



DISTRICT MEETING / AGENDA (Oct 28, 2023, 8:30 am)

1. CALL TO ORDER – VPG DAVID VAN HOOF
 - a. Invocation
 - b. Presentation of Colors – GLD Color Guard consisting of MISSAR, WISSAR & ILSSAR Color Guardsmen – Commander Norman Palmer
 - c. Pledge of Allegiance – WISSAR President
 - d. SAR Pledge – ILSSAR President
 - e. Determination of a Quorum – GLD Secretary – Compatriot Elijah Shalis
 - f. Introductions of Guests / Dignitaries – VPG DAVID VAN HOOF
2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA – E-mailed, posted on ILSSAR sponsored GLD webpage, & distributed.
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - 2022 GLD Meeting in Springfield, IL – E-mailed, posted on ILSSAR sponsored GLD webpage, & distributed.
4. GREETINGS FROM PRESIDENT GENERAL DODD – provided by TREASURER GENERAL MICHAEL ELSTON
5. REPORT OF VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL – VPG David W. Van Hoof
 - a. Summary of Activities
6. REPORT OF STATE SOCIETIES
 - a. MISSAR President – Mickey McGuire
 - b. WISSAR President – Robert Haglund
 - c. ILSSAR President – Richard Ruedin
7. COMMITTEE REPORTS
 - a. GLD Strategic Planning Committee / Strat Plan Advisory Committee – VPG David W. Van Hoof

8. OLD BUSINESS

9. NEW BUSINESS

- a. VOTE on GLD Strategic Plan 2023-2028; E-mailed, posted on ILSSAR sponsored GLD webpage, & distributed.
- b. 2024 NSSAR GENERAL OFFICER CANDIDATES:
 - (1) Uncontested:
 - President General: Darryl Addington
 - Secretary General: Michael Elston
 - Chancellor General: Edmon McKinley
 - Genealogist General: Gary Green
 - Historian General: Jeffery Thomas
 - Librarian General: Keith Weissinger
 - Surgeon General: John Turley
 - Chaplain General: Vernon Welkner
 - (2) Foundation (2 At-Large positions open)
 - Jim Klingler
 - Sam Powell
 - (3) Any nominees from the floor (x3); Motion to endorse all unopposed candidates
 - (4) Contested:
 - TG - Allen Greenly & Lee Popham
 - RG - John Berg, Derek Brown, & Brooks Lyles
 - (5) Opportunity for candidates present to speak.
 - (6) VOTE ON CONTESTED RACES
 1. Treasurer General vote
 2. Registrar General vote

10. NOMINATIONS FOR VPG 2024-2025 – Report by Wisconsin Society

11. CLOSING – VPG David W. Van Hoof

- a. Benediction – MISSAR Chaplain John Thurber
- b. SAR Recessional – MISSAR President
- c. Retiring of Colors – Colors to remain in place for MISSAR BOM Meeting to occur after luncheon.