

AMVETS Department of Wisconsin
2018 - 74th Annual State Convention

As you have probably noticed that there are no Convention forms in the Sound Off. All documents will be available online for you to download on our website www.amvets.org. I have not seen any forms or applications used from the newspaper. If you are unable to print the forms up for your Post, please feel free to contact the state office for those forms. There will be Convention, Revalidation forms and any of the membership forms available at the March SEC meeting in the back of the room. Please feel free to take them back to your posts if you don't have access to the internet, computer and printer.

All state elected officers, appointed Officers & Chairs, District Commanders and VAVS Representatives and Committee Chairs that want your reports to appear in the Convention/SEC Booklet must have these reports for the Thursday, June 21, 2018 meetings submitted to the AMVETS state office no later than **Thursday, June 7, 2018**.

Any District or Post that would like to have an announcement advertising an AMVETS event include in the report booklet for the SEC meeting, should submit it to the AMVETS state office on or before Thursday, **June 7, 2018**. We will not type up the announcements; it must be ready for print.

The State Convention will be held at the Radisson Hotel and Convention Center, 2040 Airport Rd, Green Bay WI 54313, June 21-24, 2018. Room Rates: Single/Double/Triples/Quad \$99.00; and Suites, \$139. Please call for reservations: 920-494-7300 or toll free, 844-570-1688. The rooms are all blocked for AMVETS. Any questions can be directed to Duane Miskulin at 715-341-3818.

Please check the calendar in the issue for all state events and information for the submission of awards to be sent to the State Headquarters; deadlines will be strictly enforced. Post **Revalidation forms must be submitted by June 1st, 2018**. Forms can be found on the state website under the menu on the left side – Forms. Keep in mind that the deadline for all **Awards is May 1, 2018, White Clover - May 15, 2018** and again, articles/reports for **Convention/SEC by June 7, 2018**.

Most of you have received a gold colored post card that asks you to call 1-877-583-0012 to verify membership and to update all your contact information. Your prompt assistance is greatly appreciated. Please call the dedicated, toll-free AMVETS member data verification line today. You will be given the opportunity to reserve a copy of the AMVETS 75th Anniversary Membership Directory. If you would like more information about this project, please visit amvets.org/membership-directory.