

Resolution #1

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE NATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES AUXILIARY

Whereas, Section 806D - Department Installation, 2nd Large Bullet reads:

- They shall enter upon the duties of their respective offices immediately after adjournment of the meeting at which they were installed.

Whereas, Section 806D of the National Bylaws does not address the fact that a new Department Treasurer does not have access to MALTA until after the new Auxiliary year, July 1:

Whereas, Many Department have money making projects during their conventions and a new Department Treasurer would not have access to the account:

And Whereas, dues are allowed to be paid until the end of June and members who send their dues directly to the Department Treasurer, may not have the new Treasurer's name and address:

Therefore, be it resolved that the National Bylaws Sec 806D - Department Installation, 2nd Large Bullet read as:

They shall enter upon the duties of their respective offices at the conclusion of the current Auxiliary year.

Presented by:

Sandi Onstwedder, Bylaws Review and Resolutions Committee Chairman

Committee Members:

Brenda Bryant – Debbie Casella – Janice Criswell

Resolution #2A

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE NATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES AUXILIARY

Whereas Section 708- National Dues, Bullet reads as:

- National Dues shall be five dollars (\$5.00) per annum on each member, effective January 1, 2012, paid by ACH transaction to National Headquarters.

Whereas there has been no increase in the National Dues in more than a decade.

Whereas the cost of absolutely everything has escalated in the last several years.

Therefore, let it be resolved that Section 708- National Bylaws of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary read as follows:

Sec. 708—National Dues

- **National dues shall be fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per annum on each member, effective July 1, 2024, paid by ACH transaction to National Headquarters.**

Presented by Sandra Onstwedder, Bylaws Review and Resolutions Chairman

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Resolution #2B

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE NATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES AUXILIARY

Whereas Section 708- National Dues, Bullet reads as:

- National Dues shall be five dollars (\$5.00) per annum on each member, effective January 1, 2012, paid by ACH transaction to National Headquarters.

Whereas there has been no increase in the National Dues in more than a decade.

Whereas the cost of absolutely everything has escalated in the last several years.

Therefore, let it be resolved that Section 708- National Bylaws of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary read as follows:

Sec. 708—National Dues shall be eight dollars commencing on July 1, 2024.

An increase of two dollars (\$2.00) per annum on each member for the 2025 Dues year, progressing each year thereafter in the amount of two dollars (\$2.00) until reaching a total of twenty dollars (\$20.00) National Dues per annum on each member in the year 2030. Resolution to become effective July 1, 2024.

Presented by Sandra Onstwedder, Bylaws Review and Resolutions Chairman

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Resolution #3

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE NATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES AUXILIARY

Whereas Section 102- Application – New Members, (4th large bullet) Department Members at Large, (2nd small bullet) reads as:

- The Department Treasurer shall transmit to the National Treasurer ten dollars (\$10.00) of the dues collected for each Member At Large.

Whereas there has been no increase in the National Dues in more than a decade.

Whereas the cost of absolutely everything has escalated in the last several years.

Whereas the amount of the Auxiliary annual dues increased.

Therefore, let it be resolved that Section 102- Application – New Members, (4th large bullet) Department Members at Large, (2nd small bullet) reads as follows:

Sec. 102—Application

- **The Department Treasurer shall transmit to the National Treasurer thirty dollars (\$30.00) of the dues collected for each Member At Large.**

Resolution to become effective July 1, 2024.

Presented by Sandra Onstwedder, Bylaws Review and Resolutions Chairman

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