0	9	69.23 %	2	0
0309	Los Angeles Sheriff's, Whittier	235	213	6	0	219	93.19 %	6	0
0381	Los Angeles Police, San Marino	1,354	1,281	7	1	1,289	95.20 %	28	0
0387	Los Angeles City Hall, Los Angeles	25	0	23	0	23	92.00 %	2	0
0546	Service Clubs, Huntington Beach	23	22	0	0	22	95.65 %	2	0
0628	Chinatown Post 628, Los Angeles	71	80	1	0	81	114.08 %	4	1
0653	Los Angeles Post Office, Los Angeles	25	17	7	0	24	96.00 %	2	0
0677	Angel City, Los Angeles	38	25	2	1	28	73.68 %	3	0
0812	Anthony L. Oneto, San Marino	69	39	22	0	61	88.41 %	3	0
District 17 Total		1,980	1,746	127	3	1,876	94.75 %	61	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 63

Past Department Commander Hugh Crooks Post 8
 District Commander Wayne Yee Post 628



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District 18

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0013	Pasadena, Pasadena	85	59	11	0	70	82.35 %	3	0
0030	Pomona Charles P. Rowe, Pomona	301	226	38	0	264	87.71 %	7	0
0044	Monrovia, Laverne	100	101	3	2	106	106.00 %	4	0
0075	La Puente, City Of Industry	263	175	28	0	203	77.19 %	6	0
0078	Keith Powell, Claremont	150	101	6	1	108	72.00 %	4	0
0139	Alhambra, Alhambra	302	283	22	0	305	100.99 %	8	0
0180	Canyon City, Azusa	219	173	26	0	199	90.87 %	6	0
0239	San Marino, San Marino	9	8	1	0	9	100.00 %	2	0
0241	Abraham Lincoln, Baldwin Park	62	60	8	0	68	109.68 %	3	0
0247	Arcadia, Arcadia	229	155	40	1	196	85.59 %	6	1
0261	E. L. Monte, El Monte	83	58	6	0	64	77.11 %	3	0
0279	Temple City, Temple City	49	40	9	1	50	102.04 %	3	0
0280	East Pasadena, Pasadena	277	218	32	3	253	91.34 %	7	0
0397	Monterey Park, Monterey Park	107	93	5	4	102	95.33 %	4	0
0431	Edison, La Puente	56	39	8	0	47	83.93 %	3	0
0475	American Legion, San Dimas	61	36	6	0	42	68.85 %	3	0
0508	Borinquen, Covina	129	109	17	3	129	100.00 %	5	0
0536	Crown City, Pasadena	16	15	1	0	16	100.00 %	2	0
0748	Reyner Aguirre, San Gabriel	83	60	16	0	76	91.57 %	4	0
0755	Charter Cove, Covina	237	210	9	2	221	93.25 %	6	0
0790	West Covina, West Covina	438	343	52	3	398	90.87 %	10	2
0827	General Draza Mihailovich, Orange	42	24	10	0	34	80.95 %	3	0
District 18 Total		3,298	2,586	354	20	2,960	89.75 %	102	3

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 105

Vice Commander Area 6 Scott Sinclair Post 247
 District Commander Augustine Galaviz Post 790
 Sergeant-at-Arms William Reed Post 790



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District 19

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0027	Arthur L. Peterson, Long Beach	88	58	22	0	80	90.91 %	4	0
0051	Whittier, Whittier	278	239	15	24	278	100.00 %	8	0
0120	Bell-Maywood, Bell	62	50	15	1	66	106.45 %	3	1
0134	City Of Paramount, Paramount	77	64	2	1	67	87.01 %	3	0
0170	Bert S. Crossland, Torrance	247	182	22	0	204	82.59 %	6	0
0184	South Bay, Redondo Beach	246	197	18	1	216	87.80 %	6	0
0187	Gardena Valley, Gardena	43	24	17	0	41	95.35 %	3	0
0270	Downey, Glendora	143	104	15	0	119	83.22 %	4	0
0272	Montebello, Montebello	382	326	27	2	355	92.93 %	9	0
0314	Hawthorne, Hawthorne	220	156	45	3	204	92.73 %	6	0
0323	Albert F. Mazzie, Montebello	12	15	2	0	17	141.67 %	2	0
0326	Samuel Thomas, Long Beach	10	0	7	0	7	70.00 %	2	0
0341	Leland A. Cupp, Pico Rivera	99	94	4	1	99	100.00 %	4	0
0352	Gilbert Lindsay, Carson	54	53	1	1	55	101.85 %	3	0
0359	Norwalk, Norwalk	302	250	32	0	282	93.38 %	8	0
0411	Rivera, Pico Rivera	92	77	8	0	85	92.39 %	4	0
0465	Clyde F. Hager, Bell Gardens	30	30	0	0	30	100.00 %	3	0
0477	Sunshine Acres, Whittier	31	18	11	0	29	93.55 %	3	0
0496	Lakewood, Long Beach	699	600	65	8	673	96.28 %	15	0
0560	Houghton Park, Long Beach	85	53	25	0	78	91.76 %	4	0
0719	Sgt. Walter R. Tucker, Paramount	2	6	0	0	6	300.00 %	2	0
0723	Hollydale, South Gate	83	74	8	1	83	100.00 %	4	0
0804	Eugene Arnold Obregon, Los Angeles	72	62	7	0	69	95.83 %	3	0
0833	Lincoln Village, Long Beach	34	36	3	2	41	120.59 %	3	0
District 19 Total		3,391	2,768	371	45	3,184	93.90 %	112	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 113

District Commander Dennis Radcliffe Post 120



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District 20

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0127	Glendale, Glendale	113	87	14	1	102	90.27 %	4	0
0150	Burbank, Burbank	243	165	40	0	205	84.36 %	6	1
0176	San Fernando, San Fernando	206	128	19	1	148	71.84 %	5	0
0193	Van Nuys, Northridge	102	42	33	0	75	73.53 %	3	0
0206	Highland Park, Los Angeles	81	68	5	0	73	90.12 %	3	0
0276	Eagle Rock, Los Angeles	33	17	14	0	31	93.94 %	3	0
0288	Verdugo Hills, Glendale	132	112	13	2	127	96.21 %	5	0
0308	Reseda, Reseda	177	128	18	1	147	83.05 %	5	0
0311	Antelope Valley, Lancaster	583	440	47	2	489	83.88 %	12	0
0348	Palmdale, Palmdale	183	172	19	6	197	107.65 %	6	0
0377	Sunland-Tujunga, Tujunga	100	87	4	2	93	93.00 %	4	0
0507	Newhall-Saugus, Newhall	323	261	19	5	285	88.24 %	8	1
0520	Sun Valley, Sun Valley	131	94	5	0	99	75.57 %	4	0
0538	Willis A. Rowe, Sylmar	50	35	7	0	42	84.00 %	3	0
0581	Aircraft, San Fernando	34	18	9	0	27	79.41 %	3	0
0582	Valley, Granada Hills	131	94	18	0	112	85.50 %	4	0
0659	Pacoima, Valencia	21	11	3	0	14	66.67 %	2	0
0735	Anheuser-Busch, Inc., Northridge	6	0	4	0	4	66.67 %	2	0
0817	Panorama City, Panorama City	440	283	115	29	427	97.05 %	11	0
0826	Woodland Hills, Encino	334	230	60	0	290	86.83 %	8	0
District 20 Total		3,423	2,472	466	49	2,987	87.26 %	101	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 103

Past Department Commander Michael Gombar Post 150
 District Commander Robert Heinisch Post 507



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District 21

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0053	Harold W. Hyland, Hemet	368	264	46	2	312	84.78 %	8	0
0079	Riverside, Riverside	257	212	45	3	260	101.17 %	7	0
0200	Lynn Mort, Lake Elsinore	174	146	12	6	164	94.25 %	5	0
0216	William H. Jameson, Jr., Corona	43	29	7	0	36	83.72 %	3	0
0289	Carl R. Meairs, Riverside	278	253	11	1	265	95.32 %	7	0
0328	Norco, Norco	710	644	32	6	682	96.06 %	16	0
0428	San Geronio Pass, Banning	97	81	14	0	95	97.94 %	4	0
0500	Mira Loma, Mira Loma	173	163	11	1	175	101.16 %	5	0
0519	Owen Coffman, Palm Springs	729	722	42	12	776	106.45 %	18	0
0574	Morrison Memorial, Moreno Valley	319	194	16	2	212	66.46 %	6	0
0595	Perris, Perris	318	264	54	5	323	101.57 %	8	0
0657	Sun City, Sun City	38	29	5	0	34	89.47 %	3	0
0739	Herman Granados, Indio	248	250	24	4	278	112.10 %	8	1
0742	Joe Dominguez, Corona	120	123	9	0	132	110.00 %	5	0
0763	Ray Worrell, Desert Hot Spgs	83	30	11	0	41	49.40 %	3	0
0800	Idyllwild, Idyllwild	295	255	24	0	279	94.58 %	8	0
0848	San Jacinto, San Jacinto	356	309	31	9	349	98.03 %	9	0
0852	Temecula /Murrieta Valley, Temecula	189	178	16	3	197	104.23 %	6	0
District 21 Total		4,795	4,146	410	54	4,610	96.14 %	129	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 130

District Commander Steven Waggoner Post 739



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District 22

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0006	San Diego, San Diego	178	137	35	4	176	98.88 %	6	0
0146	Oceanside, Oceanside	543	438	38	26	502	92.45 %	12	0
0149	J. B. Clark, Escondido	840	666	76	26	768	91.43 %	17	0
0201	D. E. Witt C. Mitchell, Lemon Grove	202	232	29	5	266	131.68 %	7	0
0255	Larry E. Bennett, National City	404	340	52	2	394	97.52 %	10	1
0258	Alpine, Alpine	178	104	38	6	148	83.15 %	5	0
0275	La Jolla, La Jolla	79	46	23	1	70	88.61 %	3	0
0282	La Mesa, La Mesa	540	448	66	32	546	101.11 %	13	0
0303	El Cajon, El Cajon	424	353	29	52	434	102.36 %	11	0
0310	Dennis T. Williams, San Diego	471	431	55	14	500	106.16 %	12	0
0332	Ramona, Ramona	27	23	1	5	29	107.41 %	3	0
0364	Santee , Santee	19	64	1	13	78	410.53 %	4	0
0365	Alvin Myo Dunn, Vista	559	483	51	28	562	100.54 %	13	0
0416	San Dieguito, Encinitas	298	269	23	2	294	98.66 %	8	0
0434	Chula Vista, Chula Vista	1,088	845	111	46	1,002	92.10 %	22	0
0451	San Diego Womens, San Diego	29	17	8	0	25	86.21 %	2	0
0460	Albert J. Hickman, San Diego	392	312	42	5	359	91.58 %	9	0
0468	Lincoln Deming, Julian	285	235	48	0	283	99.30 %	8	0
0479	Poway, Poway	183	158	19	14	191	104.37 %	6	0
0492	San Diego Downtown, Bonita	36	33	0	1	34	94.44 %	3	0
0537	City Service, San Diego	225	145	72	9	226	100.44 %	7	0
0552	Pacific Beach, San Diego	118	102	20	5	127	107.63 %	5	0
0619	S. Sgt. Allan K. Walker, Warner Springs	30	20	5	1	26	86.67 %	3	0
0625	Leyte, San Diego,	22	22	0	0	22	100.00 %	2	0
0731	Larry E. Holmberg, San Diego	280	176	51	8	235	83.93 %	7	0
0820	Imperial Beach, Imperial Beach	475	439	41	7	487	102.53 %	12	0
0853	Borrego Springs, Borrego Springs	334	319	12	6	337	100.90 %	9	0
0867	Charles W. Turner, Chula Vista	63	51	14	2	67	106.35 %	3	0
District 22 Total		8,322	6,908	960	320	8,188	98.39 %	222	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 223

District Commander Harry Woods Post 255



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District 23

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0046	Community, Culver City	227	147	66	1	214	94.27 %	6	0
0177	Venice, Los Angeles	53	25	20	0	45	84.91 %	3	1
0188	Inglewood, Inglewood	80	19	61	0	80	100.00 %	4	0
0228	Benj J. Bowie, Los Angeles	57	51	9	0	60	105.26 %	3	0
0252	Jackie Robinson, Los Angeles	667	420	99	0	519	77.81 %	12	1
0335	South Gate, South Gate	91	72	20	2	94	103.30 %	4	0
0516	Teddy's Rough Riders, Los Angeles	11	9	1	0	10	90.91 %	2	0
0578	Chappie James, Los Angeles	77	57	5	0	62	80.52 %	3	0
0639	Dorie Miller, Los Angeles	39	30	10	0	40	102.56 %	3	0
0784	Sammy Davis, Jr., Inglewood	21	18	2	0	20	95.24 %	2	0
District 23 Total		1,323	848	293	3	1,144	86.47 %	42	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 44

District Commander W. Jeep Barnes Post 177
Vice Commander Area 4 Marilyn Rideaux Post 252



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District 24

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0043	Hollywood, Hollywood	505	360	145	2	507	100.40 %	12	0
0109	Bryant Temple,	37	43	2	0	45	121.62 %	3	0
0123	Santa Monica Bay Cities, Santa Monica	104	68	31	0	99	95.19 %	4	1
0209	Sugar Ray Robinson, Los Angeles	99	39	45	0	84	84.85 %	4	0
0283	Palisades, Pacific Palisades	593	421	92	0	513	86.51 %	12	1
0319	Wilshire, Pacific Palisades	15	0	14	0	14	93.33 %	2	0
0321	Sadao Munemori, Los Angeles	95	73	11	0	84	88.42 %	4	0
0322	Alfred J. Spahrman, Jr., Los Angeles,	6	1	4	0	5	83.33 %	2	0
0405	Baltic, Hacienda Heights	39	35	2	0	37	94.87 %	3	0
0527	Los Feliz, Glendale	30	15	13	0	28	93.33 %	3	0
0539	Will Rogers, Hawthorne	59	44	6	0	50	84.75 %	3	0
0602	Uptown, Los Angeles	20	2	2	0	4	20.00 %	2	0
0796	Topanga Canyon, Malibu	33	11	20	0	31	93.94 %	3	0
District 24 Total		1,635	1,112	387	2	1,501	91.80 %	57	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 59

Past Department Adjutant Charles Allemann Post 123
District Commander John Johansen Post 283



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District 25

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0014	San Bernardino, San Bernardino	180	178	16	4	198	110.00 %	6	0
0106	Redlands, Redlands	614	533	53	4	590	96.09 %	14	0
0112	Ontario, Ontario	259	245	14	4	263	101.54 %	7	0
0155	Colton, Colton	214	186	15	1	202	94.39 %	6	0
0229	Leo Collins, Adelanto	224	197	18	3	218	97.32 %	6	0
0256	Apple Valley, Apple Valley	120	124	11	0	135	112.50 %	5	0
0262	Fontana, Fontana	194	156	11	3	170	87.63 %	5	1
0299	Chino, Chino	417	391	18	17	426	102.16 %	11	0
0324	Richard Arnold Griffith, Barstow	298	240	32	0	272	91.28 %	7	0
0360	Rim Of The World, Lk Arrowhead	74	71	6	2	79	106.76 %	4	0
0421	Highland, Highland	300	285	24	4	313	104.33 %	8	0
0422	Robert Allen Romo, Rialto	216	188	33	0	221	102.31 %	6	0
0426	Yucaipa Valley, Yucaipa	137	120	7	1	128	93.43 %	5	0
0466	Paul F. Diekmann, Big River	142	116	16	0	132	92.96 %	5	0
0497	W. D. Buck Owen, Bloomington	79	64	7	1	72	91.14 %	3	0
0584	Sgt. Major U.S.M.C. Al Woody, Big Bear Lake	213	197	14	4	215	100.94 %	6	0
0650	Philip Marmolejo, Redlands	185	170	11	0	181	97.84 %	6	1
0710	Guy Wynton Morris, San Bernardino	174	176	22	0	198	113.79 %	6	0
0725	Hesperia, Hesperia	68	57	10	1	68	100.00 %	3	0
0751	Newberry, Newberry Springs	101	86	10	0	96	95.05 %	4	0
0761	Jack V. Rice, Joshua Tree	139	88	33	0	121	87.05 %	4	0
0772	Steele-Towne, Inc., Fontana	129	114	8	0	122	94.57 %	4	0
0777	Richard O. Reed, San Bernardino	220	193	15	2	210	95.45 %	6	0
0797	Richard M. Hendley, Jr., Yermo	25	21	5	0	26	104.00 %	3	0
0855	Silver Lakes, Helendale, Helendale	36	29	0	1	30	83.33 %	3	0
0879	High Desert, Lucerne Valley	36	29	2	0	31	86.11 %	3	0
District 25 Total		4,794	4,254	411	52	4,717	98.39 %	146	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 148

Department Commander Joseph Garcia Post 262
 District Commander Steve Thomas Post 650



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District 26

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0082	San Mateo, San Mateo	228	152	44	0	196	85.96 %	6	0
0105	Redwood City, Redwood City	276	208	36	0	244	88.41 %	7	0
0238	Pacifica, Pacifica	233	174	29	4	207	88.84 %	6	0
0409	San Bruno, San Bruno	117	92	17	1	110	94.02 %	4	0
0410	Otto C. Michler, San Mateo	58	35	13	0	48	82.76 %	3	0
0472	George Tadlock, Palo Alto	26	16	2	0	18	69.23 %	2	0
0474	Coastside, Half Moon Bay	240	197	14	2	213	88.75 %	6	0
0585	Lloyd J. Tobey, San Carlos	242	232	10	1	243	100.41 %	7	1
District 26 Total		1,420	1,106	165	8	1,279	90.07 %	41	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 42

District Commander Jerry Redford Post 585



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District 27

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	PUFLs	P1000/DMS Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0118	Inyo, Bishop	109	98	10	0	108	99.08 %	4	0
0265	Mount Whitney, Independence	39	30	9	0	39	100.00 %	3	0
0298	Rand, Red Mountain	15	7	4	0	11	73.33 %	2	0
0454	Mark Twain, Bridgeport	14	4	2	0	6	42.86 %	2	0
0457	Glacier, Big Pine	23	19	2	0	21	91.30 %	2	0
0476	Harry V. Bailey, Sr., California City	146	70	18	1	89	60.96 %	4	1
0636	Boron, Boron	45	43	5	0	48	106.67 %	3	0
0646	Lone Pine, Lone Pine	20	7	12	0	19	95.00 %	2	0
0684	John M. Armitage, Ridgecrest	373	300	29	4	333	89.28 %	9	0
District 27 Total		784	578	91	5	674	85.97 %	31	1

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 32

District Commander Randolph Morehead Post 476



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District 28

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFLs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0031	Salinas, Salinas	621	581	47	5	633	101.93 %	15	1
0032	Soledad, Soledad	56	51	3	0	54	96.43 %	3	0
0041	Monterey Peninsula, Monterey	208	141	48	0	189	90.87 %	6	1
0064	Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz	92	74	14	0	88	95.65 %	4	0
0069	San Benito, Hollister	94	80	14	2	96	102.13 %	4	0
0081	Gonzales, Gonzales	67	58	5	0	63	94.03 %	3	0
0121	Edward H. Lorenson, Watsonville	162	121	22	0	143	88.27 %	5	0
0512	Carmel, Carmel	83	93	7	2	102	122.89 %	4	0
0589	Cecil M. Anderson, Salinas	70	37	2	0	39	55.71 %	3	0
0591	Seaside, Monterey	254	188	51	1	240	94.49 %	7	0
0593	Prunedale, Salinas	271	248	26	1	275	101.48 %	7	0
0635	Greenfield, Greenfield	41	36	2	0	38	92.68 %	3	0
0694	Monterey Cypress, Marina	318	266	31	5	302	94.97 %	8	0
District 28 Total		2,337	1,974	272	16	2,262	96.79 %	72	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 74

District Commander James Scariot Post 31
 Past Department Commander John Bettencourt Post 41



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District 29

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0072	Anaheim, Anaheim	258	193	27	0	220	85.27 %	6	0
0131	Santa, Ana, Santa Ana	232	196	25	1	222	95.69 %	6	1
0132	Orange, Orange	414	358	29	4	391	94.44 %	10	1
0133	Huntington Beach, Huntington Beach	347	296	17	10	323	93.08 %	8	0
0142	Fullerton, Fullerton	173	122	33	2	157	90.75 %	5	0
0181	Brea, Brea	145	106	15	1	122	84.14 %	4	0
0222	Laguna Beach, Laguna Beach	256	158	65	0	223	87.11 %	6	0
0227	Tustin, Tustin,	94	101	3	0	104	110.64 %	4	0
0257	Laguna Woods, Laguna Hills	219	181	21	1	203	92.69 %	6	0
0266	Mayhew-Vincent White Cane, Westminster	172	104	38	0	142	82.56 %	5	0
0267	La Habra, La Habra	99	73	9	1	83	83.84 %	4	0
0277	Placentia, Placentia	208	187	6	2	195	93.75 %	6	0
0281	LAGUNA NIGUEL, LAGUNA NIGUEL	16	48	0	4	52	325.00 %	3	0
0291	Newport Harbor, Inc., Newport Beach	3,441	3,414	77	37	3,528	102.53 %	73	2
0295	Cypress, Cypress	255	215	20	3	238	93.33 %	7	0
0327	Leisure World, Seal Beach	153	110	19	0	129	84.31 %	5	0
0354	Buena Park, Buena Park	228	162	15	0	177	77.63 %	6	0
0423	San Clemente, San Clemente	54	45	7	3	55	101.85 %	3	0
0455	Costa Mesa, Huntington Beach	57	42	8	0	50	87.72 %	3	0
0555	Albert E. Schwab, Midway City	254	199	38	0	237	93.31 %	7	0
0679	Richard M. Nixon, Yorba Linda	224	201	19	4	224	100.00 %	6	0
0716	Los Alamitos, Los Alamitos	290	281	6	7	294	101.38 %	8	0
0721	San Juan Capistrano, San Juan Capo	108	82	26	0	108	100.00 %	4	0
0783	Stanton, Stanton	74	49	14	0	63	85.14 %	3	0
0857	Sgt. Thomas R. MacPherson, Sunset Beach	53	42	4	0	46	86.79 %	3	0
0862	Saddleback Valley, Mission Viejo	209	188	8	4	200	95.69 %	6	0
District 29 Total		8,033	7,153	549	84	7,786	96.93 %	207	4

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 211

- Past Department Commander Wallace Riddle Post 131
- District Commander Oliver Taylor Post 132
- Past Department Commander Howard Darter Post 291
- Past Department Commander Joseph Early Post 291



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District 30

Post Number	Post Name & City	2014 Goal	2014 Paid	P1000/DMS PUFs	Transfers	2014 Members	Percent Goal	Delegate Strength	Extra Votes
0024	Frank Luke, Blythe	109	101	8	2	111	101.83 %	4	0
0025	Boyce Aten, El Centro	144	160	14	6	180	125.00 %	6	2
0060	Brawley, Brawley	150	118	24	0	142	94.67 %	5	0
0090	Goree Lake, Calexico	49	45	1	0	46	93.88 %	3	0
0135	Calipatria, Calipatria	37	45	1	0	46	124.32 %	3	0
0138	Bradley-Keffer, Holtville	46	37	5	0	42	91.30 %	3	0
0597	Corregidor Of Imperial Valley, Niland	34	30	2	0	32	94.12 %	3	0
0801	Billie J. Dale, Bombay Beach	32	38	2	0	40	125.00 %	3	0
0802	Quechan, Winterhaven	70	43	23	0	66	94.29 %	3	0
District 30 Total		671	617	80	8	705	105.07 %	33	2

Extra Votes

Total Votes: 35

Vice Commander Area 5 Lee Quarcelino Post 25
 District Commander Norman Telford Post 25



Membership Milestones 2013-2014

POST EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Alvin Myo Dunn Post 365, Vista, CA – District 22
 Palisades Post 283, Pacific Palisades, CA – District 24

DISTRICT COMMANDER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Michael Hughes – District 6
 Harry Woods – District 22

RECRUITER OF THE YEAR

Kenneth B. Road – Post 256 – District 25 (28 new members)

RACE TO THE TOP

NATIONAL COMMANDER'S AWARD

Michael Hughes – District 6 Commander – Won Category II

POSTS WITH OVER 1000 MEMBERS

DISTRICT	POST	MEMBERS
11	108	1,081
17	309	1,289
22	434	1,002
29	291	3,528

NEW POSTS

Lenard Yates Post 709, Rancho Cordova, CA – District 6

CANCELLED POSTS

- District 4 - Jefferson L. Winn Post 98
- District 8 - Rialto Post 203
(merged with Cesar Chavez P-505)
- District 8 - Bataan Post 600
(merged with Cesar Chavez P-505)
- District 8 - San Francisco Naval Shipyard Post 737
(merged with Cesar Chavez P-505)
- District 8 - San Francisco's African American Post 875
(merged with Cesar Chavez P-505)
- District 8 - The Next Generation of Heroes Post 911
(merged with Cesar Chavez P-505)
- District 11 - Blue Mountain Post 787
- District 12 - Delhi Post 189
- District 13 - Diosdado M. Franco Post 714
(merged with Santa Clara P-419)
- District 17 - Manila Post 464 (also the squadron)
- District 18 - Chilelli Memorial Post 888
- District 20 - Pacoima Post 659
- District 21 - Ray Worrell Post 763
- District 21 - Wounded Warriors Post 883
(merged with Riverside P-79)

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The Last Bugle Call

2,856 Deceased Members

Reporting Period: June 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014

O Lord, You have showed us that death is but the gateway to a more glorious life and that we must not fear its coming; and we know, also, that neither life nor death can separate us from Your love. Assure us, yet again, that our departed comrades are not lost to us, but sharing new life with You in the kingdom of our Father, where we shall in your good time be reunited. We know them to be with You forever ... Amen.

Membership Transfers
To
Post Everlasting
2013-2014

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Post Everlasting Transfers

Reporting Period: June 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014

Listing of 2,856 deceased comrades

		2	260	Kenneth L. McCutcheon	3	568	Abner C. Knadler
		2	369	Alvie S. Leighton	3	568	Grace I. McManus
1	96	2	369	Donald T. Rohde	3	664	Robert T. Jensen
1	96	2	369	Conrad Trudeau	3	664	Fred J. Maltby
1	96	2	441	Floyd W. Blakley	3	664	Guy E. Sherod
1	174	2	441	Joseph Churney III	4	17	George M. Bader
1	174	2	441	Barry J. Humphrey	4	17	John Goodridge
1	174	2	463	Ralph S. West	4	17	James A. Masterson
1	205	2	720	Robert E. Beaty	4	17	Lawrence D. Spasbo
1	205	2	720	Forrest A. Fullerton	4	34	Jewell M. Gordon
1	205	2	720	Nelin A. Head	4	34	Ernest W. Michael
1	212	2	720	Melvin A. Schell	4	42	Ronald G. Walden
1	212	2	720	Charles H. Sunberg	4	42	Robert Williams
1	212	2	720	William Tullis	4	42	Willie Williams
1	212	2	746	William F. Cashel	4	45	Alexander Bordeau III
1	212	2	746	Thomas M. Conklin	4	45	Victor Meden
1	212	2	746	Dan L. Ediger	4	45	Joe L. Quail
1	274	2	746	Ted Garrett	4	45	Gordon W. Werner
1	274	2	746	James E. Kitchen	4	45	Ernest White
1	274	2	746	David E. McCrea	4	45	Randy S. Wright
1	385	2	746	Michael Mummert	4	95	Walter W. Herzberg
1	494	2	746	John H. Peterson	4	95	William A. Nutini
1	494	2	746	Michael S. Stovich	4	95	Robert L. Wolfersberger
1	548	3	162	Richard Dallimore	4	167	Joseph C. Daugenti Sr.
1	548	3	162	Leonard C. Keller	4	167	Floyd A. Hicks
1	548	3	163	Rod C. Cameron	4	167	Angeline E. Hurst
1	559	3	163	Charles J. Knoche	4	167	Allan J. Kirchem
1	559	3	204	Charles Coye	4	167	Paul E. Moyers
1	559	3	204	Robert E. Gaumont	4	167	Francis E. Phillips
1	815	3	204	Darrel S. Jahn	4	167	Hilton Reynolds
2	92	3	204	Willard W. Means	4	167	Ernest A. Sanford
2	92	3	204	Thomas I. Robinson	4	210	Joe L. Balderama
2	92	3	204	Fred R. Schultz	4	210	Charles E. Counts
2	122	3	204	Frank G. Shipman	4	210	Lynn A. Moyle
2	197	3	204	James L. Uptegrove	4	210	Fred Roxson
2	197	3	329	Robert H. Hand	4	218	Gary F. Bowen
2	197	3	329	John J. Hudacek	4	218	Gene A. Pinto
2	197	3	329	Roland Litz	4	218	Henry H. Reading
2	197	3	329	Walter E. Roode	4	218	James L. Reading
2	214	3	568	Steve Housel	4	218	James R. Rogers

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Reporting Period: June 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014

4	218	Robert J. Silveira	5	21	John L. Duenas	5	111	Allen Losh
4	259	Edward W. Briggs	5	21	Jack T. Flaherty	5	111	Harold Mattos
4	259	Zoyd E. Brummet	5	21	Rae C. Gambini	5	111	Ernest Palmieri
4	259	Glenn R. Collins	5	21	Robert H. Heinsen	5	111	Robert E. Stritzel
4	259	Virgil H. Cox	5	21	Sam A. Huck	5	111	Jeffery R. Truitt
4	259	Kevin N. Ethell	5	21	Marvin H. Intemann	5	113	Arthur Bowen
4	259	Joseph L. Frank	5	21	Dale Kuester	5	113	Charles P. Coker
4	259	Calvin B. Garl	5	21	Wallace D. Lightfoot	5	113	James B. Crawford
4	259	Marshall F. Hughes	5	21	Jesse Love	5	113	Glenn F. Dykes
4	259	John A. Kleiser	5	21	Joseph McGovern	5	113	Lester H. Karcher
4	259	Charles D. McDevitt	5	21	Michael Panas	5	113	Daniel A. Lentz
4	259	James McKasson	5	21	Ed Parkison	5	113	Robert L. Moak
4	259	Donald L. McLean	5	21	Charles G. Rigsby Jr.	5	113	Raymond D. Nunes
4	259	Carroll W. McWilliams	5	21	Charles Rodriguez	5	113	Gene Salazar
4	259	Richard K. Moreland	5	21	Glenn L. Schrader	5	113	Thomas E. Sheehan
4	259	Horace A. Ryder	5	21	Larry Schubert	5	113	Elmer R. Smith
4	259	Derald G. Simpson	5	21	Henry A. Signorotti	5	165	Robert L. Chase
4	259	William VanHorne	5	21	John R. Soldinski	5	165	Philip M. Eubanks
4	673	Clyde L. Cartwright	5	21	Hattie M. Stone	5	165	Bruce Garland
4	673	Millard W. Cole	5	21	Marion E. Tilley	5	165	Allen F. Gibbons III
4	673	Farrell D. Hamilton	5	21	Del Waldo	5	165	James C. Jewell
4	673	William Hollingsworth	5	21	William C. Williams	5	165	Russell T. Jones
4	673	Alton E. Porter	5	28	Ted Chwierut	5	165	Hubert Marlow
4	705	Richard A. Lawson	5	28	Kenneth Conley	5	165	James R. Patton
4	705	Daryl V. Stephens	5	28	George Rousseau	5	165	Josephine Tompkins
4	789	Robert D. Blackwood	5	37	William H. Barr	5	165	William W. Wilbur
4	789	Kenneth P. Davis	5	37	Jack C. Potter	5	178	John C. Mori
4	789	Joseph Devalentine	5	37	Robert E. Spain	5	178	Brian H. O'Connell
4	789	Carlton D. Jorgensen	5	37	Rodney V. Wagner Sr.	5	179	Richard A. Kientz
4	807	Preston O. Christy	5	101	Manuel B. Gonsalves	5	179	Hugh G. Marchant
4	807	Donald E. Hannaford Sr.	5	101	Gerald H. Jones	5	179	Raymond D. Minto
4	807	Jerry A. Lowry	5	101	Robert H. Smith	5	179	Walfred J. Pelto
4	807	Joseph Prater	5	101	Marshall A. Weaver	5	182	James L. Barbour
4	807	James V. Thao	5	104	Ralph F. Beebe	5	182	Samuel Caddle
4	807	Saipa Thao	5	104	Edwin N. Cameron	5	182	Edward W. Carmichael
4	807	Xaichou Vang	5	111	Charles N. Bacigalupi	5	182	Billy C. Gribble
4	807	Albert J. Wait Jr.	5	111	Angelo Bertozzi	5	182	Cleophis C. Hicks
5	21	Ian T. Allison	5	111	John Bertozzi	5	182	J. C. Hinton
5	21	Lonnie F. Barretta	5	111	Eugene G. Domenichelli	5	182	Norm V. Hollman
5	21	Carl J. Basch	5	111	Felix Duarte	5	182	Elizabeth B. Livingston

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5	194	Richard J. Ganley	5	489	Don A. O'Hara	6	362	David D. Davis
5	194	James W. Hubman Jr.	5	489	Jes G. Thomsen	6	362	George J. Donch
5	194	Frank H. Kramer	5	540	Clifford Bunds Jr.	6	362	Kenneth P. Hartrum
5	194	Fred Lett Jr.	5	540	Richard Curtaz	6	362	Monroe M. Strawn
5	194	Gene E. Tone	5	540	Gene Malkemus	6	362	Ronald D. Wasielewski
5	194	Richard N. Treu	5	550	Lionel L. Chenevert Jr.	6	383	Herman Becker
5	199	Bruce A. Budd	5	550	Oliver H. Gardner	6	383	Albert B. Manaresi
5	199	George P. Mariani	5	550	Floyd R. Huckeby	6	383	Charles A. Norris Jr.
5	199	William J. O'Connor	5	550	Charles D. Kuntz	6	383	Ed A. Owens
5	199	Jerry Rothfeld	5	550	Eddie W. Martinez	6	391	Otis L. Irby
5	199	Roy J. Shaw	5	550	Joseph L. McCoulf	6	391	Clem Llano
5	199	Kenneth Taplin	5	550	Alexander E. Schaeffer	6	391	David R. Rice
5	208	Herbert E. Neilson	5	550	Raymond L. Stevens	6	447	Francis Claggett
5	208	Robert E. Stowers	5	550	James L. Walker	6	447	Harry G. Dallas
5	231	John D. Foster	5	603	Benjamin D. Ortiz	6	447	Robert L. Dunshee
5	231	Le Roy A. Wells	6	61	Robert A. Boemer	6	447	Ted G. Josue
5	293	David M. Black	6	61	Grace E. Capen	6	447	Joe R. Santillan
5	293	Edwin D. Bowen	6	61	Fred J. Cooper	6	521	John L. Davis
5	293	Phillip Farrell	6	61	Joseph B. Duarte	6	521	Merwin J. Edholm
5	293	Robert L. Fowler	6	61	Frank E. Galli	6	521	Benjamin D. Esparagoza
5	293	William A. E. Zern	6	61	Bayliss F. Hanshaw	6	521	Cecil S. Gibson Jr.
5	313	Alan J. Airoidi	6	61	Donald G. Procida	6	521	Keith Lall
5	313	Robert G. Alander	6	61	Raymond D. Stein	6	521	Joseph J. Leonhardt
5	313	George Brown	6	61	Lawrence L. Stitt	6	521	Maurice J. Malumphy Sr.
5	313	James E. Egger	6	61	John S. Turner	6	521	Darel E. Marquette
5	313	Robert A. Gerrish Jr.	6	61	Clarence Youngren	6	521	Gary W. McDonald
5	313	George H. Heierle	6	77	William R. Allardice	6	521	James M. Sawyer
5	313	Elmo V. Maggiora	6	77	James R. Barker	6	521	Roy J. Smith
5	313	Howard M. Morse	6	77	Gerald W. Cox	6	521	Jerry Walton
5	313	George H. Sutliff	6	77	Richard A. Henigan	6	604	Vic Descargar
5	313	Charles R. Young	6	77	Robert C. Lewis	6	604	Restituto I. Nalangan
5	338	Thomas E. Denson	6	77	Cecil F. Rush	6	604	Amando Pereira
5	338	William R. Eckert	6	77	Howard D. Smith	6	637	Bruce Armstrong
5	338	George Imoto	6	77	Luther C. Smith	6	637	Hilmer E. Krause
5	338	Sam Miyano	6	77	Elzie R. Stephens	6	637	Ben O. Sammons
5	437	Rosemary H. Gillingham	6	233	Eual J. Austin	6	637	John F. Wakefield
5	437	Donald J. Kilner	6	233	John L. Comerford	6	637	Richard R. Wilford
5	437	Elmer F. Maryatt	6	233	Sidney D. McConnell	6	832	Leon Boyd

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6	832	George A. Rickabaugh	7	169	James Carpenter	8	384	Luis W. Jay
6	832	Peter D. Santos	7	169	Nick Duncan	8	384	Benjamin Louie
6	861	Gerhard C. Niemann	7	169	Robert F. Jones	8	448	John S. Cooper
7	84	Charles W. Armstrong	7	169	Jack Kesti	8	448	Arthur Hurwith
7	84	Richard K. Baldwin	7	169	Marc F. Povondra	8	448	Connie A. Morris
7	84	James C. Bollinger	7	169	Calvin Skancke	8	456	Guido P. Borlo
7	84	Joan J. Lesnikowski	7	192	Jose S. Bravo	8	456	John J. Brain Sr
7	84	Albert A. Marino	7	192	Robert W. Witt	8	456	John J. Candido
7	84	Carl F. Murray	7	264	Lloyd E. Breazeale	8	456	Gerald J. Christensen
7	119	Alan R. Calkins	7	264	Fredk C. Enos	8	456	Francis R. Fahey
7	119	Frank P. Chapman Jr.	7	264	Harold W. Weedon	8	456	Eugene L. Gard
7	119	Max M. Davidson	7	264	Chuck Wilson	8	456	Elbert J. Kimble
7	119	Richard L. Dunstan	7	587	Nicholas Burley	8	456	Henry H. Kind
7	119	Walter L. Ehrlich	7	587	Crawford Casto	8	456	Carl C. Klotz
7	119	Luis Garcia	7	587	Marion Sikorski	8	456	Jack D. McDowell
7	119	Dennis Hoye	7	620	Albert H. Niessink	8	456	Frank J. Rafferty
7	119	Ronald N. Huston	7	775	George Shoop Jr.	8	505	Erik Christensen
7	119	William Kammerer	7	795	Robert A. Biggs	8	599	Bruno J. Delcastello
7	119	Louis Karabinus	7	795	Evlyn S. Mays	9	29	Benton P. Eastbourn
7	119	Harold Kerfoot	8	1	James L. Barry	9	29	Gene Williams
7	119	Mary Neiman	8	1	Arthur S. Becker	9	161	Frank G. Ambrosini Sr.
7	119	Larry Piatt	8	1	Sally Boutin	9	161	Mitsuru Ideishi
7	119	Marion R. Rizzoli	8	1	Dominador T. Carandang	9	161	Elza V. Mathews
7	119	Numa E. Roberts	8	1	Donald V. Knight	9	161	Edward Montanez
7	119	Daniel E. Solis	8	1	Apolonio L. Ladia	9	161	Earl D. Moser
7	119	Paul L. Washburn	8	1	Louis G. Preovolos	9	161	Claude R. Seita
7	119	David Willey	8	1	William Slyter	9	161	Grover V. Westbrook
7	130	Cecil R. Childers	8	1	N. A. Syromiatnikoff	9	161	Everett C. White
7	130	M. W. Cicogni	8	1	Melchor R. Velasquez	9	202	Reginald D. Correa
7	130	John W. Crabtree	8	40	Carl M. Olsen	9	202	Roy E. Melot
7	130	Kenneth G. Finney	8	40	Andrew P. Pilara	9	202	Donald E. Palmer
7	130	Keith E. Jackman	8	40	Kenneth M. Ritchey	9	202	Robert R. Sherriff
7	130	Jack J. King	8	40	Leo Topoian	9	202	Adolph T. Sisneroz
7	130	Alfred L. Ploetz	8	40	N. H. Woo	9	246	Richard E. Doty
7	130	Jim Risdal	8	230	Severino L. Cabotaje	9	246	Darrel J. Fraga
7	130	Willard W. Schultz	8	230	Roy M. Fross	9	246	John J. Kellejian
7	130	Jay C. Stovall	8	230	Ramon T. Roldan Sr.	9	246	Rolando A. Oblina
7	130	John D. Wocken	8	230	George J. Tripodes	9	246	Michael G. Whisler

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9	331	Terry W. Parker	10	117	John S. Marquette	10	649	Mevin C. Santos
9	517	W. L. Blanchard	10	117	Robert B. McNair Jr.	10	695	Ildefonso S. Cordova
9	517	John A. Burt	10	117	Craig D. Mercier	10	695	Gilberto Rodriguez
9	517	Wallace R. Campbell	10	117	Armando Pereira	10	837	John H. Abraham
9	517	Thomas E. Morgan Jr.	10	117	John G. Santos	10	837	Robert Dias
9	517	Henry F. Nau	10	117	Burl G. Smith	10	837	Walter J. Falconer
9	517	Harry Painton	10	117	Harold J. Warren	10	837	Joseph P. Ferrario
9	517	Philip Wallace	10	117	James D. Williams	10	837	Bobby G. Fields
9	517	Albert E. Wells	10	237	Anthony A. Cavestri	10	873	Rudy J. Amouroux
9	517	Bill Winniford	10	237	Herbert M. Haydock	10	873	Clifford Chrisman
10	9	Erskine M. Shaw	10	292	Allen R. Coe	10	873	Curtis N. Strommen
10	9	Neil W. Webb	10	292	Joseph J. Dagna	11	16	William Bailey
10	47	Leonard E. Caley	10	292	Don Diani	11	16	John Ball
10	47	Vernon S. Freitas	10	292	Arthur J. Ferreira	11	16	W. R. Coale
10	47	Donald Fridlund	10	292	Jerome Franklin	11	16	Lorin D. Corbin
10	47	Paul S. Jensen	10	292	John W. Geary	11	16	Joseph T. Cortez
10	47	Les McDonald	10	292	Merrell D. Hales	11	16	Roy A. Delucchi
10	47	Samuel R. Werner	10	292	R. D. Riley	11	16	Edgar DesRosiers
10	68	Joseph B. Anderson	10	292	Alejandro Ruiz	11	16	Luciano Fajardo
10	68	Dennis R. Asturias	10	292	George Schumann	11	16	Manuel Fernandez
10	68	Jack P. Freeberg	10	471	Robert Armstrong	11	16	Robert J. Garcia
10	68	Douglas R. Kring U.S.N. Ret	10	471	John M. Bolenbaugh	11	16	Thomas H. Gardner
10	68	Dennis A. Lackie	10	471	Robert J. Brown	11	16	Donald R. Gilbeau
10	68	Albert L. Neu	10	471	Joseph Collins	11	16	Gene Giovannoni
10	68	Anthony Pastana	10	471	Mario Damonte	11	16	Donald B. Gomez
10	68	Ross Prusinovski	10	471	Jess Diaz	11	16	Philip D. Griggs
10	68	Kenneth Souslin	10	471	Milton L. Kelly	11	16	William C. Gromm
10	117	Paul E. Anderson	10	471	Leroy Miller	11	16	Ivan E. Hamlow
10	117	Al Antunes	10	471	Ernest A. Scoffone	11	16	Thomas E. Hammel
10	117	Roy Beardsley	10	471	George J. Silva	11	16	H. M. Heins
10	117	William Blankenship	10	471	Lyle Yates	11	16	Edward Hersom
10	117	Charles L. Deetz	10	647	Herbert R. Lee	11	16	Paul A. Kline
10	117	Albert L. Ferreira	10	647	Joe M. Martinez	11	16	Thomas W. Lapitan
10	117	Blaise M. Garcia	10	647	Ralph Stout	11	16	Alfred A. Mayer
10	117	Frederick A. Grimes	10	649	Robert Bowen	11	16	John Nomellini
10	117	Fred C. Houseman	10	649	Martin E. Eschen	11	16	Arthur L. Owens
10	117	Grant Ivory Jr.	10	649	Robert W. Gilmore	11	16	Scott J. Paris
10	117	P. E. Jamison	10	649	Ronald Hulme	11	16	John A. Prowse

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11	16	Antonio M. Segovia	11	108	John A. Buchman	11	190	George A. Aguiar
11	16	Charles G. Slater	11	108	Wilson Burns	11	190	Jerry L. DeBoer
11	16	Marion E. Wells	11	108	Ernie Cain	11	190	William P. Dykema
11	16	James R. Wold	11	108	William G. Cannon	11	190	Kenneth Indermuehle
11	16	Elmer Wolfe Jr.	11	108	Lee Cook	11	190	George A. Krause
11	16	Don L. Zeller	11	108	Russell Davis	11	235	Roberta Costello
11	22	Kenneth R. Booth	11	108	James Dickerson	11	235	Bernice Martini
11	22	Dean L. Bosch	11	108	John Evasuik	11	235	Veronica Nellen
11	22	Joe E. Brown	11	108	Archie L. Fox	11	249	Richard R. Bovino
11	22	Manuel R. Dias	11	108	Harvey M. Golden	11	249	Eugene E. Young
11	22	Angelo Fanos	11	108	Robert N. Grunigen	11	263	James K. Wood
11	22	Stephen W. Furry	11	108	David H. Helton	11	376	John V. Schippers
11	22	Daniel S. Gonzales	11	108	Forrest V. Kahle	11	376	William W. Whitlock
11	22	Roland Hanschu	11	108	Greg Kobeski	11	632	Thomas E. Agnew
11	22	Frank C. Heisler	11	108	Stephen C. Lewis	11	632	George M. Silva
11	22	Robert M. Jones	11	108	Mark E. Mace	11	798	Anthony Galindo
11	22	Harold A. Kundert	11	108	John E. Manthei	11	803	Loren Anthony
11	22	Mary Linn	11	108	Berl Mathews	11	803	John R. Bacon
11	22	Harold L. Merrill	11	108	Charles E. Mathis	11	803	Jack F. Beyer
11	22	Stanley R. Mettler	11	108	Ryan Mazzariello	11	803	Sterling E. Dearth
11	22	August Miller Jr.	11	108	Donald M. McDonald	11	803	Abraham A. Karim
11	22	Emil Miller	11	108	Charles Moon	11	803	Shir A. Karim
11	22	Reed T. Miller	11	108	David Nightengale	11	803	Ernest C. Kimes
11	22	John K. Paden	11	108	Paul E. Ove	11	803	Gordon A. Kenschak
11	22	James E. Schultz	11	108	Larry J. Paquette	11	803	Troy M. McManus
11	22	Alvar E. Sperring	11	108	Gregory Pitcher	11	803	Frank J. Pelot
11	22	Thomas L. Terra	11	108	Thomas Powers	11	803	James E. Podesta
11	22	William H. Webb Jr.	11	108	Norman F. Richards	11	803	Ray Rustigian
11	22	Glenn L. Williams	11	108	Arthur F. Schmitz	11	803	James Stevenson
11	102	Ronald E. Anderson	11	108	David Scholl	12	58	Edward L. Brouillard
11	102	Charles C. Bailey	11	108	James Solberg	12	58	Richard J. Butow Sr.
11	102	Andrew P. Ballantyne	11	108	C. W. Waklee	12	58	Paul F. Castle
11	102	Thomas E. Duke	11	108	Charles E "Charlie" Williams	12	58	Eugene G. Cummings
11	102	Mel Harris	11	108	Steven L. Winders	12	58	Edward N. Griggs
11	102	David L. Speaks	11	108	Robert A. Zender	12	58	Tom Holst
11	102	Albert F. Tunsen Sr.	11	172	George D. Bilbrey	12	58	James J. Mazzaferro
11	108	Noel Barnett	11	172	Fred W. Cook	12	58	Daniel A. O'Brien
11	108	Alan J. Bengyel	11	172	Walter R. Gorr	12	58	Jay Quick

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12	74	Thomas O. Brennan	12	83	Cornelius J. Groves Jr.	12	166	John R. Coelho
12	74	Darrell M. Broome	12	83	Gregory F. Hill	12	166	Ralph M. Elias
12	74	Benjamin A. Brown	12	83	James Jones	12	166	Charles E. Lafferty
12	74	Charles R. Carnes	12	83	Robert F. Martratt	12	166	Alvin Marques
12	74	Gary D. Clark	12	83	Rudolph M. Moreno	12	166	William V. Stenberg
12	74	Vernon Cole	12	83	Barney Rivera	12	166	Bill Williamson
12	74	Joseph Craig	12	83	Joseph Sabo	12	168	Howard C. Gomes
12	74	Harry George	12	83	Anthony Tieso	12	168	Lowell G. Howe
12	74	Richard Goncalves	12	83	Mark A. Tunnell	12	168	Wendol L. Torrison
12	74	William D. Goodridge	12	83	F. Vaughn	12	240	Wilbur E. Gomes
12	74	Aloysius J. Haag	12	83	Wesley R. Wharton	12	240	William A. Hibdon
12	74	Robert H. Hairston	12	83	George F. Widlund	12	240	Frank Homen Jr.
12	74	Daniel R. Harris	12	86	Rufus B. Cole	12	240	Lucien LaBorie
12	74	Bobbie N. Harvey	12	86	Ralph G. Furman	12	240	Manuel G. Menezes
12	74	Marvin Hildenbrand	12	86	John W. Mays	12	240	Lynn M. Valerio
12	74	Anthony C. Hubert	12	86	Carroll D. Olds	12	240	Manuel Ventura
12	74	Robert A. Kriese	12	86	Carl Pacini	12	491	Kenneth Cox
12	74	Carl E. Livingston	12	86	Apolinar G. Valenzuela	12	491	Jackie Dillon
12	74	Augustine F. Lombardo	12	86	Charles E. Zuspan	12	491	Earl D. Erwin
12	74	George Louder	12	88	Robert H. Barringer	12	491	Fred Gollihar Sr.
12	74	Charles Majors	12	88	Brenda J. Bohrer	12	567	Robert Bates
12	74	Chester McKune Jr.	12	88	Alexander Coelho	12	567	Dennis O. Croucher
12	74	Duane Modean	12	88	Charles F. Corgiat	12	567	James C. Emert
12	74	Walter A. Myers	12	88	Harvey J. Dalke	12	567	Robert L. Stanko
12	74	Richard Ohland	12	88	John Duling	12	567	Audrey B. Wilson
12	74	Warren G. Peck	12	88	Donald D. Farnstrom	12	660	Usbaldo J. Campos
12	74	Bill F. Rackley	12	88	Lin H. Griffith	12	660	Hector N. Ortiz
12	74	Don E. Shively	12	88	Edward O. Kearley	12	660	Thomas J. Zarate
12	74	Manuel A. Sylvia	12	88	Duane K. Larson	12	668	Clyde M. Cole
12	74	William Taylor	12	88	Jeffrey N. Mabalcon	12	668	Harold M. DePalma
12	74	Jack E. Williams	12	88	Perry McElhaney	12	668	John Downs
12	83	Louis Avila	12	88	James W. Mello	12	872	Edward DeJarnett
12	83	Walt Bailey	12	88	Isaac H. Moore Jr.	12	872	Melvin D. Hunter
12	83	James Barnard	12	88	Donald R. Olson Sr.	13	99	Gilbert Althoff
12	83	Frank Bettencourt	12	88	Noel E. Richard	13	99	Paul Bacosa
12	83	Robert D. Campodonica	12	88	Richard D. Thayer	13	99	Jay Bandanza
12	83	William Cotton	12	88	Louis A. Ventura	13	99	William J. Burgett
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13	99	David T. Leyva	13	419	Charles W. Kellogg	13	809	Phillip M. Cruz
13	99	Manuel D. Nunes	13	419	Donato L. Loquiiao	13	809	Armando Mercado
13	99	Francisco T. Sablan	13	419	Thomas J. Palomino	13	881	Donald E. Newhall
13	99	George J. Souza	13	419	Salvador H. Paramo	14	2	Donald D. Dapelo
13	99	Donald G. Trehearne	13	419	Victor Pawl	14	3	Richard Bettencourt
13	99	George A. Walden	13	419	Ernest Prioste	14	3	Angela Gonzalez-Dufour
13	217	John A. Awbrey	13	419	Martin J. Procaccio	14	3	Cecilia Hice-Douglas
13	217	George J. Bernadas	13	419	Michael J. Stafford	14	3	Andy Reitsma
13	217	Willis L. Culbertson	13	419	Eliseo V. Tolentino	14	3	Manuel Rodrigues
13	217	Burton H. Duke	13	419	Lawrence B. Turley	14	3	Martin Valle
13	217	Albert Filice	13	419	Leocadio D. Urbina	14	3	Jerry D. Watson
13	217	Pete Garcia	13	419	Rolando J. Villalon	14	3	William L. Wilkinson
13	217	Kevin A. Gilroy	13	419	Kenneth O. Weir	14	4	Anthony B. Gendusa
13	217	Gerald Hubert	13	419	James F. Willmes	14	11	Brian Austin
13	217	Vincent E. Landeros Sr.	13	558	Robert E. Conliffe	14	11	Michael Ayers
13	217	Jacob C Lebeck	13	558	Donald J. Robert	14	11	Earl S. Fox
13	217	Carl Page Jr.	13	558	Robert H. Trudeau	14	11	Larry G. Hill
13	217	Leland R. Scarper	13	564	Joseph D. Bryant	14	11	Bill E. January
13	217	Robert E. Taylor	13	564	Harold E. Engebretson	14	11	Stanley R. Lemus
13	217	Raymond M. Valadez	13	564	Elmo E. Flygare	14	11	Ellen M. Shea
13	217	William J. Vogel	13	564	Andrew J. Fontes	14	12	Loren E. Capps
13	217	John S. Wolfinbarger	13	564	Val W. Handl	14	12	Theodore E. Hastings
13	318	Manuel C. Banales	13	564	David C. Harn	14	12	George Page
13	318	Danny J. Hafelfinger	13	564	Richard W. Hendricks	14	12	Richard C. Tuttrup
13	318	Fred S. Kitajima	13	564	Earl C. Hopewell	14	23	Bill J. Malone
13	318	Jerry Lema	13	564	Vincent A. LaPorta	14	23	Oscar A. Solis
13	375	James M. Brannaman	13	564	Johnie J. Mendez	14	35	Robert S. Howell
13	375	Roland Guidry Jr.	13	564	Robert A. Smith	14	38	William E. Shuman
13	375	Robert L. Harp	13	564	Edmund K. Wong	14	55	Gareth A. Grebbell
13	375	James F. Kleckner	13	642	Jacinto Bonilla	14	55	Eldon D. Hooper
13	375	Donald F. Moon	13	642	Bernard Brewster	14	55	Norman N. Kjar
13	419	Carlos D. Arellano	13	642	Joe D. Goin	14	100	Tim Y. Lee
13	419	Charles A. Baker	13	642	John J. Maka	14	100	Robert E. Phillips
13	419	Robert A. Bullard	13	642	Anton L. Seidl	14	100	Julia E. Wilson
13	419	Joseph T. Dennis	13	791	Charles B. Hagerty	14	110	Loren L. Epperson
13	419	Clyde D. Emerick	13	791	Peter S. Smith	14	110	Wesley D. Heinrichs
13	419	Manuel S. Escobar	13	791	David S. Stearns	14	147	Ernest J. Beverlin
13	419	Florentino A. Estoque	13	791	Amador Torralba	14	147	L. D. Broadwater

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14	147	Robert M. Burrell
14	147	Randy E. Collins
14	147	Bernard A. Deeter
14	147	Angelo A. Gonzales
14	147	William V. Harris
14	147	Thomas L. Jackson
14	147	Robert T. Johnson
14	147	Elmer C. Madsen
14	147	Amelia P. Nygaard
14	147	Clifford H. Schletowitz
14	147	Steve Segal
14	147	Allen L. Weaver
14	147	George D. Winterberg
14	159	Bob Baxter
14	159	Larry Buranen
14	226	Chester A. Hudson
14	245	George Krikorian
14	245	Herbt Markarian
14	355	Richard Abrahamian
14	355	Herman Scheidt
14	355	Freddie Spencer Jr.
14	509	Phillip E. Abston
14	509	Lee Barisic
14	509	Angelo F. Bernardi
14	509	Leslie N. Bland
14	509	George E. Bright
14	509	Donald R. Cutteridge
14	509	Claudie F. Daugherty
14	509	Francis H. Davis
14	509	Eugene Franks
14	509	Gearhart Fries
14	509	Leo A. Hansen
14	509	Henry Kempf
14	509	Andrew J. Lawson
14	509	William A. Lee
14	509	William C. Lefax
14	509	Raymond A. Love
14	509	John K. Mayfield
14	509	Charles R. Miller
14	509	Joe P. Nunez

14	509	Albert J. Parley
14	509	Robert Ruiz
14	509	Martin L. Sondergaard
14	511	Joe Bolden
14	594	Vernon Courtney
14	594	Peter DePasquale
14	594	Kenneth Petersen
15	15	Luther B. Augustson
15	15	Danny P. Bontadelli
15	15	Edward M. Cate Jr.
15	15	Richard E. Hallowell
15	15	Julian A. Hefton
15	15	Byron Hylton
15	15	Franklin F. Mauricio
15	18	Pat M. Arnold
15	18	Tony M. Becerra
15	18	Mike E. Coz
15	18	Leroy Jeffery
15	18	John Maylan
15	18	Robert McNutt
15	18	John S. Miscik
15	19	Robert Bridge
15	19	Marlyn Huston
15	19	Roy Miyake
15	19	Jack K. Mullen
15	20	Fred R. Adams
15	20	Clayton Balcombe
15	20	Donald Hensley
15	20	Thomas D. Hetherington
15	20	Harvey H. Montoya
15	20	Kenneth P. Smothermon
15	26	Lee Gadberry
15	26	Bruce R. Groesbeck
15	26	Donald Jeffries
15	26	Charles H. Longest
15	26	Vernon L. Lowe
15	26	Robert W. Pankey
15	26	Edwin E. Richards
15	26	Buford W. Ridley
15	26	Charles L. Skellenger

15	26	Ronald Surgener
15	26	James D. Swarts
15	63	Daniel H. Cameron
15	63	Jack L. Haliburton
15	63	Donald C. Henshaw
15	63	Neal L. Mitchell
15	63	Frank R. Wilson
15	94	Tommy H. Maze
15	94	James H. Morefield
15	94	Donald R. Pinkham
15	94	Francis L. Richard
15	94	John C. Schelling
15	124	Mel Chaney
15	124	Robert M. Kulukjian
15	221	Donald R. Burgeis
15	221	Milton C. Ochsner
15	221	Dexter Reese
15	674	Jesse Alvidrez
15	674	Roy Belluomini
15	674	Tolbert Williams
15	682	Thomas Batt
15	682	George Bracchi
15	682	Walter D. Brown
15	682	Andy B. Freyschlag
15	682	Tony R. Gallegos
15	711	Preston L. Bickerstaff
15	711	Johnny L. George
15	711	Raymond Sanchez
15	711	Kenneth E. Walmer
16	48	Tony F. Ferraro
16	48	Bob Reeps
16	48	Epitacio J. Revelez
16	48	Frederic A. Sullivan
16	48	Robert Swan
16	48	Peter Volden
16	49	Robert H. Bosch
16	49	Frank Esparza Jr.
16	49	Frank N. Lammer
16	49	Arthur A. Shaw
16	49	George M. Shaw Jr.

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16	50	Robert A. Hagedorn	16	66	John H. Foott	16	125	John Z. Rodriguez
16	50	Raymond W. Kommel	16	66	Charles L. Fowble	16	125	Donald W. Soso
16	50	Leland Safranek	16	66	C. Gordon Gearhart	16	136	James L. Bellows
16	50	Robert J. Schlechter	16	66	Christopher Geiger	16	136	Robert E. Fournier
16	50	James L. Walker	16	66	Walter T. Gonyer Jr.	16	136	Vivien R. Fredlund
16	50	Kenneth W. Walker	16	66	Roy E. Grice	16	136	Robert V. Harris
16	50	Richard M. Weber	16	66	Norman Harry	16	136	James R. Nicklas
16	56	Robert G. Bazan	16	66	Hubert Hoadley	16	136	Kenneth E. Sylvester
16	56	Geraldine M. Castle	16	66	Jon Holm	16	136	James Zicari
16	56	William T. Connolly	16	66	Ted N. James Sr.	16	160	Wade H. Wickliffe
16	56	Kenneth L. Grose	16	66	Elmer R. Johnson	16	211	James C. Braithwaite
16	56	Fred J. Haupt	16	66	Albert Jorge	16	211	Larry D. Carmichael
16	56	Lenore L. Kalem	16	66	Justin Krause	16	211	Lloyd R. Cole
16	56	Harvey E. Lobo	16	66	Paul Madsen	16	211	Elizardo Garbiso
16	56	Robert P. Michael	16	66	Daniel J. McCarthy	16	211	Guadalupe V. Huante
16	56	Melchor M. O'Campo	16	66	Clarence B. McCullar	16	211	Loren L. Kerr
16	56	Sylvia M. Orgren	16	66	Samuel Menendez	16	211	Edwin R. Key
16	56	Raymond L. Rombough	16	66	Kenneth H. Miller	16	211	Norman A. Larson
16	56	Joseph Santos-Gomes	16	66	Michael Nemke	16	211	George Ornelaz
16	56	Tom S. Selby	16	66	James F. Perkins	16	211	Richard Osborn
16	56	Wallace R. Shepard	16	66	Ricky Pettiford	16	211	Robert A. Robertson
16	56	George N. Simpson	16	66	Stuart P. Ramsay	16	211	Truman H. Sylling
16	56	John R. Stone	16	66	Fred P. Ratliff	16	211	Edward D. Thompson
16	56	Anig A. Sua Sr.	16	66	Harold R. Redden	16	211	Robert L. Towers
16	56	Lawrence Vandborg	16	66	Joseph P. Roza	16	211	Walter R. Whitrow
16	56	Robert Ziener	16	66	Allan Sheehan	16	220	Frank J. Effler
16	66	Sidney A.M.	16	66	Don Strassburg	16	220	Lyman A. Eggleston
16	66	Karl C. Appel Jr.	16	66	Jorge Torres	16	220	Charles W. Murray
16	66	Marcos A. Arevalo	16	66	Allen C. Wade Sr.	16	220	Ronald E. Nelson
16	66	Mark Biedinger	16	66	Zane D. Wing	16	220	Carl Weber
16	66	Loren Birra	16	66	Martin Young	16	339	William S. Cobos
16	66	Lee Blaisdell	16	66	Bruce A. Younger	16	339	Samuel R. Edwards
16	66	Alcide J. Bonin	16	125	Harold L. Canfield	16	339	Derrell E. Griggs
16	66	Andre Bonini	16	125	William A. Fabrizio	16	339	Steve Kosztics
16	66	Jeffrey L. Briesacher	16	125	Eugene Frankhouser	16	339	Donald L. Leach
16	66	Willie Childress	16	125	Francisco A. Garcia	16	339	Harold F. Leshner
16	66	Glen Dollahan	16	125	Mark R. Long	16	339	Mario G. Massa
16	66	Coy Epley III	16	125	George V. Main	16	339	James W. Page
16	66	Joseph J. Ferraro Sr.	16	125	Charles L. Myers	16	339	Philip Ritchie

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16	371	Jimmy Arriola	16	741	Russell A. Norris	17	381	Ronald D. Nelson
16	371	Richard J. Novoa	16	741	George E. Nuckols	17	381	Richard C. Olsen
16	371	Robert Ruiz	16	741	Ron E. Schwartz	17	381	Donald V. Palmer
16	432	Paul Barrish	16	741	William R. Seaver	17	381	Alfred S. Peckham
16	432	Walter R. Blankenship	16	741	Norbert J. Zimmer	17	381	Robert F. Rock
16	432	Charles R. Camozzi	17	8	Clancy Imislund	17	381	Robert L. Roddenberry
16	432	Carl F. Coffelt	17	8	Peter E. Lee	17	381	Carl W. Rogers
16	432	Carl N. Hansen	17	285	Peter A. Adamopoulos	17	381	Ira R. Terry
16	432	Arthur G. James	17	285	Peter Defotis	17	381	Francis T. Torres
16	432	Ronald B. Johnson	17	285	Cris P. Eliopoulos	17	381	Melvin L. Tousseau
16	432	Vernon Kalshan	17	285	Xanthea V. Papadakis	17	381	Vernis R. White
16	432	Edwin L. Kuntz	17	285	Achilles Stumpus	17	381	Clyde R. Widrig
16	432	Gilbert W. Wiggins	17	309	Edwin L. Burnett	17	381	James D. Williamson Jr.
16	432	Wilbert E. Wilson	17	309	James P. Connors Jr.	17	381	Henry Zimmerman Jr.
16	432	Peter H. Wolff	17	309	Dennis A. Cook Jr.	17	387	Mark D. Fuller
16	482	Gene Carper	17	309	Gordon R. Graybehl	17	387	Esther E. Pickerell
16	482	Phillip E. Culbert	17	309	Roderick A. McLendon	17	546	Jack B. Dennis
16	482	Olan H. Dolan	17	309	Joel P. Oviatt	17	546	William N. Klove
16	484	Charles P. Overkleeft Jr.	17	309	Richard E. Robles	17	628	Ngim S. Wong
16	502	Nish Nalbandian	17	309	John L. Rodriguez Jr.	17	812	William S. King Jr.
16	502	George Stratton	17	309	Edward T. Shanley	17	812	Gerald R. Klippness
16	502	Leonard K. Wyatt	17	309	Partick R. Shields	18	13	Paul A. Higdon
16	534	Robert P. Bumann	17	309	Lenard D. Walton	18	13	David E. Kennedy
16	534	Charles C. Coppin	17	381	Edw H. Barr Jr.	18	13	Joseph J. Vainor
16	534	Dwayne C. Gortner	17	381	Raymond H. Bielman	18	44	James A. Arsenault
16	534	W. C. Jones	17	381	Ronald G. Burlison	18	44	Herbert Bennett
16	534	James W. Laidlaw	17	381	Ernest Cobine	18	44	Sam Denton
16	534	Eleno J. Lopez	17	381	Joseph M. Coppi	18	44	Charles Hill
16	534	Earl H. Seaver	17	381	Westley L. Craven	18	44	Everett R. Millard
16	534	Olin E. Sprouse	17	381	Curtis L. Edwards	18	44	Benjamin A. Ruechel
16	741	Dale C. Bastian	17	381	Roy G. Eker	18	44	Gerald V. Stromen
16	741	Donald G. Brown	17	381	Eugene Escamilla Jr.	18	44	Milo Zufall
16	741	John Burkhardt	17	381	Phillip R. Kelley	18	75	Gordon R. Affeldt Jr.
16	741	North E. Cobb	17	381	Francis J. Kilbride	18	75	Manuel Ballinas
16	741	Joseph S. Ettenberg	17	381	Robert C. Laird	18	75	David T. Basoco
16	741	Frank M. Flanagan	17	381	Harold A. Latham	18	75	Harvey R. Melohn
16	741	John E. Hills	17	381	Marshall L. Maydeck	18	75	Ramiro B. Rodriguez
16	741	Albert W. Huston	17	381	Joe L. McClosky	18	75	Lawrence A. Wilk
16	741	Ronald R. Melton	17	381	Charles F. Meter	18	78	George Galbreath

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18	139	Clarence Dionne	18	748	Garold D. Dyer	19	184	George Borkovich
18	139	Louis J. Fluet	18	748	John S. Gomez	19	184	Robert H. Coburn
18	139	Gilbert C. Reyna	18	748	Richard R. Gonzalez	19	184	Edward Gentsch
18	139	Carlos C. Tovar	18	755	Russell M. Alston	19	184	Marvin E. Jones
18	139	Ramon Villalobos	18	755	James F. Harwell	19	184	Michael D. Porter
18	180	Thomas W. Ellena	18	755	Thomas J. Hughes	19	184	Hermann Sprainis
18	180	Jesse T. Hughes	18	755	Gerald A. Leffin	19	184	Floyd R. Williams
18	180	Charles H. Minor	18	755	William R. Odum	19	187	Joseph R. Komada
18	180	Alfred M. Pedroza	18	755	Martin H. Rohr	19	270	Laurence C. Batulis
18	180	Charles R. Skaggs	18	755	Harold R. Tomlinson	19	270	Kenneth Drake
18	180	Arthur S. Torres	18	790	Burl Blue Jr.	19	270	Robert W. Engle
18	180	Albert Villescascas	18	790	Eugene M. Chivas	19	270	Edward A. King
18	180	Robert M. Wright	18	790	Lynn M. Freet	19	270	Julius O. Tuttle
18	241	Robert C. Gair	18	790	Henry J. Hicks	19	272	Alan R. Bushaw
18	247	Terry Bishop	18	790	Camie L. Jarvis	19	272	Alfred M. Espinoza
18	247	John Bonaparte	18	790	Earl W. Leslie	19	272	John M. Garcia
18	247	J. R. Kotchick	18	790	John Munroe	19	272	Arthur E. Martinez
18	247	Spike Nasmyth	18	790	Robert L. Pier	19	272	Charles Massoth
18	247	Robert W. Oley	18	790	Marie J. Randolph	19	272	Eugene R. Odou M.D.
18	247	Arthur W. South	18	790	Stanley A. Silva	19	272	John Olmoz
18	247	Berdena L. Whitmore	18	790	Adolpho P. Valencia	19	272	Bert Salgado
18	261	Chas Ratterree	19	27	John H. Harrison	19	314	Marion T. Barnett
18	280	Dolores Acosta	19	27	Fred D. Sparrevohn	19	314	John A. Davis
18	280	Eugene Day	19	51	Joseph R. Barolak	19	314	Douglas W. Galbreath Sr.
18	280	Paul Guzman	19	51	Charles C. Coulter	19	314	Fred R. Grant
18	280	Hubert Hutches	19	51	Carl M. Morton	19	314	A. L. Hess
18	280	William T. Langill	19	51	Mervin M. Nunes	19	314	Stanley Lopez
18	280	Dean Lingren	19	51	Eugene C. Purcell	19	314	Philip F. Machado
18	280	Robert M. Messing	19	51	Henry A. Rogers Jr.	19	314	Pete Maestas
18	397	Darrell D. Karn	19	51	Wesley Rylander	19	314	Luis R. Moreno
18	397	Joseph B. Lombardo	19	51	William H. Wetzel	19	314	Steve A. Parrish
18	397	William V. Tascher	19	120	Bill D. Eschmann	19	314	James R. Wariner
18	431	George B. Gardner	19	120	Camille Sarno	19	326	John H. Wilson
18	431	Glenn C. Smith	19	134	Oliver N. Bennett	19	341	Franklin G. Brown
18	475	Thomas R. Keilty	19	134	Robert G. Bennington	19	341	John A. Gomez
18	475	Harold Raffel	19	134	George M. Harrington	19	341	Bernardo Hernandez
18	508	Walter T. Bonilla	19	170	Thomas G. Butts	19	341	Jerome F. Ollendick
18	508	Felix Nieves Sr.	19	170	Charles R. Edwards	19	341	Pershing F. Patino
18	536	James E. Jones	19	170	Lewis B. Walters	19	341	Herb Thacker

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19	352	Keith L. Brown	19	723	Wade T. Murdoch	20	311	Kenneth D. Anderson
19	352	Benjamin F. McKee	19	723	Jack W. Owens	20	311	James M. Back
19	359	George Allen	19	723	Larry Phillips	20	311	Laverne A. Bradley
19	359	Vernon E. Beezley	19	723	Norman Price	20	311	Manuel W. Costa
19	359	Robert I. Brounshidle	19	723	Kathryn A. Sweredoski	20	311	Robert G. Cunningham
19	359	Ambrose C. Bury	19	723	Don A. Thomas	20	311	Earl L. Daniels
19	359	John E. Cowan	19	804	Arthur B. Alvarez	20	311	Norman E. Duke
19	359	Steven F. Crawley	19	804	Aurelio E. Contreras	20	311	Dennis Groven
19	359	Gerald A. DellaValle	19	804	Arthur J. Obregon	20	311	Harry A. Gumbert
19	359	Warren A. Escobar	19	833	Carl Miller	20	311	John H. King III
19	359	Patrick E. Howard	20	127	William F. Laidig	20	311	Kerry L. Lewis
19	359	Eugene C. Kessler	20	150	William C. Abbott	20	311	Bobby McClain
19	359	Jerry H. Laloli	20	150	Charles W. Andrews	20	311	John W. Miller
19	359	Jack E. Marquis	20	150	Edward R. Larson	20	311	Alan M. Ramage
19	359	Melecio Ochoa	20	150	S. L. Mak	20	311	Karl L. Smith
19	359	Calvin B. Powell	20	150	Donald R. Murtha	20	311	Robert E. Treece
19	359	Raymond A. Sanchez	20	150	Richard A. Pierce	20	311	Edward Valdivia
19	359	Robert Sweeney	20	150	Michael W. Smith	20	311	Larry R. Walker
19	359	Sam Tafoya	20	150	Walter F. Wenzloff	20	348	Frank Alex
19	411	Migel A. Sanchez Sr.	20	176	Inocencio O. Bustamante	20	348	Norman Fluegeman
19	465	Elmo L. Lawson	20	176	Michael A. Rubell	20	348	George W. James
19	477	Paul Toomey	20	193	Irving M. Charles	20	348	Peter Lucky
19	496	Robert Benjamin	20	193	Arthur Cherdack	20	348	Burton S. Sanderson
19	496	Jerome L. Clarke	20	193	Joseph J. Guzy	20	348	Dirk S. Shocklee
19	496	Eugene J. Cuny	20	193	Marvin Reichman	20	377	William E. Harvey
19	496	Billy H. Farmer	20	193	Robert J. Riva	20	377	Don J. Kassenborg
19	496	William F. Golden	20	276	Myron N. Lorentz	20	377	Max B. McAdams
19	496	Ronald Grider	20	288	Arthur W. Caruso	20	377	Ray Moon
19	496	Johnny E. Jones	20	288	Irving F. Johnson	20	377	Patrick D. O'Brien
19	496	Albin M. Mackeravage	20	288	Kenneth R. Jury	20	377	William A. Robertson
19	496	Harold G. Mallon	20	288	Charles G. Prescott	20	377	Charles A. Sallie
19	496	Victoriano A. Monzon	20	308	Joseph D. Baratta	20	377	Leo C. Walther
19	496	Victor Perez	20	308	John DeCesare Jr.	20	507	Edmund J. Bailey
19	496	Ernest Quesada	20	308	T. P. Jones	20	507	Thomas M. Johnson
19	496	Jack G. Richardson	20	308	Donald L. Menck	20	507	Thomas Reyes
19	496	Antonio Rivera	20	308	Robert E. Mock	20	507	Charles K. Welch
19	496	Lionel J. Tarvis	20	308	Ralph E. Seifert	20	520	Frank T. Bank
19	496	John Taylor	20	308	Benedict J. Valucki	20	520	Alex Bey
19	496	Cornelius Vanduren	20	308	David Wendt	20	520	Thumper Bloomquist

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20	520	Earl R. Collins	21	53	Herbert J. Hutchings Jr.	21	428	Juan G. Munoz
20	520	Charles B. Curtis	21	53	Carl A. Manietta	21	500	William R. Hampton
20	520	Harve R. Tucker	21	53	Charles Markovitz	21	500	David A. Kelly
20	520	Frank Volpe	21	53	Leroy Norman	21	519	Frank R. Agostinelli
20	520	Gary A. Wachtler	21	53	Andrew J. Pivaroff	21	519	Anthony J. Amoroso
20	538	Donald W. Moore	21	53	John N. Rainsberry	21	519	John F. Attenisia
20	538	Tony Scrima	21	53	Ivan A. Seablom	21	519	Paul T. Benson
20	581	Carl E. Brown	21	53	Eugene F. Slowey	21	519	Walter R. Bohlmann
20	581	Mary Costantini	21	79	Alva D. Adams	21	519	Donald M. Bolas
20	581	Ralph T. Lemus	21	79	Edward Duff	21	519	Richard E. Cessna
20	582	Dorothy M. Hamby	21	79	L. C. Goins	21	519	Joe H. Duran
20	582	Marvin M. Nelson	21	79	Paul Ingman	21	519	Ronald T. Golan
20	817	Thomas M. Allee	21	79	Jim Johnson	21	519	Ronald S. Gorman
20	817	William Bratly	21	79	Albert E. Morris Jr.	21	519	Leroy A. Legasey Jr.
20	817	Francis E. Crosby	21	79	John M. Perrault	21	519	John H. McCallum
20	817	Saverio J. DiBlasi	21	216	Jerome A. Fiore	21	519	Richard A. Penn
20	817	William Ferris	21	216	Billy L. Reed	21	519	William L. Rawlings
20	817	Willie L. Greer Jr.	21	289	David L. Clark	21	519	Charles E. Scheurer
20	817	Jim Gross	21	289	Ronald Colvin	21	519	Clayton M. Stensrud
20	817	Earl G. Hubert	21	289	Jimmy E. Crow	21	519	James Tsujioka
20	817	Marshall L. Kendzy	21	289	Robert S. Curl	21	519	Sterling Williams
20	817	John Kochheim	21	289	Robert A. Gwartney	21	519	Edward M. Wojcik
20	817	E. W. McKinley	21	289	Ralph C. Mullen	21	574	John A. Brice
20	817	Walter T. Mynar	21	328	Gary D. Bowman	21	574	John Clark
20	817	George A. Peck	21	328	Robert L. Brant	21	574	Thomas Keating
20	817	Leo Rosado	21	328	Donald D. Damerell	21	574	Robert I. Tanji
20	817	Lamoine J. Russett	21	328	Edward Franks	21	574	Donald G. Tippet
20	826	Bernard Cooper	21	328	Kurt Heinzinger	21	595	David L. Carroll
20	826	Carl J. Goldbaum	21	328	Donald I. Kelly	21	595	William J. Farrow
20	826	Irv Levine	21	328	Frank Lozano	21	595	John P. Fonseca
20	826	Norman N. Lueck	21	328	Cecil R. Maguire	21	595	Raul R. Gracia
20	826	Robert H. McIntosh	21	328	Warren Mills	21	595	Charles W. Kearney
20	826	John Perow	21	328	Nelson J. Motz	21	595	Kenneth C. Schools
20	826	Walter Umphres	21	328	Harold L. Polley	21	595	Arthur Terhorst
21	53	James W. Adams	21	328	Michael J. Shacklett	21	657	Carl E. Seedborg
21	53	Clifford L. Bronson III	21	328	G. F. Sheets Jr.	21	739	Ardell R. Altman Jr.
21	53	Gerald F. Calvin	21	328	Thomas D. Walsh	21	739	Doyle K. Cross
21	53	Donald F. Duskocil	21	428	Johnny L. Cerar	21	739	Frank R. Garcia
21	53	J. D. Drury	21	428	Jose R. Dagnino	21	739	Moises Hernandez

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21	739	Nick Ortega	22	6	Robert Pratt	22	255	Robert B. Cleveland
21	739	Manuel Salas	22	146	Ben F. Acuna	22	255	James A. Fitzpatrick
21	739	George R. Sicre	22	146	A. D. Adams	22	255	Elmo P. Hipe
21	742	Mario Acevedo	22	146	Charles Baldrige	22	255	Gary E. Joslin
21	742	Tony Barba	22	146	Robert J. Battistone	22	255	Roy V. Miller
21	742	Henry Cabrera	22	146	William E. Beeson	22	255	William M. Needham
21	742	Robert Felix	22	146	Theodore J. Brawner	22	255	Edward L. Reddinger
21	742	Andres Garcia	22	146	Richard Calender	22	255	Mario R. Rodriguez
21	742	Oscar Martinez	22	146	Stanley A. Campbell	22	255	Aurelio C. Romero
21	742	Andrew P. Morales	22	146	Robert A. Hickethier	22	255	James S. Rushing
21	742	John M. Perez	22	146	Robert C. Kremer	22	255	Charles L. Smith
21	742	John M. Rodriguez	22	146	Charles A. Nicholson Jr.	22	258	Betty E. Mayhall
21	800	Arthur J. Barnhardt	22	146	Herbert C. Reed	22	258	Gene Moats
21	800	Alfred J. Bodor	22	146	Ronald J. Searcy	22	258	Philip C. Morell
21	800	Tim E. Faulkner	22	146	Oliver W. Speraw	22	258	Michael H. Timm
21	800	Noel M. Fraser	22	146	Thaddeus Stanislawski	22	282	Richard A. Bornholdt
21	800	Francis Gorzny	22	146	Ralph M. Swanson	22	282	Arthur E. Brown
21	800	Donald McVey	22	146	Roger L. Whiteaker	22	282	Charles W. Hale
21	800	Robert F. Neuer	22	149	Richard M. Beckstead	22	282	Joseph C. Jacobs
21	800	Tim Scheck	22	149	George Betus	22	282	Norman C. Leslie
21	800	Roland G. Sinkule	22	149	Robert L. Broxholme	22	282	Richard L. Merritt Jr.
21	800	Charles Spencer	22	149	Daniel E. Burgard	22	282	John A. Newell
21	848	Francis J. Dillon III	22	149	James Dohmen	22	282	Martin M. Otero
21	848	Kelly Estes	22	149	Edgar A. Foster	22	282	James L. Peyton
21	848	Graham Killingsworth	22	149	Ernest W. Grugel	22	282	Donald R. Scott
21	848	Charles W. Lahn	22	149	Luther W. Hardesty Jr.	22	282	Lyle P. Sears
21	848	Gilbert Morton	22	149	Edward J. Herman	22	282	Donald E. Snyder
21	848	Edward C. Sherwood	22	149	George B. Mara	22	303	Robert E. DesLauriers
21	848	Ronald W. Smith	22	149	Thomas F. Miller	22	303	Frank G. Felley
21	848	Lee C. Spurgeon	22	149	Ronald L. Minnick	22	303	Michael R. Howell
21	848	Daniel A. Thomson	22	149	Dwight W. Parker	22	303	Dale R. Hyder
21	852	George M. Campos	22	149	Eugene J. Pickarz	22	303	James Jones
21	852	David F. Curle	22	149	Glen R. Robinson	22	303	Barbara V. Moody
21	852	George R. Forkey	22	149	Mike A. Speratos	22	303	Kenneth E. Pettit
21	852	Andrew E. Hudig	22	149	Frank W. Stawpert	22	303	Herbert E. Solliday Jr.
21	852	Mervin L. Layton	22	149	Frank D. Thomas	22	310	Napoleon Hunt
21	852	Chester L. Peach	22	149	George W. Yim	22	310	Floyd J. Randolph
22	6	Charlotte C. Dunn	22	201	Rafael T. Ahlgren	22	310	Dallas Steward
22	6	Harry A. Greason	22	201	Charles E. Marin	22	310	Eugene Williams

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22 365 Patrick J. O'Kelly
22 365 Tom N. Rauscher
22 365 Horace E. Rowe
22 365 David R. Sanders
22 365 Otto Schneider
22 416 Roger Barlow
22 416 John M. Brown Jr.
22 416 Perry Comeau
22 416 Charles M. Degruy
22 416 Eleanor G. Disselhorst
22 416 Joseph M. Reigel
22 416 Dennis E. Russel
22 416 Sidney M. Shaw
22 416 David J. Taylor Ret
22 434 Leland R. Anderson
22 434 Thomas D. Anglin
22 434 James L. Castro
22 434 Walter W. Cecelia
22 434 Frank D. Fowler
22 434 Robert L. James
22 434 Cosme J. Luque
22 434 Urho J. Makela
22 434 Joseph McClay
22 434 Bob M. McCurdy
22 434 Richard L. Nigh
22 434 Donald J. Phillips
22 434 Maurice D. Riley
22 434 Cecil M. Ritchie
22 434 Kenneth G. Rowe
22 434 Richard E. Sampson
22 434 Willard Stevens
22 434 Kenneth H. West
22 434 C. E. Wischstadt
22 451 Rosemarie N. Fernandez
22 451 Elizabeth C. Hohlweg

22 451 Rose Miller
22 460 Frank J. Finks
22 460 Herbert H. Garner
22 460 Robert L. Gregerson
22 460 Larry Kerns
22 460 Elmer L. Moore
22 460 Phillip D. Siscoe Jr.
22 460 Alan Vonpinnon
22 468 Thomas D. Blake
22 468 Roger W. Crossland
22 468 Oscar F. Escalante
22 468 Carol L. Harris
22 468 Douglas R. Herdman
22 468 Fred Iliev
22 468 Joseph V. Racz
22 468 Robert Russum
22 468 Thomas E. Taylor
22 479 Vaughn L. Butterbrodt
22 479 Noel R. DeLaRosa
22 479 John C. Dussault
22 492 Norman Elliott
22 492 Robert L. Harshberger
22 492 Frank J. Lantry
22 537 Rudolfo C. Fuentes
22 537 Craig Harms
22 537 David L. Hodgson
22 537 Townsend I. King
22 537 Eddie P. Newman Sr.
22 537 Ben Owen
22 537 Howard F. Singles
22 552 Philip Mole
22 552 Elmer E. Salvog
22 731 Jack C. Gump
22 731 Michael McAdoo
22 731 Paul W. Terwilliger
22 731 Louis A. Toth
22 820 Thomas K. Brady
22 820 Calvin T. Brown
22 820 Joe T. Bruce
22 820 Warwick Chamberlain

22 820 Rick Duran
22 820 Eugene E. Gould
22 820 John Montagne
22 820 Finley E. Padgett
22 820 Thomas L. Rhamy
22 820 James W. Robinson
22 820 Juan Ruiz
22 820 Tom Satterfield
22 820 Nick E. Shrider
22 820 Robert P. Thien
22 820 Kenneth J. Winters
22 853 Marvin Caldwell
22 853 Calvin C. Carroll
22 853 Stephen E. Lorenz
22 853 Harold R. Simpson
22 853 Allen L. Thompson
22 867 Thomas Casenza Jr.
22 867 Eldon L. Maret
22 867 Colin Shadell
23 46 Joseph D. Aikens
23 46 Herbert R. Esh
23 46 Paul Larquier
23 46 Frederick W. Morgan
23 46 Sol L. Newman
23 46 Eugene A. Phillips
23 46 Al Purcell
23 46 Eugene Roessler
23 46 Michael J. Sasek
23 46 Robert K. Vonderlohe
23 46 Robert E. Wurzer
23 177 John E. Diamond
23 177 John B. Mondragon
23 188 John D. Kreslake
23 188 John Pleiser
23 228 Charles E. Gray
23 228 Roy L. Hopkins
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23	252	Eugene C. Palmer	24	123	William Dimino	25	14	William E. Cozzo
23	252	Houston L. Rogers	24	123	Richard J. Duarte	25	14	Charles E. Harrison
23	335	Singular E. Pence	24	123	Richard D. Krueger	25	14	Ilsa M. Phillips
23	335	Terence L. Williams	24	123	Roy A. Meinert	25	14	Joseph S. Romozi
23	516	Ernest L. Lara	24	209	Robert L. Haley	25	106	Bill Adams
23	516	Leo W. Ross	24	209	Oscar Solomon	25	106	Robert E. Adkins
23	578	Chinnie Brownlee Jr.	24	209	Wimberly Watson	25	106	Ronald F. Ainsworth
23	578	Ophsie L. Campbell	24	283	Tino Barzie	25	106	Roy J. Atchley
23	578	Jackson J. Hilburn	24	283	Ted Bergmann	25	106	Herbert R. Buyak Sr.
23	578	Willie Reliford	24	283	Michael H. Camarena	25	106	John C. Coughenour
23	639	Robert Gibson	24	283	Stephen A. Dobrenchuk	25	106	Robert E. Dunn
23	639	Ernest Smith	24	283	Herbert M. Drucker	25	106	Robert F. Faucher
23	639	Eugene Washington	24	283	H. P. Ellis	25	106	Philip J. Genatempo
24	43	Steve J. Adams	24	283	Murray Goldberg	25	106	John S. Grady
24	43	Wallace A. Anders	24	283	Eldon Hale	25	106	William A. Grammer
24	43	Pete N. Austria	24	283	Robert L. Horton	25	106	James S. Harden
24	43	Calvin Beauregard	24	283	Edgar A. Jones Jr.	25	106	Monte B. Hoover
24	43	Benjamin Berger	24	283	Robert E. Long	25	106	Russell W. Kelsey
24	43	James M. Berkery	24	283	Rudof V. Mora	25	106	Ronald J. Lopez
24	43	Charles A. Bova	24	283	E. L. Randazzo Jr.	25	106	Norman E. Miller
24	43	Eugene E. Brezany III	24	283	William Schampeau	25	106	Pierre Morgan
24	43	Jack Caplan	24	283	Donald L. Segel	25	106	Keith W. Moses
24	43	Isadore B. Cott	24	283	William I. Teller	25	106	Vernon Newlin
24	43	Abraham M. Daniels	24	283	Benjamin E. Thomas	25	106	Charles H. Niemeyer
24	43	Clara Deutsch	24	283	Edward J. Ward	25	106	Donald C. Poe
24	43	Frank F. Foti Jr.	24	283	Emil P. Wroblecky	25	106	Laurence R. Saldecke
24	43	Jesus T. Gamboa	24	319	Nicasio A. Gadia	25	106	James T. Schmitt
24	43	Oliver S. Glenn	24	319	Ivan S. Markota	25	106	Robert Zelesnik
24	43	Edward R. Hare	24	321	Harry K. Honda	25	112	Lee DeNault
24	43	Irv Justman	24	321	Dick A. Motoyama	25	112	Daniel Flores
24	43	Jon Locke	24	321	Masami Ono	25	112	Guadalupe Herrera
24	43	Earl H. Lutz	24	321	Hideo Shimazu	25	112	Herbert C. Jurgensen
24	43	Miliza Milo	24	322	Samuel E. Russell	25	112	John A. Meier
24	43	Manuel G. Rodriguez	24	322	Edna Tona	25	112	Fred C. Murphy
24	43	Mickey Rooney	24	405	Nick A. Palazzolo	25	112	Donald M. Simpson
24	43	Martin Rosenthal	24	405	Uno V. Pormeister	25	155	Henry M. Carrillo
24	43	Frank Sonnek	24	527	James T. Stephens	25	155	Guadalupe Hernandez
24	43	Seymour Sussman	24	539	George S. Strode	25	155	Miguel M. Mercado
24	123	John E. Brown	24	602	Bill Buchanan	25	155	Robert A. Trimble

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25	229	Joseph M. Brattoli	25	422	Morris W. Finley	25	772	Gerald B. Roy
25	229	James Cawthorne	25	422	George Hughes	25	772	Eugene M. Seckrater
25	229	Melvin E. Gabb	25	422	Virgil Vanheerde	25	772	Morris Washington
25	229	Alvin McLean	25	426	Gailen A. Brown	25	777	B. W. Cocke
25	256	Robert D. Hunt	25	426	Kenneth I. Burke	25	777	Christopher R. Geary
25	256	Leroy M. Sanders	25	426	Carl W. Christiansen	25	777	Stephen M. Hernandez
25	256	Raymond J. Schultz	25	426	Bruce F. Vigue	25	777	Lorenz J. Vollrath Jr.
25	256	William H. Stollmeyer	25	466	George R. Curry	26	82	Frank Bergren
25	256	Robert M. Vargas	25	466	Gary E. Erwin	26	82	Richard Esposito
25	256	William N. Wood	25	466	John J. Kisner	26	82	Barton Evans
25	262	William Y. Grimlan	25	466	Roy E. Lukken	26	82	Robert Gomez
25	262	Mack Hoffman	25	466	William C. Pierce	26	82	George Jow
25	262	Wesley F. Jefferson	25	466	Cleo M. White	26	82	Alfred A. Madden
25	262	Donald F. Johnson	25	497	David A. Hixson	26	82	August J. Marino
25	262	Daniel A. Kropf	25	497	Charles E. Powell	26	82	Marjorie O'Brien
25	262	Charles T. Moore	25	497	Johnnie Walker	26	82	John M. Robertson
25	299	Edward J. Bonestroo	25	584	Alvin L. Brown	26	82	Donald Stickrod
25	299	Dawn M. Castaneda	25	584	Randall Recknagel	26	105	Pano J. Avlakeotes
25	299	Gerard J. Chenier	25	584	Bruce Scott	26	105	Sylvester Bass
25	299	Charles E. Hopper	25	584	Richard H. Smith	26	105	Glenn A. Bethard
25	299	Fernando Larez	25	650	John A. Cervantes	26	105	Charles Laba Jr.
25	299	Robert R. Martinez	25	650	Claud Glascock	26	105	William J. Malen
25	299	Joseph A. Ortiz	25	650	Victor Macias	26	105	Daniel L. May
25	299	Francisco G. Paredes	25	650	Julio Y. Martinez	26	105	George E. Schiel
25	299	Frank C. Phillips Jr.	25	650	Reyes Quintero	26	238	Henry O. Berre
25	299	Richard Ramirez	25	650	Bennie Villalpando	26	238	Clifford R. Cottrell
25	299	Oliver A. Sutterfield	25	710	C. T. Deon	26	238	Nick Gust
25	324	Harry E. Evans	25	710	Robert L. Henderson	26	238	Andrew C. Gutter
25	324	Harold F. Vickers	25	710	Luther E. McNeill	26	238	William L. Lovejoy
25	360	Alexander J. Black	25	710	Ben L. Terry Sr.	26	238	Eudora P. McMillan
25	360	William M. Mashtalier	25	710	Enock Watson	26	238	L. J. Pruner
25	360	James W. Miller	25	725	Donald Goldberry	26	238	Thomas Valinoti
25	421	Robert L. Frey	25	725	Kenneth E. Pangburn	26	409	M. W. Cole
25	421	Paul J. Kanka	25	751	William R. Nash	26	409	John C. Dubus
25	421	Andres Ortega	25	751	John E. Peterson	26	409	David W. Ratto
25	421	Samuel M. Pastucha	25	751	Chris G. Reed	26	409	Juan E. Thomas
25	421	Donald R. Webb	25	751	Thurlow H. Zimmerman	26	472	Leonard C. Barker
25	421	Ernest Yuen Jr.	25	761	Orville R. Brunty	26	474	William K. Ayres
25	421	James A. Zacharias	25	761	Gordon H. Poppell	26	474	Peter S. Beck

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26	474	John D. Wade Jr.	28	31	Harry L. Rhodes Jr.	28	593	Robert M. Pugmire Jr.
26	585	Bruce R. Burnworth	28	31	William C. Rhodes	28	593	James G. Robinson
26	585	Donald W. Dean	28	31	Kenneth Roberts	28	635	Russ Allred
26	585	John A. Haderle III	28	31	John A. Struve	28	694	Carlos R. Estrada
26	585	Virginia M. Halpin	28	31	John W. Thompson	28	694	Clarence F. Foster
26	585	K. G. Lent	28	32	James H. Willitts	28	694	Frank G. Heidenfelder
26	585	James E. Quinn	28	41	Al A. Avila	28	694	Richard R. Horning
26	585	Gordon Schmitz	28	41	George B. Brown	28	694	Richard C. Miles
26	585	Henry W. Spini	28	41	John J. Coopersmith Sr.	28	694	James A. Rapose
27	118	Ronald D. Coburn	28	41	Harry K. Menda	28	694	Robert R. Robbins
27	118	Harold F. Kopp	28	41	Roy M. White	28	694	Rosario M. Sales
27	118	Richard Loastruauum	28	64	Edward C. Bates	28	694	Stanley A. Sells
27	265	Carl D. King	28	64	Jeanne W. Carey	29	72	Eugene J. Childer
27	265	Austin R. Tinsley	28	64	James V. Dunn	29	72	Douglas J. DeWitt
27	265	Phillip J. Walker	28	69	O. J. Bedell	29	72	Leo V. Drunasky
27	454	Edwin E. Walton Sr.	28	81	Tondre Alarid	29	72	Harold M. Hope
27	476	Olive Guy	28	81	Celedonia Arellano	29	72	Moritz F. Lauria
27	476	Marcia Wertz	28	81	Ted T. Arnesen	29	72	Louis A. Possemato
27	646	Albert E. Aigner	28	81	Freddie Vierra	29	72	Charlie Rios
27	684	Alfred A. Arts	28	121	Malcolm L. Atkins	29	72	Charles J. Stancavage
27	684	Maurice E. Cyr	28	121	Richard W. Kessell	29	72	Lynn S. Stull
27	684	Frank V. Jones	28	121	George T. Menasco	29	72	Walter J. Zeller
27	684	Richard D. Joyce Sr.	28	121	Arnold L. Perez	29	131	Edward G. Defiore
27	684	Donald R. Sichley	28	121	Henry D. Valenzuela	29	131	Robert J. Ebert
28	31	Daniel Bassi	28	121	John P. Valenzuela	29	131	William A. Hatch
28	31	Frank Blair	28	512	Alvin B. Chapin	29	131	Rich F. Hollis
28	31	Richard J. Brown	28	512	David H. Quinn	29	131	William D. Juenger
28	31	Ted Castillo	28	589	Don Fowles	29	131	Robert J. Just
28	31	Thomas F. Castillo	28	591	Salvatore DiMaggio	29	131	Thomas O. Person
28	31	Bennie Castro	28	591	Joseph Favazza	29	131	Herbert P. Woodyard
28	31	Marvin Elster	28	591	Leonard P. Frost	29	132	Gilbert B. Alvarado
28	31	Joe L Escalante	28	591	George L. Jepsen	29	132	Charles E. Atwood
28	31	Trinidad Gomez	28	591	Roy C. Johnson	29	132	Robert N. Bassett
28	31	Melvin Grimmatt	28	591	Edgar C. Kloth	29	132	Robert P. Boland
28	31	Lawrence E. Hale	28	591	Fred B. Lavett	29	132	Robert W. Bollong
28	31	Roger A. Langemak	28	591	James W. Owens	29	132	Alex W. Ciavola
28	31	Richard Martindale	28	591	Raul H. Rodriguez	29	132	Richard Circle
28	31	Gonzalo Monarque	28	593	Michael Doris	29	132	Charles Cougnet
28	31	Rudy Perez	28	593	Louis C. Emerson	29	132	Edward S. Jagla

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29	132	Lester E. Rodieck	29	257	John Alonge	29	291	Gary E. Goodson
29	132	John Thomas Jr.	29	257	Eldon R. Buzbee	29	291	Tom L. Hanks
29	132	David J. Whiteman	29	257	Frieda R. Daharsh	29	291	Robert B. Hansen
29	132	Glenn A. Yatuni	29	257	John P. Dean	29	291	Philip C. Herbert
29	133	Ralph A. Ardia	29	257	Thomas D. Dyson	29	291	Arthur B. Irwin
29	133	Robert Baron	29	257	Eugene A. Griffes	29	291	Warren Knight
29	133	Leonard P. Cobb	29	257	Irving C. Kaufman	29	291	Miles B. Larson
29	133	Kenneth E. Fleming	29	257	Virgil F. Mack	29	291	John L. Matthews
29	133	Bernard J. Grayston	29	257	Joseph N. Rizzi Jr.	29	291	Earl N. Mazzari
29	133	Glenn R. Green	29	257	Solomon C. Sugarman	29	291	James L. McClrath
29	133	Cameron Harriot	29	257	Harold D. Wilfong	29	291	James E. McNamara
29	133	George R. Hoff	29	266	Servando J. Ayala	29	291	Cleve W. Merrill
29	133	Melvin D. Long	29	266	James Baughman	29	291	James D. Mitchell
29	133	John R. Shafer	29	266	Lea Beach	29	291	Shawn P. Moore
29	142	Robert Baxter	29	266	Donald E. Elam	29	291	Robert H. Mueller
29	142	Richard Blosser	29	266	David Ellstrom	29	291	R. L. Newman
29	142	Walter H. Grampp	29	266	Ralph H. Guerre	29	291	William H. Obbagy
29	142	Albert H. Holmes	29	266	Joseph E. Lorenzen	29	291	N. R. Pellettieri
29	142	Des Hornbuckle	29	266	John E. Mahe	29	291	Robert M. Pierson
29	142	Sterling D. Kirby	29	266	Frank Noriega	29	291	Jan A. Poppa
29	142	John W. Matthews	29	266	Colette Pepin	29	291	Donald W. Ramsay
29	142	Donald R. Miller	29	266	Shirley E. Stephenson	29	291	Frank S. Ripa
29	142	Arnold E. Peterson	29	267	Carl Johnson	29	291	Andrew F. Rubly
29	142	Joseph B. Spencer	29	267	Donald E. Short	29	291	Lee C. Sammis
29	142	Leland B. Vandeventer	29	277	James Buchner	29	291	Oliver W. Scott
29	181	Jack O. Doerrer	29	277	William G. Lindsay	29	291	Lyman V. Sterling
29	181	John H. Duncan Jr.	29	277	Mike G. Lucio	29	291	Jack D. Taylor
29	181	Jack L. Goodman	29	277	Patrick J. Pionke	29	291	Kenneth A. Tennison
29	181	Dallas F. Helwig	29	277	Brooks VanHouten	29	291	Michael Vicari
29	181	C. Hoffner	29	291	Gilbert R. Adams	29	291	William C. Walters
29	181	Jack Larsen	29	291	Robert L. Cook	29	291	Stanley D. Weaver
29	181	Bruce D. Schomer	29	291	Ken Cowley	29	291	Robert Whitney
29	222	Lawrence Blank	29	291	Robert R. Cowley	29	291	Herbert N. Williams
29	222	Joseph D. Clutts Jr.	29	291	Hyman M. Davidson	29	291	Lew Wood
29	222	Gary Reeves	29	291	Joseph E. Davis	29	291	Terry J. Zimmerman
29	222	Robert F. Rick	29	291	Robert S. Fischbeck	29	295	Alfred M. Gonzales
29	222	Ronald E. Wolford	29	291	Robert H. Foutz	29	295	William G. Knight
29	227	Jim Bell	29	291	Earl Fusselman	29	295	Kenneth N. Lapham

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29	327	Maria T. Chiaro	29	716	Kenneth Terborch	HQ	1000	Kenneth Bailey
29	327	Keiji Futamase	29	716	J. P. Tevebaugh	HQ	1000	Walter J. Bailey
29	327	Norman C. Graves	29	716	Kristen C. Waller	HQ	1000	Lee A. Baker
29	327	Theodore D. Harris	29	721	David A. White	HQ	1000	Nick Baldassano
29	327	Jack H. Hose	29	783	Harold L. Delap	HQ	1000	Fredrick L. Ballard
29	327	James J. Mueller	29	857	George A. Casares	HQ	1000	Albert Balliet
29	327	Edith M. Palomares	29	857	Ed Holland	HQ	1000	Grant E. Bare
29	327	C. L. Parker	29	857	Darrell L. Wallace	HQ	1000	Carlos P. Barrientos
29	327	Richard A. Poulsen	29	862	E. J. Harris	HQ	1000	Robert E. Bates
29	327	Edna M. Reed	29	862	Steven T. Mauga Sr.	HQ	1000	Douglas R. Batz
29	327	Ray Robinson	29	862	Thomas Tyree Jr.	HQ	1000	Sam D. Bedford
29	327	Edward F. Russell	30	24	Henry Holmes	HQ	1000	Darrell M. Bender
29	327	Charles Scalabrino	30	24	David L. Johnson	HQ	1000	Robert G. Benedict
29	327	Ray H. Stedron	30	24	Michael A. King	HQ	1000	Eugene D. Bergstrom
29	354	Virgil M. Anthony	30	25	Elmer Gunderson	HQ	1000	William J. Bertram
29	354	Joe N. Cox	30	25	Dale McCrory	HQ	1000	Billy E. Bethell
29	354	Marcus A. Guzman	30	25	Clarence L. Nickel	HQ	1000	Lee Biggs
29	354	Harold Hendershot	30	25	Harry Ram	HQ	1000	Edward Billmeyer
29	354	Alfred E. Hughes	30	60	James L. Cannon	HQ	1000	Billy G. Bird
29	354	Ronald A. MacDonald	30	60	Ralph F. Casillas	HQ	1000	William C. Blaskovich
29	354	Dale R. Parent	30	60	Enos Clayton	HQ	1000	Robert J. Bleich
29	354	Richard C. Reising	30	60	Wayne Guthrie	HQ	1000	Kurt K. Bohnsack
29	354	Albert B. Silvis Jr.	30	60	Arthur E. Mamer	HQ	1000	George Bolton
29	354	Paul T. Varle	30	60	George Wray	HQ	1000	Richard J. Bowers
29	423	Edward J. Lesneski Jr.	30	90	Edward G. Knechel	HQ	1000	Joseph T. Boyd
29	455	Donald W. Clark	30	138	Herchel N. Vincent	HQ	1000	Bruce J. Bradford
29	555	Charles A. Eglett	HQ	1000	Mark Able	HQ	1000	Herman Bradshaw
29	555	Kenneth R. Heid	HQ	1000	Enrique Acosta	HQ	1000	Thomas H. Brashears
29	555	Claud R. Koch	HQ	1000	George J. Adams	HQ	1000	William Brennan
29	555	Vernon A. Metzger Jr.	HQ	1000	John E. Adams	HQ	1000	Betty J. Brewer
29	555	David E. Nye	HQ	1000	David M. Akans	HQ	1000	Edward Britton
29	555	Frederick C. Patterson	HQ	1000	Robert F. Alexander	HQ	1000	John M. Britton
29	555	Walter S. Stephenson	HQ	1000	Carl Amato	HQ	1000	Frank Brooksby
29	679	Frank O. James Jr.	HQ	1000	Rex G. Anderson	HQ	1000	Fonzy J. Broussard
29	679	Steven G. Laughlin	HQ	1000	Robert A. Andrews	HQ	1000	Keith R. Brown
29	679	John F. Shelley	HQ	1000	Mary Arnold	HQ	1000	Ronald E. Brunnabend
29	716	Paul A. Burrier	HQ	1000	Floyd W. Ash	HQ	1000	Paul Burdsall
29	716	Allen H. Ferrin	HQ	1000	Richard L. Atkins	HQ	1000	Larry C. Buswell

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HQ 1000 Edwin L. Carey	HQ 1000 Norbert T. Emanuel	HQ 1000 Douglas W. Greene
HQ 1000 Ralph Carlson Jr.	HQ 1000 Richard Engler	HQ 1000 Frank A. Guerriero
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HQ 1000 Elmer L. Carter	HQ 1000 Donald Evans	HQ 1000 Howard E. Gurvitz
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HQ 1000 Armando Castro	HQ 1000 Henry C. Fahrenheitz	HQ 1000 Mildred E. Hackney
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HQ 1000 Edward Chema	HQ 1000 John Ferguson	HQ 1000 Lloyd Head
HQ 1000 Robert Chesney	HQ 1000 Ed Fitzgerald	HQ 1000 Richard E. Heidemann
HQ 1000 Miles E. Christy Sr.	HQ 1000 Graham Fleming	HQ 1000 Paul E. Heider
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HQ 1000 Matthew D. Davison III	HQ 1000 John H. Geyer	HQ 1000 Ernest Jones
HQ 1000 Adrian Delatorre	HQ 1000 Dominic C. Giachetti	HQ 1000 Wilbur E. Jones
HQ 1000 George E. Dickson Jr.	HQ 1000 Jesse H. Gibson	HQ 1000 Stan F. Kahan
HQ 1000 Galileo DiVito	HQ 1000 Jackie Gillespie	HQ 1000 Steven Kaneshiro
HQ 1000 Richard Dobies	HQ 1000 Peter Glogowski	HQ 1000 Anthony Karkosza
HQ 1000 Richard R. Dooley	HQ 1000 John H. Glove	HQ 1000 Jack Kearns
HQ 1000 Walter S. Drummond Jr.	HQ 1000 Robert Glover	HQ 1000 Sherman W. Keller Jr.
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HQ 1000 Thomas J. Krygowski
HQ 1000 Jack Kulchock
HQ 1000 Richard Kussman
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HQ 1000 John M. Leal
HQ 1000 Donald E. Leaman
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HQ 1000 John A. Martin
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HQ 1000 Donald Miller
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HQ 1000 Parvin L. Misner
HQ 1000 Robert A. Moffitt
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HQ 1000 William Myers
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HQ 1000 Emmet E. Parker
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HQ 1000 Ralph Patino
HQ 1000 Elmer Patrick
HQ 1000 John W. Patterson
HQ 1000 Thomas L. Patterson
HQ 1000 Leon A. Peachie
HQ 1000 Thomas Perkins
HQ 1000 Daniel B. Perry
HQ 1000 Arthur Peters
HQ 1000 Steven C. Petersen
HQ 1000 Lewis J. Petty
HQ 1000 Walter J. Phillips
HQ 1000 John L. Pierce
HQ 1000 Edwin J. Pogoda
HQ 1000 Louis R. Poirier
HQ 1000 George T. Ponton
HQ 1000 Howard J. Potter
HQ 1000 Charlie E. Price
HQ 1000 Junior E. Pritchard
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HQ 1000 Laurence W. Reher Ret	HQ 1000 Higinio D. Silva	HQ 1000 Manuel Vasquez
HQ 1000 Coleman L. Rehn	HQ 1000 Raymond A. Silvestri	HQ 1000 Daniel Velasquez
HQ 1000 Robert Reinier	HQ 1000 Warren Simmons	HQ 1000 Kurt M. Velte
HQ 1000 Robert W. Reynolds	HQ 1000 Phillip D. Siscoe	HQ 1000 Vincent Verlangieri
HQ 1000 Wilson A. Ridenour	HQ 1000 Robert W. Skellinger	HQ 1000 Guylid A. Vincent
HQ 1000 Charles G. Rimberty	HQ 1000 William B. Skinner	HQ 1000 Joseph A. Wade
HQ 1000 Lonnie L. Ritchie	HQ 1000 Edward P. Skubic	HQ 1000 Gerald Wagner
HQ 1000 Joaquin Rodriguez Sr.	HQ 1000 Byron E. Smith	HQ 1000 Charles S. Waldron
HQ 1000 Ralph Roelofsz	HQ 1000 Delbert Smith	HQ 1000 Glenn Walton
HQ 1000 Kenneth W. Rosenthal	HQ 1000 Leroy B. Smith Jr.	HQ 1000 Jack W. Walz
HQ 1000 George E. Ross	HQ 1000 Dale M. Snyder	HQ 1000 Morris F. Warnecke
HQ 1000 Joseph Ross	HQ 1000 Efraim Soto	HQ 1000 Emmet M. Washington
HQ 1000 Leo Ross	HQ 1000 Frederick W. Stacey	HQ 1000 Fred Watson
HQ 1000 Raymond Ross	HQ 1000 Steven J. Stake	HQ 1000 Arden Wendt
HQ 1000 Ward T. Rowland	HQ 1000 Howard W. Steege	HQ 1000 Richard Wenzel
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HQ 1000 James Ryan	HQ 1000 George Stewart	HQ 1000 Raymond Woodruff
HQ 1000 Wallace L. Safley	HQ 1000 Ralph Stone	HQ 1000 Charles E. Yost
HQ 1000 John W. Samples	HQ 1000 James Swander	HQ 1000 James Yost
HQ 1000 Clyde Sanders	HQ 1000 Albert Tapiceria Jr.	HQ 1000 Joseph T. Younger Sr.
HQ 1000 Gene J. Schaap	HQ 1000 Richard A. Taylor	HQ 1000 Glenn Zakrzewski
HQ 1000 Ronald F. Scheufler	HQ 1000 Darrell R. Thomas	HQ 1000 David O. Zellmer
HQ 1000 William H. Schmidt	HQ 1000 Charles L. Tompkins	HQ 1000 Roy J. Zera
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HQ 1000 Ralph Sherlock	HQ 1000 Olin Trent	

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Historical Background



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YEAR-END MEMBERSHIP TOTALS, 1919-2013

YEAR	NATIONAL	CALIFORNIA	YEAR	NATIONAL	CALIFORNIA	YEAR	NATIONAL	CALIFORNIA	YEAR	NATIONAL	CALIFORNIA
1919	no record	9,975	1944	1,425,923	89,928	1969	2,667,453	123,723	1994	3,053,548	160,618
1920	843,013	48,422	1945	1,667,742	103,169	1970	2,692,127	122,900	1995	2,950,200	153,967
1921	795,799	35,524	1946	3,326,556	168,936	1971	2,711,561	122,295	1996	2,879,545	146,627
1922	745,203	29,611	1947	3,272,060	169,620	1972	2,715,259	121,942	1997	2,831,819	145,562
1923	643,837	29,396	1948	3,987,044	159,923	1973	2,696,784	119,854	1998	2,806,834	142,327
1924	638,501	27,643	1949	2,994,995	152,664	1974	2,673,207	118,378	1999	2,764,318	141,245
1925	609,407	26,689	1950	2,917,963	150,126	1975	2,696,324	118,988	2000	2,699,141	141,833
1926	688,412	30,825	1951	2,737,529	141,277	1976	2,713,962	120,232	2001	2,703,649	135,543
1927	719,852	34,428	1952	2,751,896	140,735	1977	2,653,980	119,144	2002	2,761,836	136,813
1928	660,052	41,604	1953	2,803,541	143,690	1978	2,637,241	117,522	2003	2,688,331	135,578
1929	794,219	50,114	1954	2,797,640	142,966	1979	2,629,105	115,835	2004	2,657,623	134,028
1930	887,754	55,541	1955	2,795,990	142,122	1980	2,638,586	115,901	2005	2,615,218	131,841
1931	1,053,909	64,150	1956	2,781,691	142,640	1981	2,631,873	116,598	2006	2,615,162	133,076
1932	931,373	60,769	1957	2,749,778	140,102	1982	2,591,689	114,901	2007	2,629,364	135,267
1933	769,551	52,755	1958	2,694,431	138,893	1983	2,555,455	111,274	2008	2,390,267	120,579
1934	831,681	53,281	1959	2,702,992	140,572	1984	2,536,062	127,444	2009	2,352,250	111,257
1935	842,855	52,490	1960	2,679,255	138,086	1985	2,641,159	133,803	2010	2,405,207	120,382
1936	956,273	60,031	1961	2,628,732	136,195	1986	2,705,697	135,003	2011	2,403,295	119,918
1937	973,841	61,244	1962	2,635,623	136,032	1987	2,831,235	146,502	2012	2,364,870	118,029
1938	974,637	65,583	1963	2,602,897	133,845	1988	2,840,561	141,722	2013	2,311,701	120,295
1939	1,032,989	65,842	1964	2,544,437	129,188	1989	3,013,189	160,050			
1940	1,078,119	67,925	1965	2,547,246	126,245	1990	3,025,927	164,293			
1941	1,107,075	69,513	1966	2,553,782	125,421	1991	3,085,255	166,526			
1942	1,136,148	71,204	1967	2,585,202	121,571	1992	3,115,340	166,242			
1943	1,172,499	73,001	1968	2,623,112	124,292	1993	3,104,973	162,834			



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YEAR	POSTS	MEMBERS	DELEGATES	YEAR	POSTS	MEMBERS	DELEGATES	YEAR	POSTS	MEMBERS	DELEGATES	YEAR	POSTS	MEMBERS	DELEGATES
1919	96	9,975	585	1945	619	102,011	3,342	1971	736	120,595	3,973	1997	593	142,134	3,750
1920	239	46,236	1,396	1946	737	166,406	4,870	1972	733	119,539	3,947	1998	583	138,397	3,672
1921	258	35,145	1,204	1947	788	167,787	5,005	1973	727	117,548	3,857	1999	582	137,059	3,608
1922	262	30,008	1,122	1948	816	157,450	4,866	1974	712	116,594	3,857	2000	570	131,469	3,496
1923	279	28,284	1,118	1949	823	149,722	4,701	1975	703	117,311	3,853	2001	570	132,753	3,456
1924	293	25,275	1,071	1950	828	148,084	4,682	1976	697	118,768	3,860	2002	558	132,164	3,418
1925	290	25,853	1,080	1951	829	139,698	4,535	1977	700	118,031	3,855	2003	545	135,578	3,410
1926	299	29,330	1,170	1952	830	138,568	4,504	1978	694	116,391	3,806	2004	535	134,028	3,322
1927	302	33,165	1,265	1953	833	141,397	4,575	1979	695	114,585	3,777	2005	531	131,841	3,257
1928	326	40,935	1,482	1954	838	140,503	4,569	1980	694	114,542	3,762	2006	524	133,076	3,147
1929	360	49,208	1,714	1955	835	139,214	4,541	1981	691	115,295	3,779	2007	512	134,018	3,068
1930	388	54,649	1,879	1956	829	140,381	3,543	1982	681	113,597	3,716	2008	504	135,893	3,068
1931	426	63,790	2,146	1957	823	137,929	4,475	1983	674	109,518	3,622	2009	505	113,195	2,962
1932	458	60,218	2,140	1958	819	136,366	4,452	1984	668	110,691	3,605	2010	495	106,850	2,864
1933	478	52,295	2,070	1959	811	138,270	4,472	1985	660	112,951	3,596	2011	485	94,176	2,742
1934	511	52,864	2,110	1960	802	135,816	4,409	1986	658	123,050	3,642	2012	487	82,560	2,733
1935	528	52,176	2,126	1961	791	134,214	4,351	1987	645	146,502	3,916	2013	482	87,146	2,601
1936	533	59,421	2,328	1962	786	133,078	4,325	1988	640	139,206	3,942				
1937	544	60,720	2,395	1963	777	131,960	4,286	1989	642	141,722	3,973				
1938	552	64,854	2,482	1964	771	127,409	4,182	1990	637	159,093	4,095				
1939	563	65,103	2,514	1965	767	124,209	4,095	1991	629	163,711	4,137				
1940	574	67,169	2,579	1966	759	123,879	4,072	1992	621	165,345	4,099				
1941	582	68,883	2,630	1967	751	123,352	4,050	1993	612	156,019	4,083				
1942	585	70,644	2,661	1968	740	122,582	4,008	1994	606	155,773	4,044				
1943	582	72,001	2,683	1969	737	122,005	4,001	1995	602	147,618	3,896				
1944	597	88,666	3,040	1970	733	120,873	3,982	1996	593	143,448	3,826				

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YR	NATIONAL COMMANDER	NATIONAL CONVENTION	CALIFORNIA COMMANDER	CALIFORNIA CONVENTION
1919	Henry D. Lindsley	Minneapolis	H.G. Mathewson	San Francisco
1920	Franklin D'Olier	Cleveland	David P. Barrows	San Diego
1921	F. W. Galbraith, Jr.	Kansas City	Buron R. Fitts	Yosemite Valley
1922	Hanford MacNider	New Orleans	John R. Quinn	San Jose
1923	Alvin Owsley	San Francisco	Seth Millington, Jr	Eureka
1924	John R. Quinn	St. Paul	James F. Collins	Santa Cruz
1925	James A. Drain	Omaha	Nathan F. Coombs	Avalon
1926	John R. McQuigg	Philadelphia	Allen B. Bixby	Susanville
1927	Howard P. Savage	Paris & New York	Dr. John F. Slavich	Santa Barbara
1928	Edward F. Spafford	San Antonio	Phil Dodson	Stockton
1929	Paul V. McNutt	Louisville	F. N. Belgrano, Jr	San Diego
1930	O. L. Bodenhamer	Boston	Clarence L. Kincaid	Sacramento
1931	Ralph T. O'Neil	Detroit	B.W. Gearhart	Long Beach
1932	Henry I. Stevens, Jr.	Portland	Van Hogan	Oakland
1933	Louis A. Johnson	Chicago	Warren H. Atherton	Pasadena
1934	Edward A. Hayes	Miami	Homer L. Chaillaux	San Francisco
1935	Frank N. Belgrano, Jr	St. Louis	Archie M. Closson	Fresno
1936	Ray Murphy	Cleveland	Dan W. Emmett	Hollywood
1937	Harry W. Colmery	New York City	Thomas J. Riordan	Stockton
1938	Daniel J. Doherty	Los Angeles	Joseph S. Long	Santa Monica
1939	Stephen F. Chadwick	Chicago	Dr. H. G. Watters	Oakland
1940	Raymond J. Kelly	Boston	William S. Dunn	San Diego
1941	Milo J. Warner	Milwaukee	William J. Farrell	Sacramento
1942	Lynn U. Stambaugh	Kansas City	Robert F. Garner, Jr	Los Angeles
1943	Roane Waring	Omaha	Leon Happell	San Francisco
1944	Warren Atherton	Chicago	William P. Haughton	Los Angeles
1945	Ed Scheiberling	Chicago	Ed W. Bolt	Sacramento
1946	John Stelle	San Francisco	Irvin R. Snyder	San Francisco
1947	Paul H. Griffith	New York	Richard Chamberlain	Los Angeles
1948	James O'Neil	Miami	Harry L. Foster	San Francisco
1949	Perry Brown	Philadelphia	Rex F. Whitmore	Long Beach
1950	George N. Caig	Los Angeles	Lewis K. Gough	Sacramento
1951	Earl Cocke, Jr	Miami	Stanley F. Dunmire	San Diego
1952	Donald R. Wilson	New York	John D. Home	Fresno
1953	Lewis K. Gough	St. Louis	William A. White	Long Beach
1954	Arthur J. Connell	Washington DC	William R. Burke	San Francisco
1955	Seahorn P. Collins	Miami	Malcolm Champlin	San Diego
1956	J. Addington Wagner	Los Angeles	Joseph M. Farber	Fresno
1957	W. C. Daniel	Atlantic City	Leo W. Crawford	Long Beach
1958	John S. Gleason	Chicago	Alfred P. Chamie	Sacramento
1959	Preston J. Moore	Minneapolis	John J. Flynn	Hollywood
1960	Martin McKneally	Miami Beach	Sidney L. Gelbert	San Francisco
1961	William R. Burke	Denver	John R. Hann	Long Beach
1962	Charles I. Bacon	Las Vegas	Roscoe T. Morse	Fresno
1963	James Powers	Miami Beach	A. Lee Oder	San Bernardino
1964	Daniel F. Foley	Dallas	William K. Kreitz, Jr	Sacramento
1965	Donald E. Johnson	Portland	Harry C. Dennis	San Diego
1966	L. Eldon James	Washington DC	Sam Gray	Bakersfield
1967	John E. Davis	Boston	Edward Sharkey	San Diego
1968	William E. Galbraith	New Orleans	Harold E. Heinly	Fresno

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1969	William C. Doyle	Atlanta	Bradley J. Stephens	San Diego
1970	J. Milton Patrick	Portland	James A. Gilbert	Sacramento
1971	Alfred P. Chamie	Houston	Andrew P. Salontai	Los Angeles
1972	John H. Geiger	Chicago	Cecil L. Bandy	San Jose
1973	Joe L. Matthews	Honolulu	Milton L. Randolph	Anaheim
1974	Robert E. L. Eaton	Miami Beach	Marvin E. Jones	Fresno
1975	James M. Wagonseller	Minneapolis	Bernard L. Weddel	San Diego
1976	Harry G. Wiles	Seattle	Lloyd Higginson	Stockton
1977	William Rogers	Denver	George Sinopoli	Palm Springs
1978	Robert Charles Smith	New Orleans	John B. Coman	San Mateo
1979	John M. Carey	Houston	Leo P. Burke	San Diego
1980	Frank I. Hamilton	Boston	Robert L. Schwartz	Sacramento
1981	Michael J. Koguttek	Honolulu	Bruce Thiesen	Pasadena
1982	Jack W. Flynt	Chicago	John Homan	Redding
1983	Al Keller, Jr	Seattle	Don Drumheller	Palm Springs
1984	Keith Kreul	Salt Lake City	Hal Goldman	Fresno
1985	Clarence Bacon	New Orleans	Richard H. Mibach	San Diego
1986	Dale L. Renaud	Cincinnati	James D. Welch	Redding
1987	James P. Dean	San Antonio	Frank H. Machado	San Bernardino
1988	John "Jake" Comer	Louisville	Mike Canales	Sacramento
1989	H. F. "Sparky" Gierke	Baltimore	Andrew J. Steffanic	Palm Springs
1990	Miles S. Epling	Indianapolis	Wallace W. Riddle	Redding
1991	Robert S. Turner	Phoenix	Harold F. Arnold	Riverside
1992	Dominic D. DiFrancesco	Chicago	Al Krank	Fresno
1993	Roger Munson	Pittsburgh	JJ Bettencourt	Palm Springs
1994	Bruce Thiesen	Minneapolis	Michael A. Gombar	Bakersfield
1995	William Detweiler	Indianapolis	Stan Standard	Pasadena
1996	Daniel K. Ludwig	Salt Lake City	Joseph O. Early	Santa Clara
1997	Joseph J. Frank	Orlando	T. Daniel Hetherington	Long Beach
1998	Anthony Jordan	New Orleans	Frank Larson	Redding
1999	Harold "Butch" Miller	Anaheim	David L. Eby	San Diego
2000	Alan G. Lance	Milwaukee	William Wilkin	Fresno
2001	Ray Smith	San Antonio	Floyd Martin	Riverside
2002	Richard J Santos	Charlotte	Ronald J Hanson	Bakersfield
2003	Ronald F Conley	St. Louis	Charles E Parnell	Riverside
2004	John A Brieden III	Nashville	James W Hackney	Redding
2005	Thomas P Cadmus	Honolulu	Fred J Walton	Palm Springs
2006	Thomas L Bock	Salt Lake City	S Wayne Parrish	Fresno
2007	Paul A. Morin	Reno	Charlie M Eskridge	Palm Springs
2008	Martin F Conatser	Phoenix	Howard L Darter	Bakersfield
2009	David K Rehbein	Louisville	Alan C Lennox	Riverside
2010	Clarence Hill	Milwaukee	Dennis L Fercho	Fresno
2011	Jimmie L. Foster	Minneapolis	Mark Foxworthy	Ontario
2012	Fang Wong	Indianapolis	Hugh E. Crooks Jr	Redding
2013	James Koutz	Houston	Kenneth Kramlich	Palm Springs
2014	Dan Dellinger	Charlotte	Joseph A. Garcia	Santa Clara

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Organization Convention: San Francisco, Oct 8-10, 1919

H. G. Mathewson, Chairman, San Francisco Post 1

C. E. Palmen, Vice-Chairman, Coalinga Post 2

C. W. Goodwin, Secretary, Los Angeles, Post 8

Department Convention: San Diego, Aug. 23-25, 1920

Department Officials, 1919-1920

David P. Barrows, Commander, Berkeley Post 7

Buron R. Fitts, 1st Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Post 8

Thomas McManus, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Frank S. Reynolds Post 26

Jerome B. Kavanaugh, 3rd Vice Cmdr, San Bernardino Post 14

Fred F. Bebergall, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40, San Francisco

Henry G. Mathewson, NEC, San Francisco, Post 1

Department Convention: Yosemite Valley, Aug. 22-24, 1921

Department Officials, 1920-1921

Buron R. Fitts, Commander, Los Angeles Post 8

William P. Cary, 1st Vice Cmdr, San Diego Post 6

Irwin T. Quinn, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Ft Humboldt Post 212, Eureka

Ruth Gee Rowland, 3rd Vice Cmdr, Vallejo Post 104

Fred F. Bebergall, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40, San Francisco

Reed B. Cherington, Chaplain, Fremont Post 52, Palo Alto

Peter B. Kyne, Historian, Samuel Sill Post 156, Perris

Jack Fentry, Sgt-at-Arms, Fresno Post 4

Henry G. Mathewson, NEC, San Francisco Post 1

Department Convention: San Jose, Sept. 5-8, 1922

Department Officials, 1921-1922

John R. Quinn, Commander, Merle Reed Post 124, Delano

Elias V. Rosenkranz, 1st Vice Cmdr, Victory Post 54, Los Angeles

Waker J. Hicks, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Sacramento Post 61

Gabrielle Tissot Mulvane, 3rd Vice Cmdr, San Bernardino Post 14

Morgan Keaton, Adjutant, Sacramento Post 61

N. W. Armstrong, Historian, Hayward Post 68

W. E. Edmondson, Chaplain, Victory Post 54, Los Angeles

William Flinn, Sgt-at-Arms, San Francisco Post 1

Buron R. Fitts, NEC, Los Angeles Post 8

George J. Hatfield, Alternate NEC, Stevinson Post 91

Department Convention: Eureka, Aug. 27-30, 1923

Department Officials, 1922-1923

Seth Millington Jr., Commander, Gridley Post 210

Maurice F. Enderle, 1st Vice Cmdr, Santa Ana Post 131

Arthur F. Ager, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Dunsmuir Post 126

† Horace V. Ley, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Yreka, Ross Nellon Post 122, Yreka

Anna Cardoza Sexauer, 3rd Vice Cmdr, Santa Barbara Post 49

Morgan Keaton, Adjutant, Sacramento Post 61

Dwight Robinson, Historian, Fred Bunch Post 116, San Francisco

Father F. B. Clyne, Chaplain, Pittsburg Post 151

William Kollender, Sgt-at-Arms, Long Beach Post 27

John R. Quinn, NEC, Merle Reed Post 124, Delano,

H. G. Mathewson, Alternate NEC, San Francisco Post 1

Department Convention: Santa Cruz, Aug. 4-7, 1924

Department Officials, 1923-1924

James F. Collins, Commander, Professional Engineers Post 495

George Miller, 1st Vice Cmdr, Zane Irwin Post 93, San Francisco

Roy W. Mingins, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Redwood City Post 105

Nell Boulware, 3rd Vice Cmdr, Golden Gate Post 40, San Francisco

Morgan Keaton, Adjutant (8/23-7/24), Sacramento Post 61

James K. Fisk (cmlplet'd term), Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7

George A. Hartman, Chaplain, Boyce Aten Post 25, El Centro

Harold Ellenstein, Historian, Venice Post 177

C. K. Badger, Sgt-at-Arms, Frank S. Reynolds Post 26, Bakersfield

Seth Millington Jr., NEC, Gridley Post 210

Hilary H. Crawford, Alternate NEC, San Francisco Post 1

Department Convention: Avalon, Sept. 14-17, 1925

Department Officials, 1924-1925

Nathan F. Coombs, Commander, Napa Post 113

Vern B. Fish, 1st Vice Cmdr, Mt. Lassen Post 167, Red Bluff

Dr. E. R. Fountain, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Merced Post 83

Miss Jean Griffith, 3rd Vice Cmdr, Pasadena Post 13

James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7

Rev. William E. Patrick, Chaplain, Oxnard Post 48

Gil Rankin, Historian, Frank S. Reynolds Post 26, Bakersfield

Thomas L. Cavett, Sgt-at-Arms, Victory Post 54, Los Angeles

George J. Hatfield, NEC, Stevinson Post 91

J. A. Sinclair, Alternate NEC, San Mateo Post 82

Department Convention: Susanville, Aug. 17-19, 1926

Department Officials, 1925-1926

Allen B. Bixby, Commander, Pasadena Post 13

Dr. Wall M. Billngs, 1st Vice Cmdr, William R. Ledford Post 293

George H. Kindred, 2nd Vice Cmdr, Oxnard Post 48

Mrs. Marjorie Creagh, 3rd Vice Cmdr, Elisabeth Lee Post 296

James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7

Rev. J. R. Wright, Chaplain, Modesto Post 74

William Kollender, Historian, Long Beach Post 27

Ronald French, Sgt-at-Arms, Sunshine Post 251, Los Angeles

George J. Hatfield, NEC, Stevinson Post 91

J. A. Sinclair, Alternate NEC, San Mateo Post 82

Department Convention: Santa Barbara, Aug. 2-4, 1927

Department Officials, 1926-1927

Dr. John F. Slavich, Commander, Oakland Post 5

Genevieve Crama, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Hollywood Women's Post 185

Rev. Gordon Palmer, Chaplain, Los Angeles Post 8

William Langdon Prager; Historian, Hollywood Post 43

Edwin H. Sully, Sgt-at-Arms, Fred Bunch Post 116, San Francisco

Nathan F. Coombs, NEC, Napa Post 113

Leonard Wilson, Alternate NEC, Burbank Post 150

Department Convention: Stockton, Aug. 13-15, 1928

Department Officials, 1927-1928

Phil Dodson, Commander, South Pasadena Post 140

James K. Fisk; Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7

Beulah M. Holdridge, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Golden Gate Post 40

Rt. Rev. Stephen F. Barron, Chaplain, Zane Irwin Post 93

Fred W. Smith, Historian, Robert L. Webster Post 50

Louis T. Ruff, Sgt-at-Arms, Los Angeles Post 8

Nathan F. Coombs, NEC, Napa Post 113

Dr. J. F. Slavich, Alternate NEC, Oakland Post 5

Department Convention: San Diego, Aug. 19-21, 1929

Department Officials, 1928-1929

F. N. Belgrano Jr., Commander, Galileo Post 236, San Francisco

James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7

Mrs. Billie Schank, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Hollywood Women's Post 185

Fred P. Trotter, Chaplain, Oxnard Post 48

Walter H. Killiam, Historian, Burlingame Post 163

Rufus M. Whaley, Sgt-at-Arms, Oakland Post No 5

Phil Dodson, NEC, Pasadena Post 140

Allen B. Bixby, Alternate NEC, Pasadena Post 13

Department Convention: Sacramento, Aug. 18-20, 1930

Department Officials, 1929-1930

Clarence L. Kincaid, Commander, Hollywood Post 43

James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7

Catherine C. E. Reardon, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Jane Delano Post 235

Francis L. Albert, Chaplain, C. C. Thomas Navy Post 244, S.F.

Newton F. Armstrong, Historian, San Leandro Post 117

Fred R. Dukes, Sgt-at-Arms, Frank S. Reynolds Post 26, Bakersfield

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Phil Dodson, NEC, South Pasadena Post 140
Allen B. Bixby, Alternate NEC, Pasadena Post 13
Department Convention: Long Beach, Aug. 31-Sept. 2, 1931
Department Officials, 1930-1931
B. W. Gearhart, Commander, Fresno Post 4
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Gertrude Tracy Scofield, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Los Angeles Post 8
Charles A. Rexroad, Chaplain, San Benito Post 69
John D. K. Perry, Historian, Fresno Post 4
David McCullough, Sgt-at-Arms, San Mateo Post 82
Frank N. Belgrano Jr., NEC, Galileo Post 236
J. Emmett McNamara, Alternate NEC, Merced Post 83
Department Convention: Oakland, Aug. 15-17, 1932
Department Officials, 1931-1932
Van Hogan, Commander, 91st Division Post 356
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Mary Dunaway, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, East Bay Women's Post 379
John R. Lechner, Chaplain, Beverly Hills Post 253
Henry L. Marshall, Historian, Covina Post 207
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
C. C. Stede, Sgt-at-Arms, Gardena Post 187
Frank N. Belgrano Jr., NEC, Galileo Post 236
J. Emmet McNamara, Alternate NEC, Merced Post 83
Department Convention: Pasadena, Aug. 14-16, 1933
Department Officials, 1932-1933
Warren H. Atherton, Commander, Karl Ross Post 16, Stockton
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Jefferson Brown, V. Cmdr-at-Large, Long Beach Womens Post 378
Rev. Paul Little, Chaplain, Chico Post 17
Stanley F. Dunmire, Historian, Veteran's Home Post 306
James B. Burns, Judge Advocate, Zane Irwin Post 93
Steve Neilson, Sgt-at-Arms, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
B.W. Gearhart, NEC, Fresno Post 4
C. J. Turner, Alternate NEC, Los Angeles Post 8
Department Convention: San Francisco, Aug. 13-15, 1934
Department Officials, 1933-1934
Homer L. Chaillaux, Commander, Inglewood Post 188
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Esther C. Roach, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Fresno Women's Post 367
Rev. Thomas Grice, Chaplain, Arthur L. Peterson Post 27
Joseph Chrisman, Historian, Manuel M. Lopes Post 240
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Harry E. Englund, Sgt-at-Arms, Los Angeles Police Post 381
B.W. Gearhart (resigned), NEC, Fresno Post 4 (left June 25, 1934)
C. J. Turner, Alternate NEC, Los Angeles Post 8
Department Convention: Fresno, Aug. 12-14, 1935
Department Officials, 1934-1935
Archie M. Closson, Commander, Lodi Post 22
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
T. B. Wise, Assistant to the Adjutant, Inglewood Post 188
Marion W. Fisher, V. Cmdr-at-Large, San Diego Women's Post 451
Archbishop John J. Mitty, Chaplain, San Francisco Post 1
Walter J. Pierce, Historian, Raisner Post 45
Thomas J. Riordan, Judge Advocate, George Washington Post 114
Claude P. Deal, Sgt-at-Arms, Fort Sutter Post 592
Homer I. Chaillaux (resigned), NEC, Inglewood Post 188
Clifton A. Hix, NEC, San Pedro Post 65 (through Aug. 14, 1934)

Department Convention: Hollywood, Aug. 10-12, 1936
Department Officials, 1935-1936
Dan W. Emmett, Commander, Ventura Post 339

James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
T. B. Wise, Assistant to the Adjutant, Inglewood Post 188
Ruth Gustafson, V. Cmdr-at-Large, San Francisco Nurses Post 452
Rev. D. C. Williams, Chaplain, Madera Post 11
Floyd F. Helmick, Historian, George Washington Post 114
James B. Burns, Judge Advocate, Zane Irwin Post 93
William K. Kreitz, Sgt-at-Arms, Inglewood Post 188
Clifton A. Hix, NEC, San Pedro Post 65
L. F. Olson, Alternate NEC, 23rd Engineers Post 345
Department Convention: Stockton, Aug. 8-10, 1937
Department Officials, 1936-1937
Thomas J. Riordan, Commander, George Washington Post 114
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, William C. Orr Jr Post 120
Mariona Koenig, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Hollywood Women's Post 185
Harvey A. Hood, Chaplain, South Antelope Valley Post 401
Otto G. Hintermann, Historian, San Francisco Post 1
Eugene D. Bennett, Judge Advocate, Rialto Post 203
Fred Iverson, Sgt-at-Arms, Alfred J. Foster Post 34
Warren H. Atherton, NEC, Karl Ross Post 16
Drew A. Bernard, Alternate NEC, Glendale Post 127
Department Convention: Santa Monica, Sept. 16-17, 1938
Department Officials, 1937-1938
Joseph S. Long, Commander, Riverside Post 79
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, Wm. C. Orr Jr Post 120
Bessie Carr Nola, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Jane Delano Post 235
Rev. Fr. Henry Walsh S.J., Chaplain, Santa Clara Post 419
J. A. Bennett, Historian, Riverside Post 79
John D. Home, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
John A. Sinclair, Asst Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Ed Burke, Sgt-at-Arms, Fire Fighters Post 102
Warren H. Atherton, NEC, Karl Ross Post 16
Drew A. Bernard, Alternate NEC, Glendale Post 127
Department Convention: Oakland, Aug. 14-16, 1939
Department Officials, 1938-1939
Dr. H. G. Watters, Commander, Edward H. Lorenson Post 121
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, Wm. C. Orr Jr Post 120
Mollie Dolan, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Los Angeles Post 8
Rev. Carl C. DeMott, Chaplain, 91st Division AE. Post 356
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Alfred McLaren, Asst Judge Advocate, Edwin T. Brown Post 268
Edwin W. Boney, Sgt-at-Arms, Fresno Post 4
Joseph S. Long, NEC, Riverside Post 79
Thomas J. Riordan, Alternate NEC, George Washington Post 114
Department Convention: San Diego, Aug. 12-14, 1940
Department Officials, 1939-1940
William S. Dunn, Commander, Holdzkum Post 107
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, Wm. C. Orr Jr Post 120
Peggy Lovelace, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, San Francisco Post 1
Rev. Irvin Askine, Chaplain, Oakland Post 5
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
George Fisher, Judge Advocate, Padre Serra Post 370
John A. Sinclair, Assoc. Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Floyd E. Tumbleson, Sgt-at-Arms, Star Post 309
Joseph S. Long, NEC, Riverside Post 79
Thomas J. Riordan, Alternate NEC, George Washington Post 114
Department Convention: Sacramento, Aug. 10-12, 1941

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Department Officials, 1940-1941

William J. Farrell, Commander, Petaluma Post 28
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, Wm. C. Orr Jr Post 120
Myrtle Kinsey, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Glendale Women's Post 427
Rev. Dan Hogan, Chaplain, San Diego Post 6
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Thomas A. Rishel, Sgt-at-Arms, Oakland Post 5
Thomas J. Riordan, NEC, George Washington Post 114
William S. Dunn, Alternate NEC, Holdzkum Post 107

Department Convention: Los Angeles, Aug. 17-19, 1942

Department Officials, 1941-1942

Robert F. Garner Jr., Commander, San Bernardino Post 14
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, William C. Orr Jr. Post 120
Adelaide Moddison, VC-at-Large, Capital City Women's Post 389
Rev Cornelius Kennedy, Chaplain, Redwood City Post 105
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
George Contreras, Sgt-at-Arms, Los Angeles Post 8
Thomas J. Riordan, NEC, George Washington Post 114
William S. Dunn, Alternate NEC, Holdzkum Post 107

Department Convention: San Francisco, Aug. 16-18, 1943

Department Officials, 1942-1943

Leon Happell, Commander, Karl Ross Post 16
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, William C. Orr Jr. Post 120
Ursula Harrison, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Hollywood Women's Post 185
Henry L. Watson, Chaplain, Redlands Post 106
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post No. 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Charles Bauer, Sgt-at-Arms, San Anselmo Post 179
Leon V. McCardle, NEC, Victory Post 54
Dr. Henry G. Watters, Alt NEC, Edward H. Lorensore Post 121

Department Convention: Los Angeles, Aug. 15-17, 1944

Department Officials, 1943-1944

William P. Haughton, Commander, El Monte Post 261
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Charles C. McGonegal, Asst Adjutant, William C. Orr Jr Post 120
Cleo Hintermann, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, Peninsula Women's Post 506
Rev. Leland Cook, Chaplain, San Diego Post 6
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post No 82
George F. Farrell, Sgt-at-Arms, Cleo Davis Post 152
Leon V. McCardle, NEC, Victory Post 54
Dr. Henry G. Watters, Alt. NEC, Edward H. Lorensen Post 121

War Effort & Rehabilitation Conference

Sacramento, Aug. 24- 26, 1945

Department Officials, 1944-1945

Ed W. Bolt, Commander, C. C. Thomas Navy Post 244
James K. Fisk, Adjutant, Berkeley Post 7
Russell C. Gordon, Assistant Adjutant, Zane Irwin Post 93
Mae Murphy, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, San Diego Women's Post 451
Rev. William J. Owen, Chaplain, Napa Post 113
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Harry Welch, Sgt-at-Arms, Belmont Post 377
Leon Happell, NEC, Karl Ross Post 16
Robert F. Garner, Jr., Alternate NEC, San Bernardino Post 14

Department Convention: San Francisco, Aug. 19-21, 1946

Department Officials, 1945-1946

Irvin R. "Bob" Snyder, Commander, Sunland-Tujunga Post 250"
Homer B. Chaillaux, Adjutant, Inglewood Post 188
Warren B. "Bert" Hillman, Adjutant, Montrose Post 288"
Donald L. Clarke, Asst Adjutant, Adm. Daniel J. Callaghan Post 592
Helen Barker, Vice Cmdr-at-Large, San Francisco Nurses' Post 452
Rev. B. Errol Parish, Chaplain, Parkside Post 505
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
Frank Nicely, Sgt-at-Arms, Santa Paula Post 480
Leon Happell, NEC, Karl Ross Post 16
Norman D. Dunbar, Alternate NEC, Century Post 485

Department Convention: Los Angeles, Sept. 22-24, 1947

Department Officials, 1946-1947

Richard H. Chamberlain, Commander, Piedmont Post 514
Donald L. Clarke, Adjutant, Adm. Daniel J. Callaghan Post 592
Gordon A. Lyons, Assistant Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
Rt. Rev. Thomas Nolan O'Toole, Chaplain, Celtic Post 569
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
R. C. "Babe" Neergaard, Sgt-at-Arms, 363rd Infantry Post 408"
Wm. P. Haughton, NEC, El Monte Post 261
Ed W. Bolt, Alternate NEC, C. C. Thomas Navy Post 244
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
Leo Connolly, Vice Cmdr, Theodore Roosevelt Post 21
J. F. Ahern, Vice Cmdr, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
Thomas G. Nelson, Vice Cmdr, Fresno Federal Post 509
Dr. Russell W. Starr, Vice Cmdr, Allied Post 302
Ralph M. Nocodemus, Vice Cmdr, Brea Post 181
Helen M. Smith, Vice Cmdr, Navy Women's Post 487
Lewis S. Sloneker, Director of Rehabilitation, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: San Francisco, Sept. 2-5, 1948

Department Officials, 1947-1948

Harry L. Foster, Commander, San Diego Post 6
Donald L. Clarke, Adjutant, Adm. Daniel J. Callaghan Post 592
Gordon A. Lyons, Assistant Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
Dr. Theodore R. Leen, Chaplain, Karl Ross Post 16
John A. Sinclair, Judge Advocate, San Mateo Post 82
George W. Fisher, Asst Judge Advocate, Padre Serra Post 370
Arthur Nelson, Sgt-at-Arms, Sunland-Tujunga Post 250
William P. Haughton (resigned), NEC, El Monte Post 261
Ed W. Bolt, Alternate NEC, C.C. Thomas Navy Post 244
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
John E. Short, Vice Cmdr, Sacramento Post No.61
Fred Coulman, Vice Cmdr, San Francisco Post 1
Charles Epperson, Vice Cmdr, Karl Ross Post 16
Aug. Utz, Vice Cmdr, South Pasadena Post 140
Earl Marsh, Vice Cmdr, Upland Post 73
Ora Merritt, Vice Cmdr, Clara D. Noyes Post 553
Dr. Berthal Henning, Medical Advisor, Zane Irwin Post 93
Lewis S. Sloneker, Director of Rehabilitation, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Long Beach, Aug. 14-17, 1949

Department Officials, 1948-1949

Rex F. Whitmore, Commander, Bakersfield Post 26
Donald L. Clarke, Adjutant, Adm. Daniel J. Callaghan Post 592
Gordon A. Lyons, Assistant Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
Dr. Lester Bond, Chaplain, San Diego Post 6
Richard J. Welch Jr., Judge Advocate, Riverside Post 79
William O. Wright, Sgt-at-Arms, Vallejo Post 104
Ed W. Bolt, NEC, C.C. Thomas Navy Post 244
Harry L. Foster, Alternate NEC, San Diego Post 6
Arthur Atkinson, Historian, Glendale Post 127

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John J. Sheehy, Vice Cmdr, San Anselmo Post 179
George A. Mann, Vice Cmdr, Burlingame Post 163
Roy Schnauer, Vice Cmdr, Owen Saling Post 148
Richard J. Myerscough, Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
Etta Zeh, Vice Cmdr, Long Beach Women's Post 378
Dr. H. G. Watters, Medical Advisor, Edw. H. Lorensen, Post 121
Lewis S. Sloneker, Director of Rehabilitation, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Sacramento, Aug. 13-16, 1950

Department Officials, 1949-1950

Lewis K. Gough, Commander, Pasadena Post 13
Donald L. Clarke, Adjutant, Adm. Daniel J. Callaghan Post 592
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant (Acting), Menlo Park Post 443
Rev. Edward P. Mattson, Chaplain, Berkeley Post 7
Van H. Pinney, Judge Advocate, C. C. Thomas Navy Post 244
John H. Briel, Sgt-at-Arms, San Diego Post 6
Ed Bolt(resigned), NEC, CC Thomas Navy Post 244
Harry Foster (cmlplet'ed term), San Diego Post 6
Jack F. Ahern, Alternate NEC, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
Walter Naughton, Historian, Allied Post 302
Howard L. Dayton, Vice Cmdr, Butte Post 478
Art Daniels, Vice Cmdr, Exeter Post 94
Earl Baldwin, Vice Cmdr, Glendale Post 127
J. A. Bennett, Vice Cmdr, Riverside Post 79
Irma Glasser, Vice Cmdr, A. E. Hollfield Post 614
Dr. Walter Z. Baro, Medical Advisor, Triangle Post 670
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: San Diego, Sept. 10-13, 1951

Department Officials, 1950-1951

Stanley F. Dunmire, Commander, Veterans Home Post 306
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
William H. Bannister, Chaplain, Newport Harbor Post 291
Leonard A. Thomas, Judge Advocate, San Anselmo Post 179
F. F. Augine, Sgt-at-Arms, Emil J. Nelson Jr. Post 590
Harry L. Foster, NEC, San Diego Post 6
J. F. Ahern, Alternate NEC, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
Al Weinberg (cmlplet'ed term), Historian, Greayer Clover Post 254
Don Cave, Vice Cmdr, Fort Humboldt Post 212
William P. Johnston, Vice Cmdr, Sportsmen's Post 99
Bill Bauer, Vice Cmdr, Mt. Whitney Post 265
Henry B. Will, Vice Cmdr, Robert T. McColley Post 87
Thomas W. Stauts, Vice Cmdr, City Service Post 537
Anna O'Hara, Vice Cmdr, Hollywood Women's Post 185
Dr. Walter Z. Baro, Medical Advisor, Triangle Post 670
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Fresno, Aug. 3-6, 1952

Department Officials, 1951-1952

John D. Home, Commander, Hollywood Post 43
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
Rev. Paul J. Redmond, Chaplain, Fresno Federal Post 509
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
George Burleson, Sgt-at-Arms, Benjamin Bowie Post 228
Harry L. Foster, NEC, San Diego Post 6
J. F. Ahern, Alternate NEC, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
Daisy Ulrich, Historian, Stanislaus Women's Post 691
F. L. Hill, Vice Cmdr, Thomas Tucker Post 204
Chester Stalter, Vice Cmdr, Monterey Peninsula Post 41
Carl E. Christensen, Vice Cmdr, Joe Mikkelson Post 183
John C. Dunn, Vice Cmdr, South Bay Post No.184
George T. Kellogg, Vice Cmdr, Yorba Linda Post 679
Frank O. Johnson, Vice Cmdr, Blue Devils of America Post 369
Hope Kennedy, Vice Cmdr, San Francisco Post 1

Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Long Beach, July 31-Aug. 2, 1953

Department Officials, 1952-1953

William A. White, Commander, Insurance Post 404
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
Rabbi Maxwell Dubin, Chaplain, Hollywood Post 43
Malcolm M. Champlain, Judge Advocate, Montclair Post 638
A. C. "Tiny" Ryan, Sgt-at-Arms, Lewis White Post 76"
Jack Ahern, NEC, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
John D. Homme, Alternate NEC, Hollywood Post 43,
Max Brents (cmlplet'd term), Alternate NEC, Goree-Lake Post 90
Hope Kennedy, Historian, San Francisco Post 1
Wilton Kister, Vice Cmdr, Oroville Post 95
Harry Bramble (resigned), Vice Cmdr, Lafayette Post 517
J. Kenneth Coveney (new), Vice Cmdr, Henry A. McNamara Post 29
Robert Ecclestone, Vice Cmdr, James McDermott Post 172
Dee Holder, Vice Cmdr, 91st Division A. E. F. Post 356
Howard Purcell, Vice Cmdr, Big Bear Lake Post 584
Al Mehn, Vice Cmdr, Oxnard Post 48
Harriett Kreitz Gilmore, Vice Cmdr, Centinela Women's Post 840
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: San Francisco, July 25-28, 1954

Department Officials, 1953-1954

William R. Burke, Commander, Los Angeles Post 8
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
Rev. Norman Edwards, Chaplain, Redwood Clty Post 105
Alfred P. Chamie, Judge Advocate, Downtown Post 336
Fred Schenck, Sgt-at-Arms, Highland Park Post 206
Jack Ahern, NEC, Henry A McNamara Post 29
Max Brents, Alternate NEC, Goree-Lake Post 90
William N. Bucknam, Historlan, Ceres Post 491
Edward Gein, Vice Cmdr, Reams Post 182
Milton W. Kletter, Vice Cmdr, Emil J. Nelson Jr. Post 590
Arden A. Powers, Vice Cmdr, Modesto Post No.74
Joseph J. Kollar, Vice Cmdr, Poppy Post 386
R. Pete Ostrander, Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
Joseph Farber, Vice Cmdr, Pasadena Post 13
Mary Jo Black Martindale, Vice Cmdr, Marin Women's Post 757
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: San Diego, June 26-29, 1955

Department Officials, 1954-1955

Malcolm M. Champlin, Commander, Montclair Post 638
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo Park Post 443
G. H. Bud" Gilliland, Chaplain, Glendale Post 127"
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Leroy Calhoun, Sgt-at-Arms, State Center Post 511
William R. Burke, NEC, Los Angeles Post 8
Arten Pony" Powers, Alternate NEC, Modesto Post 74"
Lucile Graham, Historian, San Carlos Post 585
Anderson Andy" Cordill, Vice Cmdr, South Sacramento Post 801"
Herman Bud" Johnson, Vice Cmdr, San Carlos Post 585"
Harold Dyar, Vice Cmdr, Merle Reed Post 124
Al Kaiser, Vice Cmdr, Maywood Post 223
Everett Earl, Vice Cmdr, Banning Post 129
V. E. Sy" Simons, Vice Cmdr, Sunland-Tujunga Post 250"
Nancy Wright, Vice Cmdr, San Diego Women's Post No; 451
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Fresno, June 28- July 1, 1956

Department Officials, 1955-1956

Joseph M. Farber, Commander, Pasadena Post 13
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo-Adobe Post 443

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Rev. Raymond F. Copeland, S. J., Chaplain, San Jose Post 89
Dee Holder, Judge Advocate, 91st Division A. E. F. Post 356
John H. Van Vleet, Sgt-at-Arms, Whittier Post 51
William R. Burke, NEC, Los Angeles Post 8
Arden "Pony" Powers, Alternate NEC, Modesto Post 74"
Gertrude Z. Denham, Historian, Ventura Post 339
Charles Hurlburt, Vice Cmdr, Arcata Post 274
Dyer Pierson, Vice Cmdr, Berkeley Post 7
David Bromley, Vice Cmdr, Inyo Post 118
Baldo Kristovich, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles County Post 810
Roscoe Morse, Vice Cmdr, North Island Service Post 753
Fred Hill, Vice Cmdr, Pacific Post 290
Frieda Frances Jones, Vice Cmdr, San Francisco Women's Post 296
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Long Beach, June 27-30, 1957

Department Officials, 1956-1957

Leo W. Crawford, Commander, Menlo-Adobe Post 828
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo-Adobe Post 443
Rev. E. R. Cummings, Chaplain, Ramona Post 332
Baldo Kristovich, Judge Advocate, Los Angeles County Post 810
George C. Meinke, Sgt-at-Arms, Inyo Post 118
Malcolm M. Champlin, NEC, Montclair Post 638
John C. Dunn, Alternate NEC, South Bay Post 184
Loyce Cook, Historian, Virginia Boden Post 719
Clyde Todd, Vice Cmdr, Tulelake Post 164
William Armstrong, Vice Cmdr, Parkside Post 505
Walter Aufderheide, Vice Cmdr, Fresno Post No.4
William Kreitz Jr., Vice Cmdr, Inglewood Post 188
Marvin Robinson, Vice Cmdr, San Clemente Post 423
Levert Prosky, Vice Cmdr, Oak View Post 686
Edith White Lester, Vice Cmdr, Long Beach Women's Post 378
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Sacramento, June 26-29, 1958

Department Officials, 1957-1958

Alfred P. Chamie, Commander, Downtown Post 336
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo-Adobe Post 828
Most Rev. Alden J. Bell, Chaplain, Los Angeles Post 8
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
William K. Powell, Sgt-at-Arms, Hollywood Post 43
Malcolm Champlin (resigned), NEC, Montclair Post 638
John C. Dunn, Alternate NEC, South Bay Post 184
Robert M. McCurdy, Alternate NEC to NEC, Pasadena Post 13
Virginia Farber, Historian, Pasadena Post 13
E. R. Curtis, Vice Cmdr, Gasperoni-Bennett-O'Bryan Post 834
Bernard D. Murphy, Vice Cmdr, Memory Post 399
Vernon D. Kuhl, Vice Cmdr, Lodi Post 22
J. Vincent Walker, Vice Cmdr, Whittier Post 51
Harold C. Murphy (cmlplet'd term), VC, San Bernardino Post 14
Lester E. Galitz, Vice Cmdr, Ontario Post 112
Joseph L. Cornaggia, Vice Cmdr, El Sereno Post 436
Josephine F. Petersen, Vice Cmdr, Humboldt Bay Women's Post 633
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Hollywood, June 23-26, 1959

Department Officials, 1958-1959

John J. Flynn, Commander, Vallejo Post 104
Gordon A. Lyons, Adjutant, Menlo-Adobe Post 828
Rev. Harry D. Durkee, Chaplain, Louis Hagen Post 340
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Bernard "Ben" S. Ferro, Sgt-at-Arms, Rex Ish Post 88"
Alfred P. Chamie, NEC, Downtown Post 336
Bernard D. Murphy, Alternate NEC, Memory Post 399

Rebecca Elizabeth Wyland, Historian, Glendale Women's Post 427
George A. Bird Jr., Vice Cmdr, Yuba Sutter Post 42
Manuel Luz, Vice Cmdr, Fil-Am Post 652
Lee Hampson, Vice Cmdr, Modesto Post 74
Sam Gray, Vice Cmdr, Frank J. Irwin State Post 546
James F. Tuttle, Vice Cmdr, Hokdzkom Post 107
C. S. "Steve" Foote, Vice Cmdr, Van Nuys Post 193
Loretta "Letty" O. Phillips, Vice Cmdr, Hollywood Women's Post 185
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: San Francisco, June 23-26, 1960

Department Officials, 1959-1960

C. S. "Steve" Foote (resigned), Commander, Van Nuys Post 193"
Sidney L. Gelber (cmlplet'd term), Commander, Los Feliz Post 527
Gordon A. Lyons (resigned), Adjutant, Menlo-Adobe Post 828
Jack A. Stockman (cmlplet'd term), Adjutant, Livingston Post 539
Allan Dailey Jr (resigned), Judge Advocate, Glendale Post 127
Fred Nessler, Sgt-at-Arms, Arthur I. Peterson Post 27
Alfred P. Chamie, NEC, Downtown Post 336
Bernard D. Murphy, Alternate NEC, Memorial Post 399
Frances Avila, Historian, Sequoia Post 96
Edmund Reedy, Vice Cmdr, Jack London Post 480
Frank E. Scott, Vice Cmdr, Louis Hagen Post 340
William H. Thompson, Vice Cmdr, Porterville Post 20
Joseph Aug.ine, Vice Cmdr, South Gate Post 335
Frank N. Rose, Vice Cmdr, Riverside Post 79
Sidney L. Gelber(resigned), Vice Cmdr, Los Feliz Post 527
Irving Cohen (cmlplet'd term), Vice Cmdr, Al Jolson Post 522
Virginia Pierce Doan, Vice Cmdr, Virginia Boden Post 718
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Long Beach, June 29-July 2, 1961

Department Officials, 1960-1961

John R. Hann, Commander, Merced Post 83
Jack A. Stockman, Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Rev. James J. Kelly, S. J., Chaplain, Mono Basin Post 672
Allan F. Daily Jr., Judge Advocate, Glendale Post 127
Pete Hegre, Sgt-at-Arms, Municipal Post 429
John J. Flynn, NEC, Vallejo Post 104
Louis L. Fitcher, Alternate NEC, Tom Mix Post 583
Rachel Baker Robinson, Historian, Orange Co. Women's Post 768
Peter Benton, Vice Cmdr, George W. Manhart Post 391
Robert E. Saelens, Vice Cmdr, San Francisco Post 1
George Meinke, Vice Cmdr, Inyo Post 118
Alfred F. Mazzie, Vice Cmdr, East Los Angeles Post 323
W. K. Barker, Vice Cmdr, Chula Vista Post 434
James C. Selover; Vice Cmdr, Santa Barbara Post 49
Justine Werner, Vice Cmdr, Encino Post 582
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: Fresno, June 28-July 1, 1962

Department Officials, 1961-1962

Roscoe T. Morse, Commander, North Island Service Post 753
Jack A. Stockman, Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Fay K. Emmons, Chaplain, San Clemente Post 423
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Charles Schleppey, Sgt-at-Arms, Echo Park Post 414
John J. Flynn, National Executive. Committeeman, Vallejo Post 104
Louis L. Fitcher, Alternate NEC, Tom Mix Post 583
Juanita Wright, Historian, Dr. Albert Solland Post 750
Howard Owens, Vice Cmdr, Lewis White Post 76
Harry Stanley, Vice Cmdr, San Carlos Post 585
Harry Dennis, Vice Cmdr, Fresno Federal Post 509
Alex Kahanowicz, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles City Hall Post 387

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Cruz Sandoval, Vice Cmdr, Placentia Post 277
Marvln Avery, Vice Cmdr, East Pasadena Post 280
Karen Fuller, Vice Cmdr, Jane Delano Post 235
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: San Bernardino, June 27-30, 1963
Department Officials, 1962-1963
A. Lee Oder, Commander, Berkeley Post 7
Jack A. Stockman, Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Rabbi Samuel W. Chomsky, D. d., Chaplain, Triangle Post 670
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
T. V. Jones, Sgt-at-Arms, Theodore Roosevelt Post 21
Roscoe T. Morse, NEC, North Island Service Post 753
Howard Owens, Alternate NEC, Lewis White Post 76
Natalie Harper, Historian, Gonzales Post 81
N. C. Betts, Vice Cmdr, Shasta Post 197
Arthur C. Ames, Vice Cmdr, San Leandro Post 117
A. W. Arbogast, Vice Cmdr, Ed Stewart Post 803
Rollo Bennett, Vice Cmdr, South Gate Post 335
Russell Wood, Vice Cmdr, Rim of the World Post 360
Roy E. Armstrong, Vice Cmdr, Glendale Post 127
Syble L. Belden, Vice Cmdr, San Bernardino Post 14
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Sacramento, June 25-28, 1964
Department Officials, 1963-1964
William K. Kreitz Jr., Commander, Inglewood Post 188
Jack A. Stockman, Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Dr. Robert Ziegler, Chaplain, Musicians Post 424
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Clark Ed Cook Jr., Sgt-at-Arms, Chatsworth Post 622
Roscoe T. Morse, NEC, North Island Service Post 753
Howard Owens, Alternate NEC, Lewis White Post 76
Merle M. Birnie Trobough, Historian, George W. Manhart Post 391
Homer L. Vincent, Vice Cmdr, Thomas Tucker Post 204
Richard H. Mibach, Vice Cmdr, Golden Gate Post 40
Chattie E. Cook, Vice Cmdr, Rex Ish Post 88
Thomas Pope, Vice Cmdr, William Charles Orr Jr. Post 120
Charles H. Sharp, Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
Charles K. Wright, Vice Cmdr, Will Rogers Post 539
Helen Campbell, Vice Cmdr, Redwood City Post 105
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: San Diego, June 24-27, 1965
Department Officials, 1964-1965
Harry C. Dennis, Commander, Fresno Federal Post 509
Jack A. Stockman, Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Rev. LeRoy Nattress, Chaplain, Inglewood Post 188
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Ralph Neusius, Sgt-at-Arms George I. Houx, Post 515
A. Lee Oder, NEC, Berkeley Post 7
Norman M. "Pat" Lyon, Alternate NEC, Aviators Post 350"
Florence E. Land, Historian, Santa Monica Women's Post 704
William E. Bluett, Vice Cmdr, Yuba-Sutter Post 42
Bradley J. Stephens, Vice Cmdr, Palo Alto Post 375
Jesse F. McCarty, Vice Cmdr, Fellows Post 63
John B. Hanson, Vice Cmdr, L. A. Water & Power Post 342
Lloyd Higginson, Vice Cmdr, Perris Post 595
Donald W. Foote, Vice Cmdr, Ventura Post 339
Sophronia J. Miller, Vice Cmdr, Frank J. Gard Post 153
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Bakersfield, June 23-26, 1966
Department Officials, 1965-1966
Sam Gray, Commander, Frank J. Irwin State Post 547

Jack A. Stockman, Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Rev. David H. Romeis, Chaplain, Walnut Creek Post 115
Edward M. Jaffa, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
Clifton Coleman, Sgt-at-Arms, Carl R. Meairs Post 289
A. Lee Oder, NEC, Berkeley Post 7
Norman M. "Pat" Lyon, Alternate NEC, Aviators Post 350"
Franklin Azbill, Historian, Board of Education Post 413
William E. Wagner, Vice Cmdr, Twin Cities Post 313
Dean Harper, Vice Cmdr, Gonzales Post 81
T. Eugene Barrows, Vice Cmdr, Mt. Whitney Post 265
Ernest J. Wheeler Sr., Vice Cmdr, South Gate Post 225
Ernest A. Smith, Vice Cmdr, La Mesa Post 282
James A. Gilbert, Vice Cmdr, Pasadena Post 13
Persis A. Stanley, Vice Cmdr, Mill Valley Post 284
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: San Diego, June 25-28, 1967
Department Officials, 1966-1967
Edward J. Sharkey, Commander, Golden Gate Post 40
Jack A. Stockman (resigned), Adjutant, Livingston Post 728
Frank L. Remsnyder (cimplet'd term), Adjutant, Parkside Post No 505
Rt. Rev. Michael F. Cooney, Chaplain, Chino Post 299
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
Gilbert Sutherland, Sgt-at-Arms, Albany Post 292
William K. Kreitz Jr., NEC, Inglewood Post 188
Anthony L. Visco, Alternate NEC, Harding Post 161
Richard M. Miehling, Historian, Wilkins Post 37
Andrew P. Salontai, Vice Cmdr, Haggin Grant Post 521
W. B. Nola, Vice Cmdr, Harding Post 161
Milton L. Randolph, Vice Cmdr, Fresno Post 607
Nathan Sommer, Vice Cmdr, East Los Angeles Post 323
Frank Mason, Vice Cmdr, Fullerton Post 142
Ed M. Washington Jr., Vice Cmdr, York Valley Post 726
Edith W. Quinn, Vice Cmdr, San Diego Women's Post 451
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Fresno, June 23-26, 1968
Department Officials, 1967-1968
Harold E. Heinly, Commander, Santa Ana Post 131
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
William A. Bigby Jr., Chaplain, State Center Post 511
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
Charles M. Meech, Sgt-at-Arms, Kenneth L. Blanchard Post 255
William K. Kreitz Jr., NEC, Inglewood Post 188
Anthony L. Visco, Alternate NEC, Hardin Post 161
Anna T. Brown, Historian, Santa Monica Women's Post 704
James H. Cruse, Vice Cmdr, Walker Bailey Post 205
Theo Mainaris, Vice Cmdr, Emil J. Nelson Jr. Post 590
Frank H. Machado, Vice Cmdr, McFall-Grisham Post 249
Marcus Muskat, Vice Cmdr, Echo Park Post 414
Eugene Chisam, Vice Cmdr, Ontario Post 112
Cecil L. Bandy, Vice Cmdr, East Hollywood Post 526
Natalie Harper, Vice Cmdr, Gonzales Post 81
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: San Diego, June 22-25, 1969
Department Officials, 1968-1969
Bradley J. Stephens, Commander, Palo Alto Post 375
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
Dr. Lewis G. Hunte, Chaplain, Leyte Post 625
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
Chester D. Smith, Sgt-at-Arms, San Anselmo Post 179
Leo W. Crawford, NEC, Redwood City Post 105

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James P. Bradley, Alternate NEC, Hollywood Post 43
Hope Kennedy, Historian, San Francisco Post 1
Carl H. Johnson, Vice Cmdr, Ross Neilson Post 122
Frank E. Gomes, Vice Cmdr, San Mateo Post 82
Arthur Casaretto, Vice Cmdr, Livingston Post 378
Stephen S. Byko, Vice Cmdr, Teddy's Rough Riders Post 516
Aubrey Garner, Vice Cmdr, Brawley Post 60
Clyde Cox, Vice Cmdr, Pismo Beach Post 727
Josephine Hindle, Vice Cmdr, Hollywood Women's Post 185
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Sacramento, June 25-28, 1970

Department Officials, 1969-1970

James A. Gilbert, Commander, Pasadena Post 13
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
Rev. Primus Bennett, Chaplain, Rex Ish Post 88
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
Robert F. Willey, Sgt-at-Arms, Costa Mesa Post 455
Leo Crawford, NEC, Redwood City Post 195
James P. Bradley, Alternate NEC, Hollywood Post 43
Harry Miya, Historian, Miracle Mile Post 693
Tommy K. Merino, Vice Cmdr, Indian Valley Post 568
Charles A. Lindh, Vice Cmdr, Albany Post 929
Donald Ray Prewer, Vice Cmdr, Charter Oak Post 743
Marvin E. Jones, Vice Cmdr, South Bay Post 184
Hubert Bernard, Vice Cmdr, Jack Bender Memorial Post 394
John M. Garis, Vice Cmdr, West Covina Post 790
Mae Mitchell, Vice Cmdr, Capital City Women's Post 389
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Los Angeles, June 24-27, 1971

Department Officials, 1970-1971

Andrew P. Salontai, Commander, Haggin-Grant Post 521
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
Rabbi Pincus Goodblatt, Chaplain, Granada Hills Post 829
William A. White, Judge Advocate, Insurance Post 404
Orencio Perez, Sgt-at-Arms, Seaside Post 591
James A. Gilbert, NEC, Pasadena Post 13
Bradley J. Stephens, Alternate NEC, Palo Alto Post 375
J. J. Bettencourt, Historian, Manual M. Lopes Post 240
Harold F. Arnold, Vice Cmdr, Sutter Post 705
Richard J. Spence, Vice Cmdr, Southern Pacific Post 412
Vincent J. Taylor, Vice Cmdr, John Armitage Post 684
William E. Wascher, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles City Hall Post 387
Glenn H. Murphy, Vice Cmdr, Studio City Post 467
Anne Dougherty, Vice Cmdr, Studio City Post 467
Bertha Burr" Ellwood, Vice Cmdr, Studio City Post 467"
Lewis Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16

Department Convention: San Jose, June 22-25, 1972

Department Officials, 1971-1972

Cecil L. Bandy, Commander, East Hollywood Post 526
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
Aug. J. Taylor, Chaplain, Naval Supply Post 695
John B. Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
E.D. Martinez, Sgt-at-Arms, Florence Post 30
James A. Gilbert, NEC, Pasadena Post 13
Bradley J. Stephens, Alternate NEC, Palo Alto Post 375
Evelyn Hart Wallace, Historian, Memory Post 399
William R. Williams, Vice Cmdr, Rago Christopher Post 165
Bernard L. Weddel, Vice Cmdr, Willow Glen Post 318
E. C. Brady, Vice Cmdr, Fresno Police Post 607
Alfred Diaz, Vice Cmdr, South Gate Post 335

Ernest E. McAvan, Vice Cmdr, Anaheim Post 72
Donald M. Lindsay, Vice Cmdr, Palisades Post 283
Norie White, Vice Cmdr, Merced Post 83
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Anaheim, June 21-24, 1973

Department Officials, 1972-1973

Milton L. Randolph, Commander, Fresno Police Post 607
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
Rev. Robert Juergens, Chaplain, Arthur L. Peterson Post 27
John B. Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Allen Guthrie, Sgt-at-Arms, Haggin Grant Post 521
Bradley J. Stephens, NEC, Palo Alto Post 375
Donald W. Foote, Alternate NEC, Ventura Post 339
Phyllis Meyer, Historian, San Fernando Post 176
James Meredith, Vice Cmdr, McClellan Post 818
Orencio Perez, Vice Cmdr, Seaside Post 591
Berton G. McColl, Vice Cmdr, Karl Ross Post 16
Robert A. Okeson, Vice Cmdr, Rivera Post 411
Duane E. Bickle, Vice Cmdr, Redlands Post 106
Elvin R. Morgan, Vice Cmdr, Santa Barbara Post 49
W. Anne Wilder, Vice Cmdr, Magella C. Mars Post 752
Lewis S. Sloneker, Rehabilitation Director, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Fresno, June 27-30, 1974

Department Officials, 1973-1974

Marvin E. Jones, Commander, South Bay Post 184
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
Rev. Wayne F. Kildall, Chaplain, Lodi Post 22
John B. Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Michael Seaton, Sgt-at-Arms, Pasadena Post 13
Bradley J. Stephens, NEC, Palo Alto Post 375
Donald W. Foote, Alternate NEC, Ventura Post 339
Dorothie M. Raymond, Historian, Capital City Women's Post 389
C. Howard Stoltz, Vice Cmdr, Walker Bailey Post 205
Anthony L. Tony" Visco, Vice Cmdr, Hardin-Nola Post 161"
Larry Frederickson, Vice Cmdr, Merced Post 83
Norman Conn, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Police Post 381
Kenneth Daniels, Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
Walter Martinez, Vice Cmdr, Borinquen Post 508
Rae Pruszynski, Vice Cmdr, Patriots Post 580

Department Convention: San Diego, June 26-29, 1975

Department Officials, 1974-1975

Bernard L. Weddel, Commander, Willow Glen Post 318
Edward J. Sharkey, Adjutant, Golden Gate Post 40
James L. Smith (complete term), Adjutant, Visalia Post 18
Rev. Karl E. Kniseley, Chaplain, Glendale Post 127
John B. Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Leroy Stumps Jr., Sgt-at-Arms, A. H. Wall Post 435
Cecil L. Bandy, NEC, East Hollywood Post 526
Milton L. Randolph, Alternate NEC, Fresno Police Post 607
Norie White, Historian, Merced Post 83
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
L. E. "Gene" Sisk, Vice Cmdr, Cheula Post 92"
Kenneth Gamblin, Vice Cmdr, Sunset Post 400
Dale F. Swan, Vice Cmdr, Sunset Post 400
Carl J. Johnson, Vice Cmdr, Magellan C. Mars Post 572
Robert J. Castillo, Vice Cmdr, Riverside Post 79
James G. Jones, Vice Cmdr, North Hollywood Post 307
E. Marjorie Smith, Vice Cmdr, Ventura Post Post 339
Department Convention: Stockton, June 24-27, 1976
Department Officials, 1975-1976
Lloyd Higginson, Commander, Riverside Post 79

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James L. Smith, Adjutant, Visalia Post 18
Rev. William A. Few, Chaplain, Bakersfield Post 26
John B. Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Robert W. Gilmore, Sgt-at-Arms, Willis A. Rowe Post 538
Cecil L. Bandy, NEC, East Hollywood Post 526
Milton L. Randolph, Alternate NEC, Fresno Police Post 607
LaReine Maxey, Historian, San Diego Post 6
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Donald V. Fitz, Vice Cmdr, Thomas Tucker Post 204
Gordon H. Yule, Sr., Vice Cmdr, Brisbane Post 473
Chester Howard, Vice Cmdr, John M. Armitage Post 684
John Hudak, Vice Cmdr, Lakewood Post 496
Henry J. Schultz, Vice Cmdr, Alvin Myo Dunn Post 365
Robert G. Jackson, Vice Cmdr, Palisades Post 293
Elsie M. Doud, Vice Cmdr, John M. Armitage Post 684
Department Convention: Palm Springs, June 23-26, 1977
Department Officials, 1976-1977
George Sinopoli, Commander, George Van Vleet Jr. Post 594
James L. Smith, Adjutant, Visalia Post 18
Rev. David H. Romeis, Chaplain, Walnut Creek Post 115
Harold E. Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Maurice Wilson, Sgt-at-Arms, Charter Oak Post 743
Bernard L. Weddel, NEC, Willow Glen Post 318
Lloyd Higginson, Alternate NEC, Riverside Post 79
Sylvia S. Hendry, Historian, San Fernando Valley Women's Post 629
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Tony M. DiPlacito, Vice Cmdr, Yuba Sutter Post 42
Wilson E. Black, Vice Cmdr, San Leandro Post 117
Bruce Thiesen, Vice Cmdr, Kingsburg Post 191
Sidney Schechter, Vice Cmdr, Allied Post 302
G. Jerry Holland, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Police Post 381
Kenneth E. Hardman, Vice Cmdr, Los Alamitos Post 716
Humphrey J. Nixon, Vice Cmdr, Santa Barbara Post 49
Margaret M. Sullivan, Vice Cmdr, San Diego Women's Post 451
Department Convention: San Mateo, June 22-25, 1978
Department Officials, 1977-1978
John B. Coman, Commander, Hollywood Post 43
James L. Smith, Adjutant, Visalia Post 18
George A. Rose, Adjutant, Alameda Post 9
Rev. Francis I. Markey, Chaplain, Monterey Bay Post 778
Harold E. Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Virgel Ryan, Sgt-at-Arms, Monterey Park Post 397
Bernard L. Weddel, NEC, Willow Glen Post 318
Lloyd Higginson, Alternate NEC, Riverside Post 79
John C. Hallyburton, Historian, Mission City Post 564
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Joe Butts, Vice Cmdr, Mare Island Navy Yard Post 550
William G. Spence, Vice Cmdr, Greater Mission Post 347
Robert K. Symons, Vice Cmdr, Karl Ross Post 16
Rex Baldwin, Vice Cmdr, Edwin T. Brown Post 268
James F. Clapperton, Vice Cmdr, San Bernardino Post 14
John W. Howard, Vice Cmdr, Arcadia Post Post 247
Dorothe M. Raymond, Vice Cmdr, Capital City Post 389
Department Convention: San Diego, June 28-July 1, 1979
Department Officials, 1978-1979
Leo P. Burke, Commander, Karl Ross Post 16
Donald J. Michalske, Adjutant, Municipal Post 429
Rev. Karl Knisely, Chaplain, Glendale Post 127
Harold E. Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Joseph A Paynter, Sgt-at-Arms, Redwood City Post 105
Donald W. Foote, NEC, Ventura Post 339

George G. Sinopoli, Alternate NEC, George Van Vleet Jr. Post 594
Daniel A. O'Brien, Historian, Karl Ross Post 16
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Clarence D. Ondler, Vice Cmdr, Charles Eggen Post 832
Frank J. Maggi, Vice Cmdr, Santa Clara Post 419
George T. Flavin, Vice Cmdr, Twain Harte Post 681
Thoms G. Juarez, Vice Cmdr, Eugene Arnold Obregon Post 804
Billie Bell, Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
Michael Millican, Vice Cmdr, Antelope Valley Post 311
Phyllis Meyer, Vice Cmdr, San Fernando Post 176
Department Convention: Pasadena, June 26-29, 1980
Department Officials, 1979-1980
Robert L. Schwartz, Commander, Morningside Park Post 398
Donald L. Michalske, Adjutant, Municipal Post 429
Carl H. Johnson, Chaplain, Ross Neilon Post 122
Dyer Pierson, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Elbert L. Roy" Brown, Sgt-at-Arms, J. B. Clark Post 149"
Donald W. Foote, NEC, Ventura Post 339
George G. Sinopoli, Alternate NEC, George Van Vleet Jr. Post 594
Adolph Binkey Jr., Historian, La Mesa Post 282
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Jay S. Overholt, Vice Cmdr, Victor Soares Post 756
Leo J. Anderson, Vice Cmdr, Seaside Post 591
Maurice Wilson, Vice Cmdr, Charter Oak Post 743
John R. Premmer, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Sheriff's Star Post 309
Robert B. Bell, Vice Cmdr, Harold W. Hyland Post 53
A. Rey" Ybarrola, Vice Cmdr, Palomar Post 531"
Lucylle R. Symons, Vice Cmdr, Karl Ross Post 16
Department Convention: Pasadena, June 25-28, 1981
Department Officials, 1980-1981
Bruce Thiesen, Commander, Kingsburg Post 191
Donald J. Michalske, Adjutant, Municipal Post 429
Rev. R. Elmer Pine, Chaplain, Beverly Hills Post 253
Harold E. Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Glen E. Cardwell, Sgt-at-Arms, Hanford Post 3
Leo P. Burke, NEC, Karl Ross Post 16
Walter Martinez, Alternate NEC, Borinquen Post 508
Ralph De la Torre, Historian, Montebello Post 272
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Randolph Scholl, Vice Cmdr, Willia Hollenbeak Post 369
Richard J. Hinkson, Vice Cmdr, Walnut Creek Post 115
Thomas J. Sweeney, Vice Cmdr, Cal City Post 476
Milton Carlson, Vice Cmdr, South Los Angeles Post 488
Dean Witty, Vice Cmdr, San Dieguito Post 416
Bernard E. Monahan, Vice Cmdr, Goleta Valley Post 610
Jean Carlson, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Women's Post 631
Department Convention: Redding, June 24-27, 1982
Department Officials, 1981-1982
John Homan, Commander, San Bernardino Post 14
Donald J. Michalske, Adjutant, Municipal Post 429
W. R. Bud" Haskins, Chaplain, Edison Post 431"
Terry McNally, Sgt-at-Arms, Antelope Valley Post 311
Leo P. Burke, NEC, Karl Ross Post 16
Walter Martinez, Alternate NEC, Borinquen Post 508
Dolores Shick, Historian, San Diego Women's Post 451
Dyer Pierson, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Andrew Steffanic, Vice Cmdr, Mighty Mountaineers Post 329
Joe Aquino, Vice Cmdr, San Francisco Post 1
Arvi Nurmi, Vice Cmdr, Reedley Post 35
John Mummert, Vice Cmdr, Montebello Post 272

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Bill Riddle, Vice Cmdr, Buena Park Post 354
Hal Barnes, Vice Cmdr, Pasadena Post 13
Lois Galvin, Vice Cmdr, John M. Armitage Post 684
Department Convention: Palm Springs, June 23-26, 1983
Department Officials, 1982-1983
Don Drumheller, Commander, Haggin Grant Post 521
Donald J. Michalske, Adjutant, Municipal Post 429
Rev. H. Marlowe Link, Chaplain, Veterans Home Post 306
Joseph Donovan, Sgt-at-Arms, Redwood City Post 105
Robert L. Schwartz, NEC, Morningside Park Post 398
Bruce Thiesen, Alternate NEC, Kingsburg Post 191
Mitsuo Sato, Historian, West Hollywood Post 405
Dyer Pierson, Judge Advocate, Berkeley, Post 7
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Edwin Bruner, Vice Cmdr, Yuba-Sutter Post 42
Joseph Paynter, Vice Cmdr, Redwood City Post 105
Donald Sherwood, Vice Cmdr, Ed Stewart Post 803
Teri Winters, Vice Cmdr, D. Albert Soiland Post 750
Norman Martinez, Vice Cmdr, Philip Marmolejo Post 650
George Widney, Vice Cmdr, Highland Park Post 206
Geraldine R. Bright, Vice Cmdr, Rancho Mirage Post 301
Department Convention: Fresno, June, 21-24, 1984
Department Officials, 1983-1984
Hal Goldman, Commander, Sepulveda Post 735
John R. Hann, Adjutant, Merced Post 83
C. P. "Charlie" Berlinger, Chaplain, Redlands Post 106"
Joseph Early, Sgt-at-Arms, Cypress Post 295
Robert L. Schwartz, NEC, Morningside Park Post 398
Bruce Thiesen, Alternate NEC, Kingsburg Post 191
Virginia Watson, Historian, Greayer Clover Post 254
Dyer Pierson, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood Bruin Post 271
Walter Gagliardo, Vice Cmdr, Sotoyome Post 111
Leroy Holland, Vice Cmdr, Albany Post 292
Richard Gandy, Vice Cmdr, Le Grand Post 660
Leonard P. Hackett, Vice Cmdr, Lennox Post 390
Harry Ram, Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
James W. Hackney, Vice Cmdr, Beverly Hills Post 253
Barbara "Chic" DeVault, Vice Cmdr, Haggin-Grant Post 521
Department Convention: San Diego, June 27-30, 1985
Department Officials, 1984-1985
Richard H. Mibach, Commander, Golden Gate Post 40
Arthur E. Jarret, Adjutant, North Island Service Post 753
Rev. David H. Romeis, Chaplain, Walnut Creek Post 115
Loyd Moon, Sgt-at-Arms, Livermore Post 47
Donald A. Drumheller, NEC, Haggin-Grant Post 521
John Homan, Alternate NEC, San Bernardino Post 14
Joe Engstrom, Historian, Richard A. Hurley, Post 825
Dyer Pierson, Judge Advocate, Berkeley Post 7
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
Homer Jordan, Vice Cmdr, Sacramento Post 61
Harold Jackson, Vice Cmdr, Parkside Post 213
Leon Morgan, Vice Cmdr, Leslie L. Robinson Post 213
Lauro Jaime, Vice Cmdr, Montebello Post 272
William J. Hoeske, Vice Cmdr, Mira Loma Post 500
Andy Kotik, Vice Cmdr, Camarillo Post 741
Elizabeth "Bessie" Wilson, Vice Cmdr, El Sereno Post 436
Department Convention: Redding, June 25-29, 1986
Department Officials, 1985-1986
James D. Welch, Commander, Hollywood Post 43
Arthur E. Jarret, Adjutant, North Island Service Post 753

Rev. David DeVault, Chaplain, Haggin-Grant Post 521
Charles "Chuck" Niemeyer, Sgt-at-Arms, Yucca Valley Post 469"
Donald A. Drumheller, NEC, Haggin-Grant Post 521
John Homan, Alternate NEC, San Bernardino Post 14
James E. Broughton, Historian, Chappie James Post 578
John B. Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
Robert Overholt, Vice Cmdr, Victor Soares Post 756
John B. Klein, Vice Cmdr, Leon Robert Post 248
Lois Galvin, Vice Cmdr, John M. Armitage Post 684
Robert Luxford, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Police Post 381
Jimmie L. Hayes, Vice Cmdr, La Mesa Post 282
Joseph Chilelli, Vice Cmdr, West Covina Post 790
Katherine "Kay" Dennis, Vice Cmdr, St. Helena Post 199
Department Convention: San Bernardino, June 25-28, 1987
Department Officials, 1986-1987
Frank H. Machado, Commander, Modesto Post 74
Arthur E. Jarret, Adjutant, North Island Service Post 753
Manny Berman, Chaplain, Reseda Post 308
Anthony J. Mullen, Sgt-at-Arms, Coastside Post 474
Lloyd Higginson, NEC, Riverside Post 79
Ed Pittson, Alternate NEC, Parkside Post 505
Arnold Dahlman, Historian, Ventura Post 339
John Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
Robert Mix, Vice Cmdr, Shasta Dam Post 720
Albert Lioi, Vice Cmdr, Seaside Post 591
Raymond Mathers, Vice Cmdr, Geoge Van Fleet Post 594
Samuel J. Wilkerson, Vice Cmdr, Fred Whitaker Post 372
Demitrio Lopez, Vice Cmdr, Anaheim Post 72
James Congdon, Vice Cmdr, Panorama City Post 817
Dolores Shick, Representing Women, San Diego Women's Post 451
Department Convention: Sacramento, June 23-26, 1988
Department Officials, 1987-1988
Mike Canales, Commander, Anaheim Post 72
Arthur E. Jarret, Adjutant, North Island Service Post 753
Richard T. Lee, Chaplain, Camarillo Post 741
Myron "Rocky" Bullard, Sgt-at-Arms, Norwalk Post 359"
Lloyd Higginson, NEC, Riverside Post 79
Ed Pittson, Alternate NEC, Parkside Post 505
Leroy S. Clavon, Historian, Jackie Robinson Post 252
John Coman, Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
George Kline, Vice Cmdr, Indian Valley Post 568
William H. Hall, Vice Cmdr, Harding Noia Post 161
Elroy Cox, Vice Cmdr, James McDermott Post 172
Werner Wolf, Vice Cmdr, James McDermott Post 172
Grace Braddock, Vice Cmdr, Hesperia Post 725
Victor Vidugiris, Vice Cmdr, Baltic Post 405
Anne Truax, Representing Women, East Bay Women's Post 379
Department Convention: Palm Springs, June 22-25, 1989
Department Officials, 1988-1989
Andrew J. Steffanic, Commander, Mighty Mountaineers Post 329
Ernest C. Leal, Adjutant, San Lorenzo Post 675
Rose Marie Sewell, Chaplain, Cpl. Marshall N. Braden Post 56
Jim Palsrok, Sgt-at-Arms, Lone Pine Post 646
Bruce Thiesen, NEC, Kingsburg Post 191
Chuck Neimeyer, Alternate NEC, Yucca Valley Post 469
Paul Mullowney, Historian, Perris Post 595
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post No.271

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Ernest C. Kenter, Vice Cmdr, Yuba Sutter Post 42
Robert Clark, Vice Cmdr, C. C. Thomas Navy Post 244
Rex Higbee, Vice Cmdr, Modesto Post 74
Art Zuhlke, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Sheriff's Star Post 309
Billie Dale, Vice Cmdr, Bombay Beach Post 801
John Fazzino, Vice Cmdr, Cpl. Marshall N. Braden Post 56
Virginia Watson, Representing Women, Greayer Clover Post 254

Department Convention: Redding, June 21-24, 1990

Department Officials, 1989-1990

Wallace W. Riddle, Commander, Garden Grove Post 286
Ernest C. Leal, Adjutant, San Lorenzo Post 675
Dr. Wayne F. Kildall, Chaplain, Lodi Post 22
Lowell Dallmann, Sgt-at-Arms, Perris Post 595
Bruce Thiesen, NEC, Kingsburg Post 191
Chuck Neimeyer, Alternate NEC, Yucca Valley Post 469
Paul O. McGinnis, Historian, Alyn W. Butler Post 169
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
William A. Conklin, Vice Cmdr, Lloyd A. Hamilton Post 540
E. Paul Terry, Vice Cmdr, Otto C. Michler Post 410
Thomas D. Dan" Hetherington, Vice Cmdr, Porterville Post 20"
Jasper Smith, Vice Cmdr, Greayer Clover Post 254
Bernard E. Foley, Vice Cmdr, Perris Post 595
Felix Nieves, Vice Cmdr, Boriquen Post 508
Lorine "Tommie" Davis, Representing Women, Salinas Post 31

Department Convention: Riverside, June 20-23, 1991

Department Officials, 1990-1991

Harold F. Arnold, Commander, Yuba/Sutter Post 42
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Post 123
Dr. Calvin Turpin, Chaplain, San Benito Post 69
Richard E. Reeder, Sgt-at-Arms, West Valley Post 158
Wallace W. Riddle, NEC, Garden Grove Post 286
Andrew J. Steffanic, Alt. NEC, Mighty Mountaineers Post 329
Joe Early, Historian, Newport Harbor Post 291
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Alvin M. Krank, Service Officer, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
Joe Gomez, Vice Cmdr, Fort Sutter Post 392
Adam Figueroa, Vice Cmdr, Piedmont Post 514
David Glover, Vice Cmdr, John M. Armitage Post 684
Fernando Soto, Vice Cmdr, Lincoln Village Post 833
Ron Hanson, Vice Cmdr, J. B. Clark Post 149
Michael Gombar, Vice Cmdr, Burbank Post 150
Rose Marie Sewell, Representing Women, Arroyo Grande Post 136

Department Convention: Fresno, June 25-28, 1992

Department Officials, 1991-1992

Alvin M. Krank, Commander, Westwood-Bruin Post 271
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Post 123
Dr. Calvin Turpin, Chaplain, San Benito Post 69
Ron Serrao, Sgt-at-Arms, Antelope Valley Post 311
Wallace W. Bill" Riddle, NEC, Garden Grove Post 286"
Andrew J. Steffanic, Alternate NEC, Mighty Mountaineer Post 329
Elmer Caster, Historian, Newhall-Saugus Post 507
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
Ted Esrey, Vice Cmdr, El Dorado Post 119,
Elbert Al" Craddick, Vice Cmdr, Mission City Post 564"
Al Shiraki, Vice Cmdr, Tollhouse Post 350
William Anderson, Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Water & Power Post 342
William Siler III, Vice Cmdr, Santa Ana Post 131
Ben Wright, Vice Cmdr, Will Rogers Post 539
Bernice Coleman, V. C. for Women, Capitol City Women's Post 389

Department Convention: Palm Springs, June 24-27, 1993

Department Officials, 1992-1993

JJ Bettencourt, Commander, Monterey Peninsula Post 41
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Dr. Oran Bollinger, Chaplain, Rex Ish Post 88
Vern Riggins, Sgt-at-Arms, State Center Post 511
Andrew Steffanic(resigned), NEC, Mighty Mountaineers Post 329
Russell Wood (cimplet'd term), NEC, RIM of the World Post 360
(4/24/93-9/1/94)
James Higuera, Historian, Arthur L. Peterson Post 27
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
David Funderburg, Vice Cmdr, Weott Post 724
Peter Gianopoulos, Vice Cmdr, Hellenic Post 230
Paul Costello, Vice Cmdr, Ed Stewart Post 803
Albert "Frenchy" Levesque, Vice Cmdr, Mar Vista Post 689
William "Willie" Wilkin, Vice Cmdr, Robert Allen Romo Post 422
Emanuel "Dusty" Rapisis, Vice Cmdr, Vandenberg Post 125
Jeanne Wood, Vice Cmdr for Women, Chino Post 299

Department Convention: Bakersfield, June 23-26, 1994

Department Officials, 1993-1994

Michael A. Gombar, Commander, Burbank Post 150
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Phil Rhoten, Chaplain, Jackie Robinson Post 252
Jerry McGroarty, Sgt-at-Arms, Mira Loma Post 500
Russell Wood, NEC, Rim of the World Post 360
Elmer Caster, Historian, Sun Valley Post 520
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
Robert E. Peterson, Vice Cmdr, Shasta Post 197
William Skinner, Vice Cmdr, Prunedale Post 593
Randy Wharton, Vice Cmdr, Merced Post 83
Carl Shasha, Vice Cmdr, Downey Post 270
Raymond Vernimme, Vice Cmdr, Bombay Beach Post 801
Eileen Krizansky, Vice Cmdr, West Covina Post 790
Juanita Fox, Vice Cmdr for Women, East Bay Women's Post 379

Department Convention: Pasadena, June 22-25, 1995

Department Officials, 1994-1995

Stan Standard, Commander, Warren McKeon Post 587
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Dr. Calvin Turpin, Chaplain, San Benito Post 69
Ernie Karim, Sgt-at-Arms, Ed Stewart Post 803
JJ Bettencourt, NEC, Monterey Peninsula Post 41
Larry Johnson, Historian, Albert J. Hickman Post 460
Harold Heinly, Judge Advocate, Santa Ana Post 131
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
Henri Sanchez, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Thomas Tucker Post 204
Kenneth Miller, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Walnut Creek Post 115
Ilo Scatena, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Bakersfield Post 26
Frank Ortiz, Area 4 Vice Comrander, Los Angeles Police Post 381
John Lea, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Owen Coffman Post 519
Cathleen Gearon, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Woodland Hills Post 826
Catherine Barttelbort, VC for Women, Arroyo Grande Post 136

Department Convention: Santa Clara, June 27-30, 1996

Department Officials, 1995-1996

Joseph O. Early, Commander, Newport Harbor Post 291
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Richard C. West, Chaplain, Larry E. Holmberg Post 731
Walter J. Quinn, Sgt-at-Arms, Panorama City Post 817
JJ Bettencourt, NEC, Monterey Peninsula Post 41
Bobby O. Mahaffey, Historian, Bakersfield Post 26

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Stan Standard, Judge Advocate, Warren McKeon Post 587
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
Charles Fitzpatrick, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Linda Post 807
Charles Oswald, Area 2 VC, Gen. Hunter Liggett 1st Army Post 510
Mark T. Keller, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Mount Whitney Post 265
Pearl E. Cooks, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Benjamin J. Bowie Post 228
Ross E. Swyers, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Imperial Beach Post 820
Arthur R. Ocampo, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Wilshire Post 319
Cynthia Nolen, Vice Cmdr for Women, Merced Post 83
Department Convention: Long Beach, June 26-29, 1997
Department Officials, 1996-1997
T. Daniel Hetherington, Commander, Porterville Post 20
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Felix S. Namocatcat, Chaplain, C. C. Thomas Navy Post 244
James J. Leyser, Sgt-at-Arms, Cecil Cox Post 147
Stan Standard, NEC, Warren McKeon Post 587
David R. Glover, Historian, John M. Armitage Post 684
James A. Gilbert, Judge Advocate, Pasadena Post 13
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
Robert S. Mattson, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Vallejo Post 104
John Pires, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Allen J. Mierly Post 666
Charles Parnell, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Lee Doyal Bicentennial Post 265
James T. Higuera, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Arthur L. Peterson Post 27
Joseph Ross, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Newport Harbor Post 291
Wilbert E. Wilson, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Cambria Post 432
Lonnie C. Johnson, Vice Cmdr for Women, Dorie Miller Post 639
Department Convention: Redding, June 25-28, 1998
Department Officials, 1997-1998
Frank C. Larson, Commander, Monterey Park Post 397
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Tom Ulrich (resigned), Chaplain, Hollywood Post 43
Janice L. Price (cmplet'd term), Chaplain, Porterville Post 20
Ralph W. Shipley, Sgt-at-Arms, Bert S. Crossland Post 170
Stan Standard, NEC, Warren McKeon Post 587
Werner Wolf, Alternate NEC, Lakewood Post 496
Marilyn F. Landis, Historian, Alvin Myo Dunn Post 365
Jack Ertola, Judge Advocate, Galileo Post 236
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Norco Post 328
Mae Mitchell, Parliamentarian, Capital City Women's Post 389
David E. Meredith, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Sacramento Post 61
Ronald A. Galvan, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, San Leandro Post 117
Floyd Martin, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Blue Mountain Post 787
Peter G. Manos, Area 4 VC, Los Angeles Sherrif's Star Post 309
John W. Bohmfalk, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Robert Allen Romo Post 422
William Krizansky, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, West Covina Post 790
Natalie J. Harper, Vice Cmdr for Women, Salinas Post 31
Department Convention: San Diego, June 24-27, 1999
Department Officials, 1998-1999
David L. Eby, Commander, Lewis White Post 76
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Tom Sarciapone, Chaplain, Napa Post 113
Wesley R. Wharton, Sgt-at-Arms, Merced Post 83
Michael Gombar, NEC, Burbank Post 150
Mae Mitchell, Alternate NEC, Capital City Women's Post 389
Kelly M. Sanders, Historian, Monterey Peninsula Post 41
Jack Ertola, Judge Advocate, Galileo Post 236
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Pacific Palisades Post 283
Richard T. Lee Jr., Parliamentarian, Camarillo Post 741
Earl H. Chinnock, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Rocklin Post 620
Emmott A. Sharp, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Mission City Post 564
Anthony S. Dias, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Modesto Post 74

Robert C. Brown Jr., Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Jackie Robinson Post 252
Ray A. White, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Bradley Keffer Post 138
Elmer L. Caster, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Sun Valley Post 520
Joanne H. Evans, Vice Cmdr for Women, Perris Post 595
Department Convention: Fresno, June 15-18, 2000
Department Officials, 1999-2000
William 'Willy' Wilkin, Commander, Robert Allen Romo Post 422
Charles T. Allemann, Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Tom Sarciapone, Chaplain, Napa Post 113
Robert W Pierce, Sgt-at-Arms, Chino Post 299
Michael Gombar, NEC, Burbank Post 150
Mae Mitchell, Alternate NEC, Capital City Women's Post 389
Charles Wendt, Historian, Modesto Post 74
John W. Erpelding, Judge Advocate Pacific Palisades Post 283
W D Weigand Jr., Asst Judge Advocate, Willis A. Rowe Post 538
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Pacific Palisades Post 283
Richard T. Lee Jr., Parliamentarian, Camarillo Post 741
Jerry R Greer, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Walker Bailey Post 205
Jack G Trad, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Golden Gate Post 40
Jack D Price, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Porterville Post 20
Leroy E Spann, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Norwalk Post 359
Robert L. Avery, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Mira Loma 500
Robert J Jacobs, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Santa Monica Post 123
Ruth Cameron, Vice Cmdr for Women, Yuba-Sutter Post 42
Department Convention: Riverside, June 21-24, 2001
Department Officials, 2000-2001
Floyd Martin, Commander, Amador Post 108
Charles T Allemann Adjutant, Santa Monica Bay Cities Post 123
Richard T Lee, Chaplain, Camarillo Post 741
Charles E Williams, Sgt-at-Arms, Richmond Post 10
Thomas D Hetherington, NEC, Portaville Post 20
Elmer L Caster, Alternate NEC, Sun Valley Post 520
George E Briggs, Historian, James Darmott Post 172
John W. Erpelding, Judge Advocate Pacific Palisades Post 283
W D Weigand Jr., Asst Judge Advocate, Willis A. Rowe Post 538
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Pacific Palisades Post 283
Michael A Gombar, Parliamentarian, Burbank Post 150
Ronald R Anders, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Chuela Post 92
Charles M Eskridge, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Monterey-Cypress Post 694
Lois Galvin, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, John M Armitage Post 684
Walter E Cleveland, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, LA Post Office Post 653
Edward C Landis, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Alvin Mya Dunn Post 365
Roy L Nichols, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Camarillo Post 741
Marian F Landis, Vice Cmdr for Women, Alvin Mya Dunn Post 365
Department Convention: Bakersfield, June 20-23, 2002
Department Officials, 2001-2002
Ronald J Hanson, Commander, J. B. Clark Post 149
William T Mayer, Adjutant, Haggin-Grant Post 521
Rev H Marlowe Link, Chaplain, Vet's Home Post 306
Lawrence J Johnson, Sgt-at-Arms, Albert J Hickman Post 460
Thomas D Hetherington, NEC, Porterville Post 20
Elmer L Caster, Alternate NEC, Sun Valley Post 520
John M Lighthill Jr, Historian, J. B. Clark Post 149
John W. Erpelding, Judge Advocate Pacific Palisades Post 283
W D Weigand Jr., Asst Judge Advocate, Willis A. Rowe Post 538
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Pacific Palisades Post 283
Michael A Gombar, Parliamentarian, Burbank Post 150
Dennis J Sutton, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Thomas Tucker Post 204
John A O'Leary, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Louis Hagen Post 340
Kenneth D Shanklin, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Cecil Cox Post 147
S Wayne Parrish, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Venice Post 177

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Howard L Darter, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Newport Harbor Post 291
Frank A Wolfskill, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, El Monte Post 261
Janice L Price, Vice Cmdr for Women, Porterville Post 20

Department Convention: Riverside June 19-22, 2003

Department Officials, 2002-2003

Charles L Parnell, Cmdr., Lee E Doyal Bicentennial Post 159
William T Mayer, Adjutant, Haggin Grant Post 521
Willy Wilkin, NEC, Robert Allen Romo post 422
John O'Leary, Alt. NEC., Dewitt C Mitchell Post 201
John W Erpelding, Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
W D Weigand Jr, Asst Judge Advocate, Willis A Rowe Post 538
Everett Maguire, Asst Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
Clare McGhan, Chaplain, Cecil Cox Post 147
Nile Creacy, Historian, Hollywood Post 43
Roger Baldwin, Sgt-at-Arms, Madera Post 11
Charles Eskridge, Parliamentarian, Monterey-Cypress Post 694
Terry Tracy, Service Officer, Palisades Post 283
Charles P Wendt, CA Leg., Modesto Post 74
Raymond Untiet, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Paradise Post 259
Jerry Wilcox, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Redwood City Post 105
John Borders, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, McFall Grisham Post 249
Gary McCracken, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Houghton Park Post 560
Phil Heller, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Redlands Post 106
Walter "Sunny" Quinn, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Panorama Post 817
Marilyn Rideaux, Vice Cmdr. Rep. Women, Jackie Robinson 252

Department Convention: Redding, June 17-20, 2004

Department Officials, 2003-2004

James W Hackney, Cmdr., Beverly Hills Post 253
William T Mayer, Adjutant, Haggin Grant Post 521
Willy Wilkin, NEC, Robert Allen Romo Post 422
John O'Leary, Alt. NEC, Louis Hagen Post 340
Everett W Maguire, Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
John W Erpelding, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
Steven C Weber, Chaplain, S. Oxnard Post 48
Walter Sunny" Quinn, Historian, Panorama City Post 817"
DeForeest B Wright Jr, Sgt-at-Arms, Will Rogers Post 539
Jack L Climer, Parliamentarian, Cecil Cox Post 147
Terry N Tracy, Service Officer, Palisades Post 283
Alfred E Menshew, CA Leg., Modesto Post 74
Mark A Foxworthy, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, St. Helena Post 199
Newman Rebell Jr, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Navel Supply Post 695
Charles P Wendt, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Modesto Post 74
Thomas W Walsh, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Post 8
Heywood Bell, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Boyce Aten Post 25
Eric W Measles, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Palisades Post 283
Janet M Wilson, Vice Cmdr. Rep. Women, Harding-Noia Post 161

Department Convention: Palm Springs June 23-26, 2005

Department Officials, 2004-2005

Fred J Walton, Cmdr., Theodore Roosevelt Post 21
William T Mayer, Adjutant, Haggin Grant Post 521
Floyd Martin, NEC, Amador Post 108
Edward C Landis, Alt. NEC, J.B.Clark Post 149
Jack L Climer, Judge Advocate, Cecil Cox Post 147
Everett W Maguire, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
John W Erpelding, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
William J Reed, Chaplin, West Covina Post 790
Bud Simmons, Historian, Theodore Roosevelt Post 21
Benjamin A Kepaa, Sergeant-at-Arms, Linda Post 807
Howard L Darter Jr, Parliamentarian, H.A. McNamara Post 29
Terry N Tracy, Service Officer, Palisades Post 283
Alfred E Menshew, CA Rep.Leg., Modesto Post 74

Robert F Munroe, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Sacramento Post 61
Ralph W Jacob Jr, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Santa Clara Post 419
Bobby O Mahaffey, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Bakersfield Post 26
William C Johnson, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Jackie Robinson Post 252
Joanne H Evans, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Perris Post 595
Richard A Hiser, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Walter Ski Gamulski Post 482
G Patricia Jackson, V. Cmdr Rep. Women, Jackie Robinson Post 252

Department Convention: Fresno June 22-25, 2006

Department Officials, 2005-2006

S Wayne Parrish, Cmdr, Venice Post 177
William T Mayer, Adjutant, Haggin Grant Post 521
Floyd Martin, NEC, Amador Post 108
Edward C Landis, Alt. NEC, J.B.Clark Post 149
Jack L Climer, Judge Advocate, Cecil Cox Post 147
Everett W Maguire, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
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Marilyn E Rideaux, Historian, Jackie Robinson Post 252
James T Higuera, Sergeant-at-Arms, Downey Post 270
Howard L Darter Jr, Parliamentarian, H.A.McNamara Post 29
Terry N Tracy, Service Officer, Palisades Post 283
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Courtland D Bradbury, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, R W Townsend Post 84
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Henry Pacheco, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Wilmington Post 287
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Department Convention: Palm Springs June 21-24, 2007

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Charlie M Eskridge, Cmdr, Monterey-Cypress Post 694
William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
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Wesley R Wharton, Alt NEC, Merced Post 83
Jack L Climer, Judge Advocate, Cecil Cox Post 147
Everett W Maguire, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
Richard T Lee Jr, Chaplain, Camarillo Post 741
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Edward M Alvarez, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Placentia Post 277
Lawrence Van Kuran, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Woodland Hills Post 826
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Department Convention: Bakersfield June 19-22, 2008

Department Officials, 2007-2008

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William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
James W Hackney, NEC, Beverly Hills Post 253
Wesley R Wharton, Alt NEC, Merced Post 83
Jack L Climer, Judge Advocate, Cecil Cox Post 147
Everett W Maguire, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
Paul C Rodriguez, Chaplain, Carmel Post 512
Raymond C Baxter, Historian, Richard M Nixon Post 679
Dennis L Fercho, Sgt-at-Arms, Camarillo Post 741
Charles A Waters, Parliamentarian, Fresno Post 4

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Terry N Tracy, Service Officer, Palisades Post 283
Alfred E Menshew, CA Leg., Modesto Post 74
Glen A Mayer, Area 1 V.Cmdr, Glenn L Wilson Sr, Seawolf Post 746
Laurence Kahn, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Lafayette Post 517
Kenneth A Kramlich, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Lodi Post 22
Roy C Allen, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Jackie Robinson Post 252
Joseph A Garcia, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Fontana Post 262
James N Creacy, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Hollywood Post 43
Diana L Drake, Vice Cmdr Rep Women, Idyllwild Post 800

Department Convention: Riverside June 18-21, 2009

Department Officials, 2008-2009

Alan C Lennox, Cmdr, Amador Post 108
William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
Fred J Walton, NEC, Theodore Roosevelt Post 21
Roy L Nichols, Alt NEC, Camarillo Post 741
Charles A Waters, Judge Advocate, Fresno Post 4
Everett W Maguire, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
Henry J Hicks, Chaplain, West Covina Post 790
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Norm G Clendenin, Sgt-at-Arms, Tehachapi Post 221
William J Reed, Parliamentarian, West Covina Post 790
Terry N Tracy, Service Officer, Palisades Post 283
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Steven M Hooper, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Linda Post 807
Allan D Hale, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Pacifica Post 238
Bill L Dacus, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Merced Post 83
Joe Gonzales, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Whittier Post 51
Lee A Quarcelino, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Brawley Post 60
Charles A Overkleeft, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Simi Valley Post 484
Sheryl D Palsrok, Vice Cmdr Rep Women, Lone Pine Post 646

Department Convention: Fresno June 24-27, 2010

Department Officials, 2009-2010

Dennis L. Fercho, Cmdr, Camarillo Post 741
William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
Fred J Walton, NEC, Theodore Roosevelt Post 21
Roy L Nichols, Alt NEC, Camarillo Post 741
Charles A Waters, Judge Advocate, Fresno Post 4
Everett W Maguire, Asst. Judge Advocate, Palisades Post 283
Joseph A. Garcia, Chaplain, Fontana Post 262
Steven C Weber, Historian, Oxnard 48
Marilyn E Rideaux, Sgt-at-Arms, Jackie Robinson Post 252
Janet M Wilson, Parliamentarian, Harding-Noia Post 161
Scott F McKee, Service Officer, Santa Ana Post 131
Peter M Conaty, CA Leg., Amador Post 108
Kevin E Kilkenny, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Dixon Post 208
Dennis L Matarrese, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, San Leandro Post 117
Juan P Lopez, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Terra Bella Post 779
Hugh E Crooks Jr, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Los Angeles Post 8
Diana L Drake, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Idyllwild Post 800
Steve Turley, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Charles P Rowe Post 30

Department Convention: Ontario June 23-26, 2011

Department Officials, 2010-2011

Mark Foxworthy, Cmdr, St. Helena Post 199
William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
Edward C Landis, NEC, J.B. Clark Post 149
David L Eby, Alt NEC, Hopland Post 529
Charles A Waters, Judge Advocate, Fresno Post 4
John Bartos, Asst. Judge Advocate, Anthony L. Oneto Post 812
John H Aldridge, Chaplain, Reams Post 182
Kevin E Kilkenny, Historian, Dixon Post 208
Joseph F Handy, Sgt-at-Arms, Richard W. Townsend Post 84

Alan C Lennox, Parliamentarian, Amador Post 108
Scott F McKee, Service Officer, Santa Ana Post 131
Peter M Conaty, CA Leg., Amador Post 108
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Ted Pasnak, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, City Service Post 537
Larry E. Wible, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Highland Park Post 206

Department Convention: Redding June 21-24, 2012

Department Officials, 2011-2012

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William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
Edward C Landis, NEC, J.B. Clark Post 149
David L Eby, Alt NEC, Hopland Post 529
John Bartos, Judge Advocate, Anthony L. Oneto Post 812
Floyd L. Farano, Asst. Judge Advocate, Placencia Post 277
Phillip H Heller, Chaplain, Redlands Post 106
Joseph A.Garcia, Historian, Fontana Post 262
Edward J Grimsley, Sgt-at-Arms, Dennis T Williams Post 310
Howard L Darter Jr, Parliamentarian, Newport Harbor Post 291
Scott F McKee, Service Officer, Santa Ana Post 131
Peter M Conaty, CA Leg., Amador Post 108
Joseph F Handy, Area 1 Vice Cmdr, Auburn Post 84
Paul C Rodriguez, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, Carmel Post 512
James Leyser, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Clovis Post 147
Art Castro, Area 4 Vice Cmdr, Whittier Post 51
T. Robert Carolan, Area 5 Vice Cmdr, Newport Harbor Post 291
Robert K Ryan, Area 6 Vice Cmdr, Pacific Palisades Post 283

Department Convention: Palm Springs June 27-30, 2013

Department Officials, 2012-2013

Ken Kramlich, Cmdr, Lodi Post 11
William Siler iii, Adjutant, Orange Post 132
Alan C Lennox, NEC, Amador Post 108
Robert C. Brown Jr., Alt NEC, Jackie Robinson Post 252
T Robert Carolan, Judge Advocate, Newport Harbor Post 291
James N. Creacy, Asst. Judge Advocate, Hollywood Post 43
Jeffrey Seaton, Asst. Judge Advocate, Amador Post 108
Rev. Earl L. Frazier, Chaplain,
Joseph F. Handy, Historian, Haggin Grant Post 521
Anthony N. Guerrero, Sgt-at-Arms, Clovis Cecil Cox Post 147
Garry Leach, Parliamentarian, Yolo Post 77
Scott F McKee, Service Officer, Santa Ana Post 131
Peter M Conaty, CA Leg., Amador Post 108
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Gregory Corrales, Area 2 Vice Cmdr, San Francisco Police Post 456
Richard L. Kearns, Area 3 Vice Cmdr, Karl Ross Post 16
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CHICAGO, Illinois (May 2, 2014) - The Board of Directors of the Legionnaire Insurance Trust (LIT) held their forty-ninth annual meeting on April 15, 2014 in Scottsdale, Arizona. Forty-seven of the forty-nine participating Departments – state organizations of The American Legion – were represented at the meeting.

Since its inception in 1966, the LIT has returned around one billion dollars in benefits to insured Legion families and over \$71,000,000 to the participating Departments for their use in areas such as veterans’ affairs & rehabilitation.

This year, the Board met to receive the financial report for the past year, and to distribute nearly \$2.5 million to participating departments. The report outlined both the 2013 activities and 2014 plans on behalf of the Trust and introduced the proposed changes and additions to the Trust’s portfolio of products. Additionally, Board officers were elected for the coming year.

The Board Meeting also included a new award presented by the agent/administrator – AGIA Affinity Services – the John J. “Jack” Flynn Trophy to honor the Department that excelled in promoting the programs and services of the Legionnaire Insurance Trust in the prior year. Jack Flynn was the founding Chairman of the LIT and served in that capacity until his passing in February 2013. The 2013 winner of the Jack Flynn Trophy was the Department of Iowa. Iowa will hold the Trophy until the April 2015 Board Meeting.

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1973-74



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2000-01
PCC of CA State President
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W.R. "Randy" Wharton
Department VC Area 3
1993-94
Department Sgt-at-Arms
1998-99
Alternate NEC 2006-08



Resolution

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, the Great Commander, to summon to the immortal legions our beloved past department commanders, and

Whereas, We humbly bow to the will of Devine Providence, while ever cherishing in our hearts the memory of distinguished service to our country and outstanding contributions to American Legion comradeship; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Department of California of The American Legion does mourn the passing of our comrades that we commend to all the works, and to God the Spirit; and be it further

Resolved, That in token of our common grief, that our business sessions duly convened at the Department Convention in Santa Clara be dedicated to their memory.



O Lord, you have showed us that death is but the gateway to a more glorious life and that we must not fear its coming; and we know, also, that neither life nor death can separate us from your love. Assure us yet again that our departed comrades are not lost to us, but sharing new life with you in the kingdom of our Father, where we shall in your good time be reunited.

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