



HEADQUARTERS  
4TH DISTRICT  
DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE U.S.

GENERAL ORDER NO. 1

1 July 2018

1. Having been elected and duly installed as Commander of the 4th District, Department of North Carolina, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, and in accordance with the Congressional Charter and By - Laws of same, I do hereby assume command.

2. The 4th District elected and appointed officers, and chairpersons are as follows:

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3. District Officers, elected and appointed are required to submit proof of eligibility to the District Adjutant within sixty (60) days of their election or appointment in accordance with Section 414 of the National By-

laws. In the event that any officer fails to submit the required proof, any right of the officer to hold office shall be forfeited and the office declared vacant.

4. Each Post Commander will be appointed as a committee chairperson, as listed above. Your committee will be ALL members of your post.

5. All posts will submit their District Dues to the District Commander/Inspector during the first Canteen Inspection of the VFW year. Dues are \$.40 per member, based on their final 2017-2018 membership totals. For Posts with less than fifty members, the minimum dues are \$10.00. **PROMPTNESS WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED.**

6. All Posts operating canteens will immediately submit the annual fee of \$50.00 to the Commander/Inspector during the first Canteen Inspection of the VFW year, in accordance with Article XVI, Section 2 of the Department By-laws. Enter "Canteen Fees" in the "for" line of your check.

7. Quartermaster Bonds will be prepared and submitted to the District Commander/Inspector during the first canteen inspection of the VFW year.

8. Section 223 of the Manual of Procedure directs each Post to make arrangements for the observation of Memorial Day, POW/MIA Day, Veterans Day, Flag Day and Loyalty Day. Furthermore, all Posts are encouraged to commemorate other dates as specified in the ritual.

9. The Post Adjutant/Quartermaster Operation manual contains a copy of the Post inspection report. Post Commanders are directed to insure that their Adjutant, Quartermaster and Trustees are fully aware of the requirements of the Post Inspection report and are prepared for inspection. If any problems are encountered, Post Commanders are instructed to contact the District Commander prior to their scheduled inspection date. A list of areas to be inspected will be furnished to each Post Commander under separate cover to assist the Posts in preparing for their inspection. Inspection of Canteen and Bingo records is the responsibility of the District Inspectors and requires the availability of these records for inspection.

10. The attention of the Post Commanders is directed to Section 218 of the Manual of Procedure, Duties of Trustees. Trustee Audit reports must be completed in detail at the close of each quarter. Only duly elected Trustees may sign the Audit Reports. At least two trustees are required to conduct and sign the audit. Commanders are reminded that all funds are to be under the custody and control of the Post Quartermaster. Persons other than the Post Quartermaster who handle Post funds such as the Club/Canteen Manager, Bingo Chairperson or other committee chairpersons are responsible to the Post to maintain accurate records and accounts and shall be properly bonded. All quarterly Audits are due to the District Commander no-later-than the 30<sup>th</sup> of the month after quarter ends (Apr/Jul/Oct/Jan).

11. The District School of Instruction will be hosted by Post 9960, Swansboro, NC on 21 July 2018, 10am – 3pm. Attendance is highly encouraged that Post Commanders, Quartermasters, Trustees, elected/appointed officers and committee chairpersons, and members of each post attend the training.

12. The Department will be conducting a Flying Squadron (training) it will be hosted by Post 9960, Swansboro, NC on 4 August 2018, 10am – 3pm. Attendance is highly encouraged that Post Commanders, Quartermasters, Trustees, elected/appointed officers and committee chairpersons, and members of each post attend the training, However Each Post is required to send at least one Comrade.

13. The Fall District meeting will be hosted by Post 11119 Vanceboro, NC on 23 September 2018. Post Commanders (or their representative), elected/appointed officers and committee chairpersons are required by their position to attend, members of each post are encouraged to attend the meeting.

14. The deadline for submitting entries for the District Buddy Poppy King and Queen competitions are 31 August 2018. Post Commanders are reminded that in addition to the essay, contestants must have participated in a Buddy Poppy activity. This can include participation in a Buddy Poppy fund drive, decorations involving Buddy Poppies for a Post function, or other Post activities involving the use of Buddy Poppies.

15. Entries for the District Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen Essay contests are due to their respective district chairmen NLT 15 November 2018.

16. Entries for the District Teacher of the Year contests are due to their respective district chairmen NLT 15 November 2018.

17. Post Commanders are reminded that the District Commander is in their immediate chain of command. Posts experiencing problems are instructed to address their issues to the District.

18. Post who do not have a newsletter, have no way of keeping their members informed, this results in poor attendance at meetings and Post events. Please contact me if you need assistance starting one up.


19. I look forward to planning and working jointly with each post in the District It is an honor and a privilege to have been elected as your District Commander.



OFFICIAL

  
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ADJUTANT

BY ORDER OF

  
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COMMANDER