### LEGISLATIVE NEWSLETTER

### November 2025

## **PROGRAM GOALS**

# **VFW Priority Goals and Action Corps Weekly**

# Be an Advocate, Be Informed and Be Engaged

November is typically Election Month. There are no scheduled statewide elections in South Dakota in 2025. However, local elections for cities, schools and special districts may be held. Exercise your Right to Vote.

The VFW strongly supports strengthening oversight, transparency, and coordination of programs ensuring veterans receive clear information concerning the "Community Care Program." Women veterans in rural areas depend heavily on the Community Care Program for their specialty needs. In addition, veterans in mental health crises may require immediate inpatient services outside of VA facilities.

Contact our National Senators and Representative and urge them to support future Bills concerning Veterans.

If you have not signed up for "VFW Action Corps" take this opportunity to do so at vfw.org/JoinActionCorps

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