Historian Report June2025 By Lynda Griffin – AZ Department Historian

Thank You! Thank You!

From the bottom of my heart, thank you for allowing me to be your Historian for the past year. As I look back on the past year, I'm overwhelmed with emotion and gratitude. We've shared in countless moments of joy and sorrow and through it all; we've formed an unbreakable bond. The loss of five past Presidents this year has left an indelible mark on our hearts, but their legacies will continue to guide us.



Past Department of Arizona President – Centennial Stewart (1993 – 1994)

American Legion Auxiliary – Travis L. Williams – Unit 65, Phoenix, AZ

Sunset December 27, 2024



Past Department of Arizona President - (2000-2001) / National Historian (2009 – 2010)

Joyce Arent

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 117, Phoenix, AZ

Sunset 12/30/2024



Past Department of Arizona President – Josie Herrera (2015 – 2016) American Legion Auxiliary Tony F. Soza-Ray Martinez - Unit 41, Phoenix, AZ. Sunset – August 9, 2024



Past Department of Arizona President – Helen Stout (1988 – 1989) American Legion Auxiliary – Morgan McDermott - Unit 07, Tucson, AZ Sunset – October 17, 2024



Past Department of Arizona President – Jennie Molina (2021 – 2022) American Legion Auxiliary – Fred Hilburn Unit 11, Douglas, AZ Sunset – November 1, 2024

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