

**General Orders March 2026**  
**Auxiliary Outreach**  
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Has your Auxiliary completed the Auxiliary Outreach National Program Award form yet? There is no need to wait for the March 31<sup>st</sup> judging deadline to accomplish this. If the project you feel your Auxiliary did the best has already been completed, submit the form to me. Make sure you have shared the activity on social media using the **#AuxiliaryOutreach** hashtag.

It is never too late to make an Auxiliary Resolution for the remainder of the program year. Why not encourage your local Auxiliary to make a Community Impact?! There are numerous non-profits across South Dakota that can use extra help. Your Auxiliary could be the group that helps that organization turn the corner on meeting their goals!

Things to remember with the Auxiliary Outreach program are:

- The project must be voted on by your Auxiliary membership before the project/event.
- Wear anything that will identify you as a VFW Auxiliary member.
- Report the projects in a creative and descriptive way.
- Post photos on social media using **#AuxiliaryOutreach** hashtag.

Basically said, this program cannot:

- Include any funds spent (either by the Auxiliary OR the member(s) involved in the project.
- Include an event/activity that is sponsored by the Auxiliary and/or Post.
- Include a single member at their own church.
- Be considered to fall under another National Program (i.e., Americanism, Veterans & Family Support, Youth Activities).

Please, please submit your Auxiliary's Outreach program report! Your local Auxiliary won't get the recognition and praise for your community volunteer time unless those reports are submitted. I am again attaching the Year-End report to this bulletin.

If your Auxiliary isn't reporting activities (for any of our programs) through the Department website, you need to do that. This feature of the website was put in place for the ease of Department Chairmen in judging program accomplishments.

If there are ANY questions regarding the eligibility of an event, call me and we will talk it though. Continue to support your Veterans and their families within your communities. This is the purpose and mission of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary!

**South Dakota VFW Auxiliary  
Department Year-End Report  
2025-2026  
AUXILIARY OUTREACH**

Auxiliary Location and Number \_\_\_\_\_

Auxiliary Chairman's Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. Did your Auxiliary partner with another organization not affiliated with the VFW or Auxiliary? (YES or NO) \_\_\_\_\_

2. How many organizations did your Auxiliary partner with during the current year? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Indicate the combined number of members and Auxiliary volunteer hours that assisted other organizations not affiliated with the VFW or Auxiliary.

	# of members	_____
	# of hours	_____

Check this box if your **Auxiliary did not participate in this program for 2025-2026.**

**REPORT DEADLINE: email to chairman by April 15, 2026**

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