

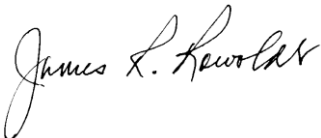
**STATE HEADQUARTERS
DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES**

General Orders No. 4 - 2009-2010 Series

1. District Adjutants are reminded that they should notify the State Adjutant, as soon as possible, of the time and place their District Convention will be held in 2010.
2. District Adjutants are reminded that they should forward a copy of the minutes from each District meeting (Regular or Special) to the State Adjutant, no later than thirty (30) days following the adjournment of the meeting.
3. Commanders on all levels are reminded that members who have not paid their dues for 2010 are not members in good standing and, therefore, cannot hold office until such time as their dues are paid for the current year.
4. The 90TH State Convention, Department of California, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, will be held in Sacramento, California, June 18-22, 2010.
5. The 110th National Convention, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, will be held in Indianapolis, IN, August 21-26, 2010.
6. The attention of Department, District, County Council and Post Commanders is again directed to Section 103, Manual of Procedure, which prescribes the manner in which applications for membership will be handled. Applications for membership of new, reinstated or transfer members must be voted on by the members present at a regular Post meeting.
7. Attention of Post Commanders is directed to Section 218, Manual of Procedure, Duty of Trustees. Quarterly, through the Post Commander, submit a Post Trustee's Report of Audit to the Department Quartermaster for referral to the Department Inspector. The Report shall be in accordance with and upon such form as may be prescribed by the Adjutant General. The audit shall be signed by the Post Commander and Trustees, who shall, by their signatures, certify to the accuracy of the information contained therein.
8. Attention of Post Commanders is directed to Section 222(c) Delegates and alternates to the Department Convention shall be elected at a regular meeting of the Post held not less than (30) days prior to the Department Convention, one (1) delegate and one alternative for each thirty members or a fraction thereof in good standing in the Post at the time of the election or as the Department By-Laws may provide.

BY COMMAND OF
JACK TURNER
STATE COMMANDER

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