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Report of Election - Several Post Quartermasters have not reported their newly elected officers. This report can be completed online through the Online Membership System (OMS) if you submit this report online, Post and Department will be emailed copies. If your Post is unable to submit this report online, mail it to Department Headquarters and we will submit it for you. *With Covid-19, many Posts will not be able to meet until later; get it in when you can.

<u>Form 990</u> - Just a reminder to file your completed I.R.S. Form 990 by your Post's required deadline. Due 15th day of 5th month after your fiscal year ends.

<u>Department Convention</u> - The 2020 Department Convention will be in Manhattan, Kansas, June 12-14. Have you or your Post members made room reservations and paid for registration? *If Covid-19 alters this, you will be notified.

<u>Voting</u> – If Posts are in the arrears for proper bonding, audits, or money owed the district or department, you will be denied the right to vote at district and department conventions, until proof is shown by presenting copies of audits, upgrading bond amounts, or paying money owed.

<u>Poppies</u> - A few Posts have not ordered poppies. All orders and payment are to be sent to Department Headquarters. *Due to Covid-19 you may mail your orders to Headquarters, but any orders in increments of 500 will be delayed until National VFW resumes production.

<u>National Convention</u> - will be July 18-23, 2020 in Reno, Nevada. *This has been cancelled due to Covid-19. If you made room reservations through the hotel, make sure you cancel them. If you made reservations as recommended through Orchid Events, they have been cancelled for you.