

**DEPARTMENT OF NEW MEXICO LEADERSHIP MANUAL**



ROGELIO MALDONADO STATE COMMANDER 2021-2022  
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**ATTENTION: ALL POST AND DISTRICT COMMANDERS:**

IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT YOU SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR POST AND DISTRICT QUARTERMASTERS, ADJUTANT AND COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN AND ALL POST MEMBERS AT YOUR MEETING

DEPARTMENT OF NEW MEXICO VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

1. Bataan March in person has been cancelled. If you had room reservations for this, please remember to cancel your reservations.
2. Commander's round-up for the Northern part of the state is as follows:  
  
March 25 1900-2000 Grants Post 3221, March 26 1100-1300 Farmington Post 2182, March 26 1600-1800 Aztec Post 614, March 27 1100-1300 Bernalillo Post 4243, March 27 1400-1600 Corrales Post 5432, March 27 1800-1900 Rio Rancho Post 5890  
  
April 22 1600-1900 Espanola Post 5610, April 23 Noon Raton Post 1793, April 23 Noon Taos Post 3259, April 23 1700-1800 Cerro Post 9516, April 24 1330-1400 Mora Post 1131.
3. April 7 at 1800 on VFW.ORG is this years Voice of Democracy Virtual Parade of Winners.
4. District Conventions will be in April for election of 2022-2023 officers. Delegates must be sent to District Adjutants according to your District By-Laws.
5. New Mexico Department Convention is in June. Delegate forms for Posts will be sent out in April. Posts must return their Delegate forms and fees to have a vote.
6. National Convention in Kansas City has the housing list out and available. Posts must also register 1 member for National Convention.

7. March ends the First Quarter. Trustee Audits must be sent in no later than by end of April.
8. Buddy Poppies sales are available. Please order your Post Buddy Poppies through the Department Quartermaster, Dave Fouse, as soon as possible. Buddy Poppy turn around is 8-12 weeks now.
9. Community Activity reports are to be done with at least 1 per quarter. Please submit your reports as soon as you can.
10. Post nominations for officers open up in March. Nominations and elections happen in April. Submit your Post election reports by the end of April.
11. Submit your Post Chairmen list to the Department Adjutant by the end of April.
12. All-State requirements are due by April 5, 2022 except membership.

By Order of:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rogelio Maldonado', written in a cursive style.

Rogelio Maldonado, Commander Department of New Mexico Veterans of Foreign Wars

Official:

Mark Decker, Adjutant Department of New Mexico Veterans of Foreign Wars