

LEGISLATIVE

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PURPOSE: The purpose of the Legislative Committee is to provide information and assistance to American Legion Auxiliary members to advocate for the legislative agenda of The American Legion.

KEY PROGRAM STATEMENTS:

- The Legislative program provides information and assistance to American Legion Auxiliary members to advocate for the legislative agenda of The American Legion.

SOME IDEAS FOR LEGISLATIVE CHAIRMEN:

- Visit The American Legion's Legislative Website at www.legion.org/legislative to keep current on legislative priorities.
 - The site contains the Legion's legislative priority sheets and point papers, available for download. The priority/drop sheets outline the Legion's priorities, and you can "drop" these in your elected official's office. The point papers provide more information on the issue and the Legion's position.
- Sign up for Legislative Alerts: Subscribe to the Legion's Legislative Action Alerts to receive notification when they call on all Legion Family members to take immediate action on a topic
<https://www.votervoicenet.com/AmericanLegion/Register>
- Contact Your Representatives: <https://www.votervoicenet.com/AmericanLegion/Address>
- Download a copy of the ALA Legislative Advocacy Guide and follow the suggestions it contains to help build legislative awareness in your community.
<https://www.legion-aux.org/Member/Guides/Advocacy-Guide>
- Get a subscription to the DISPATCH

Deadlines/Important Dates:

- Year-end Reports — Due to this chairman on April 1, 2024

AWARDS:

HENAULT TROPHY – To the Unit in Department submitting the most outstanding Legislative program. (Will also be submitted to National for consideration for a National Award)

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Year-End Report Form
Due April 1, 2024

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Unit Name _____ Unit # _____ District _____

Unit Chairman Name and Address: _____

Did your Unit members write letters to Town/City Officials? _____

If so, how many? _____ Did they get replies? _____

Did Unit members attend Town Meeting? _____ How many? _____

or City Council Meetings? _____ How many? _____

Did Unit members write letters to State Legislators? _____ How Many? _____

Did members get any replies? _____

Did your Unit send poppies to town/city officials to wear? _____

Did any Unit members subscribe to the DISPATCH? _____ How Many? _____

Please write a short narrative about all that the Unit and members did for the Legislative Program.

DUE APRIL 1, 2024