NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF
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Resolution No. 19: Post Submission of Narrative Reports
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Submitted by: Internal Affairs Commission

WHEREAS, Every Legionnaire has a duty to perpetuate The American Legion's mission through promoting organizational activities to serve veterans, their families, their community, and our nation; and

WHEREAS, A summary of these activities are captured by the local posts in a Consolidated Post Report and forwarded to the respective department headquarters and, in turn, forwarded to National Headquarters for reporting to Congress; and

WHEREAS, National Headquarters has employed web-based technology through mylegion.org to facilitate data collection and reporting; and

WHEREAS, This web-based report is limited to one page of entries; and

WHEREAS, This one page limit hampers the local post from reporting collective work accomplished by the post (for example, visitation of veterans at retirement communities, flag retirement ceremonies, Ronald McDonald House donations, etc.); and

WHEREAS, The expansion of the Consolidated Post Report would become unwieldy; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the National Executive Committee of The American Legion in regular meeting assembled in Indianapolis, Indiana, on May 7-8, 2014, That The American Legion National Headquarters explore the feasibility of attaching a Word and/or Portable Document Format file to the online Consolidated Post Report in order for posts to include a narrative on their successes, challenges and opportunities.