

**Sons of The American Legion
Detachment of Wisconsin**

Post-Convention Detachment Executive Committee Meeting July 19, 2026

Opening

Call to Order

Sunday July 19, 2026 Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015) called to order the Detachment Executive Committee meeting being held in Appleton, WI at 9:10 am.

Posting of the Colors

Invocation

POW/MIA Empty Chair Ceremony.

Blue Star Banner Ceremony

The Pledge of Allegiance

Reciting of the S.A.L. Preamble

Welcome by Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015)

Roll Call of Detachment Officers

Taken by the Detachment Adjutant David Faust (245). Voting Officers:

Detachment Commander	Jeremy Mason	(015)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Shawn D. McCrary	(075)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Terry Barrington	(192)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Robert Seide	(038)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Steven R. DuBois	(143)	Present
Detachment Chaplain	John L'Huillier	(434)	Present
Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms	Rick Helms	(070)	Excused
Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms	Ray Dzieciol	(534)	Absent
National Executive Committeeman	Christopher Sherman	(071)	Present
Alternate National Executive Committeeman	Mike Pook	(375)	Excused
Past Detachment Commander	Christopher Dannenmann	(434)	Present
Past Detachment Commander	Allen Watry	(038)	Excused
Past Detachment Commander	David Fuller	(209)	Absent
1st District Commander	Tim Penkert	(294)	Present
2nd District Commander	Dave Hodgson	(522)	Absent
3rd District Commander	Dave Havlik	(491)	Absent
4th District Commander	Terry Barrington	(192)	Present
6th District Commander	Shawn D. McCrary	(075)	Present
7th District Commander	Scott Johnson	(051)	Absent
9th District Commander	Andy Rahm	(055)	Absent
10th District Commander	Rick A. Talford	(291)	Absent

Reading of the Previous Minutes

Detachment Assistant Adjutant Christopher Sherman (071). Motion by Detachment Vice Commander Steven DuBois (143) to dispense with the reading of the minutes. The motion was seconded and passed.

Official Correspondence

Detachment Adjutant David Faust (245):

- No correspondence to report.

Detachment Officer Appointments

Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015) made the following appointments:

Adjutant : David Faust (245)
Asst.Adjutant: Allen Watry (038)
Judge Advocate: Christopher Dannenmann (434)
Historian: Mike Pook (375)

Detachment Vice Commander Terry Barrington (192) made motion to accept appointments. The motion was seconded and passed.

Commander Takes Leave

Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015) passed the gavel to Detachment Vice Commander Shawn McCrary (075) so he could attend The American Legion Convention.

Commission and Committee Appointments

The following appointments by Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015) as indicated by an asterisk were announced, leaving the makeup as follows:

Position	Name	Sqdn	Expires	Term
Internal Affairs Commission Chairman	Shawn McCrary*	075	2029	3 yrs
Legislative Chairman	Steven DuBois	143	2027	3 yrs
Membership Chairman	Allen Watry *	038	2029	3 yrs
Officer Development & Policy Chairman	Christopher Sherman	071	2027	3 yrs
Public Relations Chairman	Bob Seide	038	2028	3 yrs
Finance Commission Chairman	Christopher Sherman *	071	2027	1 yr
Finance Commission Member	Vacant		2027	3 yrs
Finance Commission Member	Mike Pook	375	2028	3 yrs
Finance Commission Member	Mark Pape *	294	2029	3 yrs
Finance Commission Member	Vacant		2029	3 yrs
Programs Committee Chairman	Terry Barrington	416	2027	2 yrs
Americanism Chairman	Shawn McCrary *	075	2028	2 yrs
Children and Youth Chairman	Robert Sirovina, Jr.	434	2027	2 yrs
National Security Chairman	John Hoeft II *	234	2028	2 yrs
Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Chairman	John Edelblute, IV	434	2027	2 yrs
Subcommittee on Resolutions Chairman	Christopher Dannenmann *	434	2027	1 yr
Subcommittee on Resolutions Member	Steven DuBois *	143	2027	1 yr
Subcommittee on Resolutions Member	Allen Watry *	038	2027	1 yr

Detachment Vice Commander Steven DuBois (143) made a motion to accept the appointments. The motion was seconded and passed.

Detachment Vice Commander District Assignments

The following Detachment Vice Commander District assignments by Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015) were announced:

- Detachment Vice Commander Shawn D. McCrary (075) – Districts 1, 6
- Detachment Vice Commander Terry Barrington (192) – Districts 2, 3, 4
- Detachment Vice Commander Robert G Seide (038) – Districts 7, 8, 9
- Detachment Vice Commander Steven R. DuBois (143) – Districts 10, 11, 12

Detachment Commander's Goals

The following Detachment goals by Detachment Commander Jeremy Mason (015) were announced.

Work with The American Legion, The American Legion Auxiliary, and The American Legion Riders on program and projects to benefit:

- Our veterans
- Active duty military
- Their families and communities

Raise funds for our charitable projects:

- \$1.00 per member for The American Legion Child Well Being Foundation (CWF)
- \$1.00 per member for Camp American Legion

Membership:

- 105% Membership total.
- 5,400 Members.
- Retain 90% or more of our current members.
- Charter or reactivate 5 squadrons
- Goal is to achieve Triple Nickel

Consolidated Reports:

Have all squadrons submit a consolidated report.

Commander's Project: Badger Boys State

- Raise \$1.00 per member
- Sponsor 1 Boy from each District

Commander Mason has every confidence in us to do this!

Unfinished Business

None

New Business

There was no new business presented.

For the Good of Sons of The American Legion

Announcements were made about various Squadron and Post events coming up around the state.

Closing Ceremony

Benediction

Retirement of the POW/MIA Chair Cover

Commander's Charge

Retirement of the Colors

Adjournment

With no other business, Detachment Vice Commander Shawn McCrary (075) declared the 2026 Post-Convention Detachment Executive Committee meeting adjourned at 9:43 am.

Detachment Assistant Adjutant
Christopher Sherman (071)