

**THE AMERICAN LEGION
DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
DOUBLE TREE HOTEL, MOON TWP., PENNSYLVANIA
JANUARY 21-22, 2023**

Resolution No. 1138

Submitted by Post 493
District 27 West

WHEREAS, The four pillars of The American Legion are supported by programs and awards within the organization at the Department and National levels; and

WHEREAS, Far too many Legionnaires are either unaware of or do not understand these programs and awards; and

WHEREAS, It is vital to the mission of The American Legion that a listing of these programs and awards be presented and explained to all Legionnaires; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Pennsylvania provides a quarterly newsletter called the Keystone News to all Pennsylvania Legionnaires in good standing; and

WHEREAS, The National Organization of The American Legion provides a monthly magazine to all Legionnaires in good standing; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Department Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania American Legion meeting in regular session at the Double Tree Pittsburgh Airport, January 21 – 22, 2023, to require a recurring section in each issue of the Department of Pennsylvania's newsletter, the Keystone News, in which all programs and awards offered by the Department of Pennsylvania are listed with a very brief description of each; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That in each issue of the Keystone News, in addition to the above-referenced list, several programs and awards are to be selected for more in-depth descriptions and eligibility requirements, in particular those programs or awards having deadlines for application drawing near; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That, likewise, a section in each issue of the National American Legion Magazine be set aside to list all programs and awards available through the American Legion National Organization along with a very brief description of each; and, be it finally

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the National Executive Committee as soon as possible for action by that body.

APPROVED X REJECTED REFERRED CONSOLIDATED FILED