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Another Senior Vice Commander Conference is in the books! It was great talking to many of you as we plan for the 2025-26 year.

Please find attached the final draft of the 2025-26 Membership Program. This can be used as you continue to develop your department's membership plan and budget.

I believe the new Department Above & Beyond Award is a great addition to the program; each Department that exceeds the membership goal and reaches 102% membership on June 30, 2026 will receive a \$2,000 award deposited into the Department account.

If the Department reaches 103% membership, the award will increase to \$4,000.

If the Department reaches 104% or above in membership, the award will increase to \$7,500.

Remember... For Veterans, By Veterans!

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