

## DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA MARINE CORPS LEAGUE P.O. BOX 6687, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17112-0687

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## HOLLIDAYSBURG VETERANS HOME 1st Qtr. Report

The past year, 2023, ended with a good start to the new structure at HVH, the 200-bed modern facility that will easily compete with the best Private and Public long-term care businesses in the region. The first floor will house personal convenience shops, service stores and recreational areas to meet the needs of the active veterans and their spouses. Our Senior Council member is anxious to see his room before it is too late to enjoy it.

During the past several months, with assistance from the Council membership. The four vacancies on our Council may soon be completely filled with two new Council members from the Military Officers Association of America, and the Jewish War Veterans, both of whom are replacing disability resignations, joining with the 2023 membership of Military Order of the Purple Heart, a deceased member replacement, and my first appointee in 2021 from the Veterans of Foreign Wars, who replaced a "N0-Show".

It will be a pleasure to preside over a full slate of Council members after the struggles to get the MOPH and VFW members approved and past the turmoil met during the many months of Pandemic interruptions.

Duffy Hines, President HVH Advisory Council Marine Corps League