

**Following are Proposed Resolutions submitted for consideration by the VFW delegates to  
the 107<sup>th</sup> State Convention**

MI Resolution 1

**TITLE** Support for the Post-9/11 GI Transferability Reform Bill of 2025

**PURPOSE** To urge Congress to pass legislation amending Title 38, U.S. Code, to restore and expand the transferability of unused Post-9/11 GI Bill education benefits to dependents of long-serving veterans discharged during the pre-COVID era.

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, veterans discharged between January 1, 2015 and December 31, 2019 were denied the opportunity to transfer unused Post-9/11 GI Bill benefits post-separation due to restrictive policy; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed legislation establishes tiered transfer eligibility for veterans with 20 or more years of qualifying service, allowing up to 24 months of tuition-only benefits to be transferred to one dependent aged 18–22 enrolled full-time in an accredited bachelor’s or master’s program; and

**WHEREAS**, the bill includes provisions for waiver authority, survivor flexibility, and disability-based transfer options to ensure equitable access for veteran families; and

**WHEREAS**, the legislation promotes accountability and affordability through institutional cost sharing requirements, use-or-lose timelines, and a sunset clause to limit long-term fiscal exposure; and

**WHEREAS**, the bill supports outreach and education through VSO grants, county VSO funding, and federal campaigns to ensure veterans and dependents are informed of their rights and opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, the bill aligns with the core mission of VSOs to advocate for veterans’ benefits, family support, and educational advancement; therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that Veterans of Foreign Wars US formally endorses the Post-9/11 GI Transferability Reform Bill of 2025 and urges Congress to pass it without delay; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Veterans of Foreign Wars US shall include this proposal in its legislative priorities and communicate its support to federal lawmakers, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and partner organizations.

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Endorsed by Veterans of Foreign Wars District 9, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025