Senior Vice Commandant Report

June 2025

Awards: June 1st has arrived, and award submissions are now closed for this fiscal year. If you did not get your nomination on time, please consider a Detachment level award for those members you may have overlooked. Remember to "Be quick to praise and cautious to admonish".

Leadership Training: Information on the next Leadership Training will be sent out soon after the close of convention. Please remember that there will be limited seating and all who serve in an officer's position, or wish to move into those ranks, should attend this very informative training,

Detachment Visits: Wow! There are a lot of Detachments in PA so getting to them all is not nearly as easy as some may think. I tried to attend as many District meetings as possible to meet all the members, but even those became tasking with conflicting dates for other events. As Commandant Henry always says, if you have not gotten a visit, it usually means it's because you are doing everything right.

Commandant's Council: We had a great year of Commandant's Council and passed along some training. For those who may have missed one or all of these sessions, I will open up a discussion at convention for a brief review.

Detachment Quarterly Reports: After receiving some great feedback as to these reports, I hope to "tweek" some of the questions and amend some things implementing some of the advice from membership. Keep those reports coming, as this is the best way to communicate with Department staff and keep us informed through your District Vice Commandant.

Closing: It's been a crazy year, but I wouldn't trade all the ups and downs for the world. Each bump in the road has been a learning experience, and every smooth road is a testimonial to the great things you all have been doing. I look forward to a great attendance at this year's 80th Department Convention.

"Semper Fidelis is not just something we say, it's how we live our lives each and every day ~ Always Faithful"

Respectfully submitted, G. Victoria McCoy SVC Dept of PA