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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN FOR REACHING 95.05% by March 31, 2016.....the goal set forth by our National Office. Congratulations to the 67 Auxiliaries who have reached 100% or 100% plus in membership by December 31, 2015. They were recognized at the Mid-Winter Conference. I want to thank everyone for their efforts in securing membership dues from our continuous members and recruiting new members.

I want to pay special recognition to Auxiliary 6279 Adams-Friendship for reaching 100% plus by December 31, 2015. Due to a computer glitch they were not recognized at Mid-Winter Conference. Nice work and thank you.

Our goals continue and we must focus on the next challenges for our Auxiliaries, Districts and Department. We must continue to secure the outstanding dues of our continuous members and look for new members and the fresh ideas they can bring to the VFW Auxiliary.

Our second National Membership Week is just around the corner. It is April 10-16, 2016. Now is the time to plan for this special week. It may just be the time when we all sign up one (more) new member and push our Department over the 100% mark. We need 540 members to make this goal happen. That is 4 members per Auxiliary. This is a very attainable goal. Remember to check out the National website (www.vfwauxiliary.org) for valuable resource material.

The next goals for our Department at the National Level are to reach 100% plus in Membership by May 31, 2016 to be awarded \$1000 and 101% plus in Membership by June 30, 2016 for a \$500 Bonus Award. These again are very attainable goals.

Within this bulletin are all the remaining challenges and a few new ones. Some are especially for National Membership Week. They will be awarded at the Department Convention. Let us pull together as a team and strive towards achieving that 100% goal. I know we can do it.

Thank you for all you do to keep our Department "Flying High for Veterans" as we remember it is "Our Veterans Now and Forever."

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