

GENERAL ORDER #1  
2020-2021 Series

July 1, 2019

TO BE READ AT A REGULAR MEETING AND FILED:

1. Having been duly elected and installed, I hereby assume command.
2. All previous appointments are declared null and void.
3. The following officers having been duly elected, and installed are entitled to all the courtesies of their office.

Sr. Vice Commander	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
Jr. Vice Commander	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
Quartermaster	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
Chaplain	Rex Smith	Post 10626
Judge Advocate	Ronald Ballard	Post 1383
Surgeon	Dale Pack	Post 2666
Jr. Past Commander	John Wrinkle	Post 4108

DISTRICT COMMANDERS:

District #2	Albert Little	Post 10580
District #3	Dale Guldenzopf	Post 4248
District #4	Bill Wilson	Post 965
District #5	Marell Waters	Post 1383
District #6	Jerry Hunter	Post 3048
District #7	Charles Delore	Post 2302
District #8	Rich Halverson	Post 922
District #9	Ken Smith	Post 3232
District #10	Joseph Steller	Post 4108
District #12	Mike Eakin	Post 2468
District #13	Bob Beck	Post 4039
District #14	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
District #15	David Lowe	Post 180
District #16	Michael Nolen	Post 4211

4. I hereby appoint the following officers and chairmen to begin function immediately:

Adjutant	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
Chief of Staff	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
Inspector	Andrea Summerlin	Post 3156
Service Officer	David Lowe	Post 180

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FINANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Steve Morris	Post 3973
	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
	Albert Little	Post 10580
	Michael Aaron	Post 584
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203

VETERANS SERVICE COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
	Dale Pack	Post 2666
	Rick Higgins	Post 4039

MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT TRUST COMMITTEE (Garrick Trust Fund)

Chairman	Bert W Key	Post 4273
	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
	Michael Aaron	Post 584
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
	Allen Anderson	Post 4273

**The Department Service Officer and/or his assistant shall be non-voting advisor to this committee.**

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Rodney Wymore	Post 3973
	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
	Norm Henshen	Post 7384
	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
	Ron Ballard	Post 1383
	Rick L. Higgins	Post 4039
	Ken Kraft	Post 12140

Bowling Family Style	Floyd Leach	Post 12141
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Bowling Open Tournament	Bob Brown	Post 3232
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Buddy Poppy & Poppy Contest	D.J. Ruger	Post 1324
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Citizenship Ed (Americanism)	Michael Beyerlin	Post 9448
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Color Team	Molalla	Post 3973
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Capt.	Jose Rodriguez	Post 3973
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Communications	Jason Griswold	Post 3973
	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626

Community Service	Richard Halverson	Post 922
Convention Committee Chair	Jason Griswold	Post 3973
QM	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	Anthony Barber	Post 12140
	Floyd Leach	Post 12141
	Don Fertgus	Post 9448
Corporate Sponsorship Chair	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	Albert Little	Post 10580
	Dale Pack	Post 2666
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
	Kirk Mickelsen	Post 6881
	Steven Shallenberg	Post 4039
Distinguished Guest (Ambassadors)	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
Golf Tournament	Richard Halverson	Post 922
Guard	Floyd Leach	Post 12141
	Bob Gore	Post 584
Hospital Chairman	Rex Smith	Post 10626
	Ann Gosnell	Post 4307
Life & legacy Membership	Bert W Key	Post 4273
	Ken Smith	Post 3232
	Reid Ranson	Post 3232
National Home	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
National Legislative Committee	Rick Higgins	Post 4039
ODVA Liaison	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
Officer of the Day	Will Parrish	Post 3473
	Richard Halverson	Post 922
OTS	Bert W Key	Post 4273
Patriot's Pen	Carl Anderson	Post 2666
Post Development	John Wrinkle	Post 4108
	Richard Halverson	Post 922
	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
	Ron Ballard	Post 1383

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POW/MIA		Juan Palacios	Post 10626
Publications		Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
Re-District Committee	Chair	Wayne Sharp	Post 1442
		Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
		Ron Ballard	Post 1383
		Rick Higgins	Post 4039
		Greg Drais	Post 4248
Resolutions/By-law Comm	Chair	Bert W Key	Post 4273
		Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
		Ron Ballard	Post 1383
		Wayne Sharp	Post 1442
		Rick Higgins	Post 4039
Safety		Floyd Leach	Post 12141
Scholarship Committee	Chair	Bert W Key	Post 4273
	QM	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
		Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
		Jason Griswold	Post 3973
		Michael Beyerlin	Post 9448
		Ron Ballard	Post 1383
		David Lowe	Post 180
Scouting		Carl Anderson	Post 2666
State Legislative Comm.	Chair	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
		John Wrinkle	Post 4108
		Allen Anderson	Post 4273
		Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
		Floyd Leach	Post 12141
		Chris McDaniel	Post 3973
Student Veterans of American (SVA)	Chair	Mary Sweezy	Post 3473
		Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
		Rick Higgins	Post 4039
		Andrea Summerlin	Post 3156
Teachers Award		Albert Little	Post 10580
Veteran & Military Support		Jason Griswold	Post 3973

Veterans' Health & Wellness Chair	Jason Brock	Post 4108
	Martin Baltazar	Post 4108
	Michael Wills	Post 1324
	Steve Nicholson	Post 4108
Voice of Democracy (VOD)	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
Youth Activities	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
Women Veterans	Chair Andrea Summerlin	Post 3156
	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	Martha Garcia	Post 661
	Tamara Calhoun	Post 4217
	Ann Gosnell	Post 4307
	Mary Sweezy	Post 3473
VAVS Representatives		
Portland Representative Chairman	Harvey Pitcher	Post 3452
Deputy	Carl Anderson	Post 2666
Roseburg Representative Chairman	B. J.Engen	Post 2468
Deputy	Lee Sparks	Post 3970
White City Representative Chairman	Gary Lowe	Post 1833
Deputy	Ralph Groover	Post 1833
	Ken Wilson	Post 1833
	Rachael Watters	Post 1833
Walla Walla Associate Representative	Clifford Smith	Post 922
Deputy	John Cook	Post 922

1. National Manual of Procedure, Section 218—Officers and Chairmen, Duties and Obligations.

Duty of Commander (Post) – k. Assure that the Commander or their representative attend all properly called District Conventions or meetings.

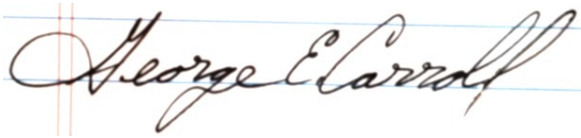
Duty of Quartermaster (Post) – c Disburse funds as properly authorized by the Post using accepted banking practices. Unless otherwise provided for in Post By-Laws, all disbursements of Post funds shall bear the signature of the Quartermaster or other person(s) authorized by the Quartermaster. Such other authorized person(s) shall be bonded with an indemnity company as surety in a sum at least equal to the amount of the liquid assets for which the Quartermaster may be accountable in accordance with Section 703.

2. District Commanders: Send the Department copy of the Post Inspection Report to the Department Inspector immediately after inspection and no later than 31 October 2019. The Post copy stays with the Post. District Commanders or Inspecting Officer will be paid travel for only one Post Inspection per year.
3. Line Officers: All travel will be at the direction of the Department Commander. Unauthorized travel cannot be paid. Send a summary of travel purpose with results and/or observations to the Commander at Department Headquarters.
4. Post Officers, elected or appointed, shall submit proof of eligibility to the Post Adjutant. Post Officers shall not assume the duties of their office until proof of eligibility has been submitted. After sixty (60) days from election or appointment and failure to submit such proof, all rights to hold office shall be forfeited, the office declared vacant and the eligibility qualifications of such officer shall be questioned in accordance with the provision of Section 108 of the National By-Laws. (Section 216, Paragraph 2 of the National, By- Laws and Manual of Procedure pg. 70-71). District Commanders, District Senior vice Commanders and District Junior vice Commanders shall submit to the Department Adjutant a copy of their DD-214 or proof of eligibility before assuming their elected offices.
5. The Quartermaster bonding year begins September 1ST. It is necessary to renew the QM Bond before this date. A new QM Bond Fees schedule will be sent to all Quartermasters. Posts with Private Club bonding must provide proof of bonding to Department Headquarters. Post not properly bonded by September 1st can be put on suspension.
6. Section 403 of the Manual of Procedure clearly indicates that Districts shall hold at least two (2) regular meeting each year for the purpose of transacting business and conducting schools of instruction. Each District shall hold an annual District Convention for the purpose of electing District officers and for the transaction of business. (For a total of 3 meetings)
7. District and Post Quartermasters: When receiving a check from Department, deposit it immediately so we can keep our bookkeeping up to date. There is a sixty (60) day period on Department checks. If you miss this date, thank you.
8. The National Life Member Board of Trustees, pursuant to Section 111 of the VFW Bylaws, has determined that for the 2020 – 2021 membership year, the Life Membership Fund will pay out \$3.50 for each Plan A, B and C, \$3.86 for each Plan D and \$8.36 for each plan E Life member to their Post. Payment will be made in September 2020 for all life members recorded as of 31 August 2020. For life members processed from September through December 2020, the \$8.36 payout will be made in January 2021.
9. Attention is directed to Section 709 of the National By-Laws and Manual of Procedure, paragraph two (2). Any Post owning and/or operating, directly or by reason of a holding company or other entity substantially controlled by the Post or its members, a canteen, clubroom or other facility available to members or guests must maintain general liability insurance, including, if necessary or appropriate, liquor liability insurance. Such insurance must be of a type and amount sufficient to protect the Post and must name, as additional insured's, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States and the Department in which such Post is located.

10. Attention is called to the provisions of Section 703 of the National By-Laws which require that each officer accountable for funds or property pursuant to any provision of these By-Laws shall be bonded with an indemnity company as surety in a sum at least equal to the amount of the liquid assets for which, so far as can be anticipated, he may be accountable. The bond premium shall be paid from the funds of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Department, District, County Council or Post to which each officer is accountable. The bonds of such accountable officers, in amount and as to surety, shall be approved by their respective units and held by their respective Commanders. The Commander of each unit shall be responsible for the proper and adequate bonding of all accountable officers in his unit.

BY ORDERS OF:

ATTEST:

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George Carroll  
Commander  
VFW Department of Oregon

Cheryl Campos  
Quartermaster/Adjutant  
VFW Department of Oregon