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**South Dakota Department VFW Auxiliary
Auxiliary Outreach
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National Theme: *From Our Roots to Our Branches Extending Service to Our Veterans*
Department Theme: *United in Service for Veterans*

What is your most treasured commodity? **Our time!** And our time is exactly what we provide under this program. Auxiliary Outreach is a program with a focus on volunteering, not monetary OR in-kind donations. Activities can be a single day or ongoing events/activities.

Remember to get approval for such a project at a regular Auxiliary meeting. While helping another organization, identify yourself as a VFW Auxiliary member (& to get Auxiliary Outreach credit), wear an Auxiliary item. This can be a shirt, hat, jacket or a name tag. Be proud to wear these items and smile!

The benefits of the Auxiliary Outreach program are:

- Helping others
- Learning new skills
- Meeting new people
- Developing a sense of purpose
- Personal growth

Be sure to take pictures when assisting another organization as there is a National Award this year for the best photo collage of community events. Volunteering can be done as an individual or as a group.

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