**The American Legion Riders**

**Department of California**

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*For God and Country*

**DEC Minutes**

June 19, 2025

1. **Call to Order** – Director Ralph Wenzinger @ 7pm
2. **Invocation** – Chaplain Robert Lassotovich
3. **Pause for POW/MIA** – Director Ralph Wenzinger
4. **Pledge of Allegiance** – SAA Gustie Compton
5. **ALR Preamble** – Director Ralph Wenzinger
6. **Roll Call** - Secretary Debbie Proffitt

**Director-** Ralph Wenzinger

**Vice Director** – Jeff Carson

**Sergeant-At-Arms/Uniform** – Gustie Compton

**Area 1 Vice-D** – Martin Glenn

**Area 2 Vice-D** – Pete Torrecillas

**Area 3 Vice-D/Quartermaster** – Mike Phillips EXCUSED

**Area 4 Vice-D** – Milan Morgan

**Area 5 Vice-D** – Edmund Arguello

**Area 6 Vice-D** – Cris Molina

**Jr Past Director** – Mike Smith EXCUSED

**Secretary/Treasurer/ Credentials/Finance** – Debbie Proffitt

**Chaplain** – Robert Lassotovich

**Historian/Public Relations** – Louisa Carson

**Judge Advocate/Constitution and Bylaws** – Tom Lively

**Membership/ Legacy Run** - Rochelle Billet-Smith

**Parliamentarian-** Mick Sobczak

**Safety Officer** – Andrew Trapani

**Service Officer** - **Vacant**

**Webmaster –** Joe Peterson

**Awards and Recognition –** Missy Griffiths

**Convention & Rally** – Bob Atchley

**Resolutions –** Mark Rice EXCUSED

**Ways and Means** - Kathleen McClary

**Guests: (TALDOC, ALR, etc)**

A5 Alt Ray Ortega, Ch 149 Jeff Sheggrud, Ch 18 JD Bennett, Ch 92 Judy Sarti,

D 10 Don Reed, A3 Alt Pat Burkhardt, Ch 82 Ed Caler, A2 Alt Greg Martin,

A5 Alt Danielle Lively, D 10 Mike Scout, A3 Alt Michelle Wattenbarger, Ch 64 Jacque James, A1 Alt Bill Griffiths, Ch 328 Tio Saenz, Ch 18 Ricky Phillips.

PP Mick Sobczak-Good luck. We’re here to support you.

24th District Vice Commander Milan Morgan, District 10 Commander-Don Reed

1. **Additions to the Agenda** –

Sergeant At Arms would like PUFL membership for ALR added to new business.

1. **Approval of Minutes** – ALRDEC May 22, 2025 Minutes

Accepted as electronically transmitted.

1. **Financial Report** – Debbie Proffitt

As of June 17, 2025

WF beginning bank balance $39,969.23

Debits + $532.84

Credits - $8418.92

WF ending balance $32,083.15

PayPal current + $26,241.16

PayPal old-closed $0.00

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Ending total balance =$58,324.31

California Legacy Run -$39,806.00

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Operational funds =$18,518.31

Bank debits = old PayPal account transfer, monthly interest, old QM store check reissue.

Bank credits = Zoom, D&O Ins, Emblem Sales x 2, Brentwood Embroidery, Redding Vets Home check, postage for Chaplain, Squarespace, Historian conv ck, SAA reimbursement.

 PayPal debits = QM store, new chapters

PayPal credits = none

Emblem Sales-We are now set up as a nonprofit and no longer pay tax on orders.

Reimbursement vouchers-Please send all vouchers to the treasurer email- alrcadoctreasurer@gmail.com

Motion to accept the finance report as given pending audit by Gustie Compton. 2nd by Edmund Arguello. Passed by vote of DEC.

1. **Director’s Report** – Ralph Wenzinger

Since our last meeting I have participated in the following:

May 26 Memorial Day Services at Union and Hillcrest Cemeteries, Bakersfield

June 1 KIA Honor Flag Escort and Presentation at Post 26, Bakersfield

June 2 Kern River Blue Star Moms meeting and donation presentation

June 8 Military Recruit send off and escort, Armed Forces Career Center Bakersfield

June 15 Military Recruit send off and escort, Armed Forces Career Center Bakersfield

Events / Meetings attended as Director:

June 2 California Legacy Run Committee meeting

June 4 Conducted Installation of Officers at Chapter 202 Brentwood

June 5 Visited Chapter 521 Rio Linda

June 10 Finance Committee meeting

June 12 Conducted Installation of Officers at Chapter 18 Visalia

June 19 Convention and Rally Committee meeting

Upcoming plans as Director:

June 27-29 Department of California Convention

June 30 California Legacy Run Committee meeting

July 8 Finance Committee meeting

July 27 Conduct Installation of Officers at Chapter 221 Tehachapi

1. **Vice Director’s Report** – Jeff Carson

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following:

Escort and Flag Line at Visalia Harley Davidson for Ken Flores USMC

Attended Intallation Ceremony for Chapter 18 Officers

Attended Avenue of the Flags ceremony

Since our last DEC meeting, as Vice Director, I have done the following:

Attended Chapter 299 Dinner in Chino

Attended Chapter 119 Poker Run

Attended Officer Installation for AL 20, ALR 20, AU 20

Attended zoom meeting for Convention and Rally

Attended zoom meeting for Finance Committee

1. **Sgt. At Arms’ Report** – Gustie Compton

 Since our last meeting I have participated in the following:

 5/20/25 Avenue of Flags meeting Post 785

 5/21/25 Coffee with a Veteran Post 785

 5/21/25 Tulare County Veterans Stand Down meeting

 5/22/25 Deliver Flowers to Visalia Harley For Fallen Marine Ken Flores

 5/23/25 Work party with Marine Corp League at Grangeville Cemetery

 5/24/25 Wellness check on Rider from Chapter 476 Hazel Wattenbarger

 5/25/25 Fire watch for Marine Corp League at Grangeville Cemetery

 5/25/25 Marine Corp League practice for Memorial Day Ceremony

 5/26/25 Assist with Memorial Day Ceremony at Grangeville Cemetery

 5/26/25 Help Marine Corp League with removal of Flags after Memorial Day Ceremony

 5/27/25 Flag Line for Paul Rocha

 5/28/25 Coffee with a Veteran Post 785

 5/28/25 Escort and Flag Line for Paul Rocha

 6/01/25 Escort KIA Flag to Post 26

 6/04/25 Coffee with a Veteran Post 785

 6/04/25 Attended Officer Installation for Chapter 202 Brentwood

 6/11/25 Coffee with a Veteran Post 785

 6/14/25 Attend Chapter 92 McCloud Poker Run

 Events within my Area in the coming weeks & month:

 7/06/25 Chapter 88 Turlock Monthly Breakfast

 Thank you for the hospitality of Chapter 92.

 Ralph-Thank you to Gustie and Mike Smith for serving as my SAA during installations.

1. **Secretary’s Report** – Debbie Proffitt

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following: Auxiliary meeting, Son’s fish fry night, Ch 299 Fall of Ogre dinner, Aux taco night, California Legacy Run Zoom, Convention and Rally Zoom, Finance committee Zoom, Chapter meeting.

Since our last DEC meeting as Secretary, I have done the following:

I have been fielding questions from POCs on how to navigate the online roster to generate reports.

I have been tracking incoming COO and POC reports.

Officers, please rename your DEC reports before sending them to me. Please use the new template.

Upcoming plans as Secretary:

COO reports, not signed, are due no later than July 31.

POC reports, signed by the Director, are due no later than August 31.

COO and POC reports must generate from the buttons at the bottom of the online roster.

The paper form in the start-up kit will not be accepted.

Tracking to Area Vice Directors and Alternates for COO reports will be July 4th, July 11th, then daily from July 18-July 31.

Tracking to Area Vice directors and alternates for POC reports will be August 8th, August 15th, then daily from August 16-August 31.

I will be putting the Service Officer monthly reports into resources under a new tab-Service Officer info.

1. **Area Reports** –
2. **Area 1 Vice D –** Martin Glenn

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following: Chapter 92 held its 2nd annual George Steel Memorial Poker Run. The event was attended by members from Chapter 673 in Durham and department Sergeant at Arms, Gustie Compton.

Since our last DEC meeting, as Area Vice Director, I have done the following:

Since our last DEC meeting the chapters in my Area have done the following:

Chapter 119 in Placerville held its annual Poker Run on June 7th.

Chapter 210 held a tri-tip dinner on June 7th.

Chapter 521 Rio Linda will hold its 19th annual Classic Car and Motorcycle Show on September 6th.

Squadron 795 in South Lake Tahoe is working on starting an ALR chapter. I have maintained occasional contact with Antonio Alers who is spearheading the effort. I will keep ALRDOC updated with all developments.

Area riders (primarily from Chapter 673) are active in participating in Patriot Guard Riders funeral escorts.

Chapter events within my Area in the coming weeks & month: Chapter 521 Rio Linda will hold its 19th annual Classic Car and Motorcycle Show on September 6th. Chapters 210 Gridley and 95 Oroville are both holding a poker run in September. I will update with dates at a future DEC meeting.

1. **Area 2 Vice D –** Pete Torrecillas

Since our last meeting I have participated in the following:

Run for The Wall

1 Honor Mission

Texas ALR State Rally

Events within my Area in the coming weeks & month:

6/28/25 District 28 annual summer poker run

6/18/25 Chapter 591 Nation of Patriots Flag Escort

Hollister 4th of July Rally

Events planned for the months to come:

7/11/25 Laguna Seca Superbike

1. **Area 3 Vice D –** Mike Phillips

I am not present at this meeting because I am on vacation in Pismo Beach drinking whiskey with Junior Past Mike Smith. Michelle Wattenbarger will represent me during this meeting.

During this month I participated in:

Coffee with a Vet Post 785, Escorted the KIA flag to Bakersfield Post 26, Escorted Flag Line for Ken Flores Marine Corps veteran and a mechanic at Visalia Harley. Attended the Visalia Elks Veterans Breakfast. Participated in the Visalia Republican Women Federation flag day ceremonies, Replaced tattered flags within the community with the Visalia Squadron 18 members. I have also been getting our Post 18 fireworks ready for sales next month.

Below is a list of events Area 3 Chapters have participated in during the last month:

 Chapter – 18 Coffee with a Vet Post 785 X4, Coffee with a Vet at Starbucks, Escorted the KIA flag to post 26 Bakersfield, Escorted and flag line for fallen Marine LCPL Ken Flores, Escorted Paul Rocha, Visalia Elks Veterans breakfast, Attended the delivering of an A4 to post 20, Avenue of flags meeting, Avenue of flags ceremonies on Memorial Day, Marine Corps League memorial Day ceremonies, Buddy check on a rider from Chapter 476, Tri Tip fund raiser post 785, Flag Day ceremonies held by the Visalia Republican Women Federation, Replaced tattered flags within the community as part of flag day.

 Chapter – 88 Turlock Memorial Day Ceremonies, SJ National Cemetery Memorial Day Ceremonies, PGR Escort

Chapter – 100 Escort/Flag Line for: Ken Flores, Esperanza Wilson, Chris Ruiz and Paul Rocha, Chapter fun ride, Placement of flags at gravesites for Memorial Day, Retrieval of flags from gravesites after Memorial Day.

 Chapter – 147 Escorted and flag line for fallen Marine LCPL Ken Flores LR Convention, Memorial Day Prep

 Chapter – 476 Dinner fundraiser for post 476, visited pot 684 and attended a Chapter 684 meeting.

 Chapter – 684 Funeral Escort/Flag Line for: Albert Zider & Arron Hammond

NO OTHER CHAPTERS REPORTED

1. **Area 4 Vice D –** Milan Morgan

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following:

I am happy to report that my hand is feeling good enough to ride again.  I rode to and attended Fleet Week in Long Beach on 5/24, was invited to and attended a special luncheon with the Coast Guard and Surface Navy Association, attended Memorial Day ceremonies at the LA National Cemetery and Post 43 in Hollywood on 5/26, attended the District 24 meeting on 5/27, participated in the Family Fun Day event at Post 43 in Hollywood on 6/1 and attended the Good Ride in Santa Barbara and the Live Fast Rally on 6/7.

 Since our last DEC meeting, as Area Vice Director, I have done the following:

 Nothing significant to report.

 Since our last DEC meeting the chapters in my Area have done the following:

Chapter 61: Attended Fleet Week (numerous days and worked the event), Surface Navy Association Luncheon, Good ride and Live Fast Rally.  Completed COO and POC reports.

Chapter 184: Had nothing significant to report.  Completed COO report.

Chapter 804: Had nothing significant to report.

1. **Area 5 Vice D –** Edmund Arguello

-24 May- Attended the 1st Annual MVA Entertainment Awards Ceremony

-07 JUN- Attended ALR Chapter 229, Meeting at Elks Lodge in Victorville (222 Mi)

-14 JUN-Attended “Fall of Ogre” Dinner event at ALR Chapter 299, Chino (164 Mi)

-15 JUN- Nation of Patriots Flag Reception at ALR Chapter 365, Vista (10 Mi)

A5 Alternates

-14 JUN-Attended Installation of Officers at Post 255, National City

-Attended West Coast Thunder, Parking, Tickets, etc.

-Hosted Bike Night

-Attended Bloomington Poker Run

-30 MAY-Escort ALR Chapter 112, Ontario

-4 JUN- Attended Dinner Event at Chapter 112 Ontario

Area Chapter Activities

-Hosted Bike Night

-Dinner event at ALR Chapter 299, Chino

-Dinner Event at Chapter 112 Ontario

Other

-PLEASE CHECK THE AREA 5 CALENDAR FOR EVENTS AND WHEN SCHEDULING AN EVENT.

I have been teaching summer school.

Tuesday I will be having right shoulder surgery. Attended the MVA Military and Veteran Awards which is all about veterans in the industry as producers, actors, etc. in 19 categories.

1. **Area 6 Vice D –** Cris Molina

Ch. 43

28 members

8 in the pipeline

Participated in Distinguished Gentleman’s Ride, Good Ride and several Memorial Day events this past month.

Michael Gregory went down. Cut off by a SUV. Sore, but overall, in good shape.

Induction of new officers will take place this Saturday, June 21st.

Chapter 377

Getting going. Looking forward to putting on events in the near future. Post is very supportive of the Chapter!

Chapter 180 is participating in the ABC anniversary event on July 12th. Azusa, Banning, Chino anniversary celebration. Will be held at Post 299 in Chino. Also did a Flag Ceremony at Azusa City Hall & helped with their Post Chili Cook-Off.

Chapter 534

21st annual poker run on Saturday, July 26th. Always a fantastic event. All are invited to join!

Area 6 Vice - Looking to set our Area 6 Director's meeting. Other than that, progress.

Upcoming:

July 12- Charterversary for Chapters 180, 428 and 299 at Post 299

 July 21- Luau fundraiser and my birthday at Post 817

 July 26- Ch 741 will have their 17th annual poker run and Chapter 534 will have

 Their 21st annual poker run.

1. **Officer Reports-**
	1. **Jr. Past Director –** Mike Smith

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following:

* May 26 – Memorial Day Services, Porterville
* May 29 – Attended and sounded Taps for Army Veteran Paul Rocha
* June 1 – Escorted KIA Flag to Chapter 26 Bakersfield
* June 8 – Attended and sounded Taps for Marine Veteran Ken Flores

 Since our last DEC meeting Jr Past I have done the following:

* + June 4 – Conducted Installation of Officers for Chapter 20 Porterville
	+ June 12- Acted as Sergeant-at-Arms for Chapter 18 Officer Installation

 Upcoming plans as an Jr Past:

Progress

* 1. **Chaplain –** Robert Lassotovich

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following:

 Monthly Business Meeting

 Ill/Injured:

 Chapter 20 Mike Smith – Knee Surgery recovery

 Chapter 20 Robert Lassotovitch - Medical Issues

 Chapter 26 Rochelle Billet Smith – Medical Issues

 Chapter 92 Larry Harpe – Back Injury

 Chapter 111 Steve Bowne - Bruising from Accident

 Chapter 92 Larry Heart – Cracked Vertebrae

 Chapter 673 Tom Manning – Appendectomy

 Chapter 716 Art Odom – Rotator cuff surgery recovery

 Chapter 716 Dwight Hendricks – Swollen Hands

 Chapter 716 George Rodriguez - Leg & Back Pain

 I will be having surgery on July 2nd and 7th.

* 1. **Historian/Public Relations –** Louisa Carson

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated as Historian with my chapter in the following:

 Memorial Day Ave of the Flags

 Coffee with a Veteran Post 785 x4

 Flag Line & Escort US Army Vet Paul Rocha

 Flag Line & Escort to VHD for US Marine Vet Ken Flores

 Escort KIA Flag to Post 26 Bakersfield

Since our last DEC meeting, as Public Relations Chair, I have done the following:

 ALR 299 Chino “Fall of Oger” Dinner

Attended 119 Placerville Poker Run

Officer Installation for AL Family Post 20

Coordinated with VHD for local events to include ALR local chapters

Finance Committee Zoom attendance

Convention & Rally Zoom Attendance

Youth Baseball sponsorship for ALR Ch 18

Upcoming plans:

Scheduled meetings with local funeral directors to include ALR into Veterans services

as PR.

Scheduled meetings with three event centers for 2027 Convention as PR

Scheduled meetings with KDDH & Imaging Center for upcoming partnership for

October Pink event as PR & Historian.

Will attend upcoming events for ALR and AL/ALA Convention this month.

* 1. **Judge Advocate –** Tom Lively

Thoroughly reviewed both the Constitution and Bylaws and will be recommending administrative updates when a Constitution & Bylaws Committee Meeting is held.

Consulted with Chapter 23 and advised corrections to Bylaws.

Conducted Installations for Chapter 299, Chino on 6/12/25 and Chapter 30, Pomona on 6/17/25.

Setting up 1st C&B Committee Meeting for Wednesday, June 25, 2025 @ 1830. This will be held quarterly on the last Wednesday of June, September, December, and March if possible.

* 1. **Parliamentarian –** Mick Sobczak

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following:Nothing. Absolutely nothing since they **don’t plan events.**

 Since our last DEC meeting, as Parliamentarian, I have done the following:

I created a cheat sheet for the DEC embers to use while giving reports and making motions.

 Upcoming plans as Parliamentarian:

 Create another cheat sheet if required.

* 1. **Membership Officer –** Rochelle Billet-Smith

Since our last meeting I have participated in the following:

June 1 KIA Honor Flag Escort and Presentation at Post 26, Bakersfield

June 2 Kern River Blue Star Moms meeting and donation presentation

June 2 California Legacy Run Committee Meeting

June 9 Chapter 26 Meeting

June 13 Post 26 Officers Installation

Upcoming plans as Membership Officer & California Legacy Run Chairperson

June 26-29 Department of California American Legion Convention

June 30 California Legacy Run Committee meeting

July 27 Installation of Officers at Chapter 221 Tehachapi

We have 93 chapters and 1852 members

* 1. **Quartermaster –** Mike Phillips

Currently we have 1 order Invoiced awaiting payment, 0 orders Payment Received pending processing, 11 in Process and 8 orders shipped during this month. Please pay for all orders submitted in a timely manner and your orders will get out to you as quickly as possible.

All new merchandise has been uploaded to the website. The new shirts were silk screened rather DTG and therefore quality of the prints are much higher. The shirts look great and fit great get them now while supplies last. We did have a bit of a snafu (communication error) when I ordered the new black sweatshirts. The new Sweatshirts are printed white not yellow, so I have some sizes and sweatshirts that are both white and or yellow. So, when ordering please email or text me which you would prefer and I will do my best to accommodate the appropriate color for your order.

I understand many Chapters aren’t receiving their invoices when they place an order. If you do not receive your invoice with 4 days of placing your order, first check your spam as I have found that some of my invoices go there and if it still is not there email me at alrdocquartermast@gmail.com and I will email you a copy of your invoice. PLEASE DO NOT PAY FOR YOUR ORDER IN THE DONATION AREA OF THE WEBSITE UNLESS INSTRUCTED TO BY MYSELF OR DEBBIE AS WE HAVE NO WAY OF KNOWING YOU DID THIS. The quartermaster website when working properly tracks all payment made and make automatic changes indicating your payment on the tracking log.

If you have any questions regarding your orders, feel free to give an email or a call. Leave a message and I will return your call as I don’t generally answer numbers I don’t know. 559-759-7705.

* 1. **Safety Officer –** Andrew Trapani

No incidents were reported. If you’re doing a pre-ride, make sure there are NO road

 hazards.

* 1. **Service Officer –** Vacant

Ralph-Working on someone to fill this position.

* 1. **Webmaster –** Joseph Peterson

Since our last DEC meeting, I have participated with my chapter in the following:

Durham Parade and Picnic (Chapter rode in parade and had informational table at park).

 Post/Chapter Drive Thru Tri-tip dinner.

 Boots and Badges Event (Chapter Cooked and served lunch for the event)

 Chapter 92 (McCloud) Poker Run

Since our last DEC meeting, as Webmaster I have done the following:

Updated website contacts, posted upcoming events

Upcoming plans as Webmaster:

Update website, post upcoming events, and add members. Investigating the potential impacts to the website if we move from PHP 7.1 to PHP 8.3. Reason is that in 2026 Go Daddy will start charging about $4.00 a month if the website wants to keep using PHP version 7.XX as it will no longer be supported.

1. **Committee Reports** –
	1. **Awards and Recognition** – Missy Griffiths

Nothing to report.

* 1. **California Legacy Run –** Rochelle Billet-Smith

Working on a coastal route for 2026.

* 1. **Constitution and Bylaws** – Tom Lively

Will be having a committee meeting June 25th.

* 1. **Convention and Rally –** Bob Atchley

The June 17th meeting was rescheduled due to conflicting schedules.

 Next meeting to be held on June 19, 2025 following ALR/DEC meeting.

* 1. **Credentials** – Debbie Proffitt

Nothing to report until February

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* 1. **Finance** – Debbie Proffitt

Since our last DEC meeting, as Finance Chair, I have done the following:

The finance committee held a Zoom meeting on June 10th. 9 of 14 members were present and Quartermaster Mike Phillips.

The committee discussed the state of the current and past few year’s budgets, the Quartermaster store income and costs, Quartermaster store products and pricing, a new source for berets, possible times to restock the Quartermaster store, ALRDOC income sources (per capita, delegate fees and Quartermaster store), other ways to bring in income, Emblem Sales and tax-exempt status, possible need for delegate fees increase in 2026 and the California Legacy Run line items. We got a lot discussed with much more needed.

Upcoming plans as Finance Chair:

Next finance committee meeting will be Tuesday, July 8th via Zoom at 7pm.

We will be looking back at the budgets from 2010 forward. Discussing other revenue sources, Emblem Sales tax status, DEC convention patches and more.

If you’d like to be on the finance committee, send me an email.

Alrcadoctreasurer@gmail.com

* 1. **Resolutions –** Mark Rice

Nothing to report.

* 1. **Uniform –** Gustie Compton

Since our last meeting the Uniform Committee has not meet. I have brought to the attention of the State Director Ralph Wenzinger altered back patches for future Riders that needs addressed. I am planning on having a Uniform Committee Meeting in the upcoming months.

* 1. **Ways and Means –** Kathleen McClary

Nothing to report.

1. **Unfinished Business-**
	1. Status of Chapter 437 Clearlake probation for not submitting End of Year report (Area

1 Vice Director)

Martin will make contact with the chapter and make a visit to their meeting.

Will report back at the next meeting.

* 1. Article 8 Sect 13 of Bylaws require roll call vote for elections at Convention

(Parliamentarian)

Will need a resolution to add division and acclimation as ways of voting.

Ralph asked Mick to write the resolution with Robert’s Rules wording. It will come from committee so bypasses the need for chapter and area voting.

* 1. Add Webmaster to ALRDOC Bylaws as Officer (Webmaster)

Ralph asked joe to form an Ad-Hoc committee to look into this and report at the next

meeting.

Tom Lively and Mick will help on the committee.

1. **New Business-**
	1. Chapter 23 – Sanger, charter application (Area 3 Vice Director)

Motion to accept Chapter 23 as the 93rd ALRDOC Chapter by Michelle Wattenbarger. 2nd by Cris Molina. There was much discussion and J D Bennett, incoming Director,

reassured all that all the concerns would be addressed and resolved. Passed by vote of DEC.

* 1. On-going unauthorized patches on vest (Director)

There have been pictures sent in from multiple showing unauthorized patches being

Worn on vests. President being one of them. Only Past President is authorized. Area

Vice Directors and Alts need to be looking at vests and pulling the person aside to

Remind them of the uniform manual instructions.

Secretary will send out information.

* 1. Committee to look into PUFL for ALR.

Gustie would like the ALR to look into having PUFL membership.

There was discussion and several members voiced concerns.

Ralph appointed Gustie to convene an Ad-Hoc committee to look into it and report back.

On the committee will be Debbie, Louisa, Mick, Rochelle, Cris, Tom and Bob Atchley.

1. **Sick / Memorial-**

**Ill/injured:**

Ch 92-Larry Harpe-recovering from fractured vertebrae.

Ch 111-Steve Bowne-hit a pothole-has bruising and totaled his bike

Ch 95-Tom Manning-appendectomy

Ch 555-Shirley Jones-recovering

Ch 716-Art Odom-recovering from shoulder surgery

Ch 716-Dwight Hendricks-swollen hands

Ch 716-George Rodriguez-back and leg pain

Ch 20-Robert Lassotovich-medical issues

Ch 20-Mike Smith-Recovering from knee surgery

Ch 26-Rochelle Billet-Smith-medical issues

**Upcoming surgeries:**

Edmund Arguello-June 24-shoulder surgery

Robert Lassotovich-July 2 and July 7-surgeries

**Rider Everlasting:**

None reported this month.

1. **Good of the Riders-**

 Tom Lively-Preregistration for Rally is open. T shirts need to be ordered. Please register.

 Debbie-Flags for Rally. Each chapter to bring or send at least 1 5x8 American flag. Spoke

 with Lieutenant Jaquez with the Chino PD and he is excited about the flags.

 Tom-Throwing out a chapter challenge. Chapter 299 is bringing at least 20 flags to Rally.

 Accept the challenge.

 Rochelle-Donations for the California Legacy run will be accepted through July 31. Would

 like to see us get to $40,000.

 Ralph-Convention in Visalia is June 26-29. I will be giving a report to the legion Saturday

 morning. The agenda has been posted on calegion.org.

1. **Next Meeting Date** – July 24, 2025 @ 1900 hours, via Zoom.
2. **Benediction** – Chaplain Robert Lassotovich
3. **Adjournment** – Director Ralph Wenzinger @ 8:51pm