



JASON P ROSCOW MEMORIAL VFW POST 10047



POST 10047 MEETING MINUTES

July 21, 2026

OPENING CEREMONY:

Location: 1090 W. Deer Springs Way, North Las Vegas, NV. 89084

Opening Time: 1803 hours

Officer of the Day, Comrade Jacinto, satisfied that all present were entitled to remain.

Chaplain Esh opened the bible and delivered the opening prayer.

Post Commander Lavender led the post in the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:

(P)resent; (E)xcused; (A)bsent; present via (Z)oom

Commander Lavender – P	Service Officer Schoborg – P
Sr. Vice Commander Connelly – P	Officer of the Day Jacinto – P
Jr. Vice Commander Nucci, K. – P	1st Yr Trustee Ellis – P
Quartermaster Vance – P	2nd Yr Trustee Crutchfield – E
Adjutant Nucci, B. – P	3rd Yr Trustee Pudewitts – E
Chaplain Esh – P	

ZOOM: None

GUESTS:

Jon Way – State Quartermaster (Post 12119)	Michael Ryan – USMC Vet
Gary Chetervert – Former Vice Commander 10047	Debera Barnes – Auxiliary Treasurer

PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES:

Previous meeting minutes sent to all members via email. Corrections were made to Benefits Officer Name and Closing Ceremony Order of Events.

MOTION to pass the 16 Jun 26 Meeting Minutes as corrected – Comrade LAVENDER.

Second – Comrade VANCE.

MOTION PASSED.

--Commander Lavender: Minutes stand as corrected.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Order of the Purple Heart Events 8/6 and 8/7 to honor Purple Heart Recipients

Mary Kilgore Care Packages

Voice of Democracy

Patriots Pen

QUARTERMASTER REPORT:

Summary: Comrade VANCE

Previous Balance: \$21,542.80	Current Balance as of 7/21: \$
Deposits: \$2,857.75	Expenses: \$4,534.01

SERVICE OFFICER:

NSTR



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COMRADE / FAMILY IN DISTRESS:

Comrade Pete Valdezate was discharged yesterday. Comrade Esh will be visiting Crutchfield.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Membership: NSTR

Voice of Democracy/Patriots Pen: NSTR

Community Service: NSTR

Buddy Poppy: NSTR

NATIONAL HOME:

Chaplain ESH delivered the prayer for the National Home.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. New Charter. Commander LAVENDER placed Post 10047 New Charter, (recently approved by National).

2. School of Instruction – VFW Web Pages – Commander Lavender provided information on the use of VFW Web Pages for information dissemination.

DISCUSSION: Comrade NAGLE advised he does not use computers – Commander LAVENDER said an exception will be made for those who do not utilize computers to receive information through alternate means, (I.E., Phone/Print).

3. Moving Locations: The Command Team is looking at locations to hold Post events and meetings at. While the North Las Vegas Police Department has been incredibly accommodating to the post over the years, it is time to find a location that can house both official meetings and fellowship events.

Discussion: Comrade SHAW doesn't see the need for another place due to activity of the post. Comrade VANCE addressed who the summer membership drop might affect both the need and ability to find another location. Auxiliary Treasurer BARNES informed that the Auxiliary has talked about it, they are out at the RANCH, and that we are not connected enough and they Auxiliary need to move with us. Would like to discuss this further in the coming months

4. Update from Post 12119. State Quartermaster Comrade WAY informed that post 12119 is talking about folding. Post 12119 hasn't voted on it yet and they are out of the Elks Lodge in North Las Vegas. He advised cost is 100 per event and is negotiable. This kind of location would allow Post 10047 to do fundraising Events.

Discussion: Sr Vice Commander CONNELLY. Comrade ZEMA, Auxiliary Treasurer BARNES and Post Quartermaster VANCE will meet and come up with a plan to be presented at our next meeting.

5. Bylaws: Were sent out, written in 2023 and the only thing changing is the name and address.

Discussion: We did our own and National provides templates which will allow for our Policy Letters and other documentation, including our Bylaws to be standardized.

MOTION: – Comrade VANCE to accept



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Second Comrade ELLIS.

MOTION PASSED

NEW BUSINESS:

1. MOTION to accept new member Comrade Jeffrey STYERS – Comrade LAVENDER.

Second Comrade NUCCI, B.

MOTION PASSED

2. National Home 50/50 raffle: \$70.00 was donated and \$35.00 was won by Comrade ELLIS and \$35.00 went to the national home.

3. Spending the Money. Money was spent without Post approval vote. Commander LAVENDER made an order of “bomber coins”. While our coins are loved, it cannot be a unilateral decision

MOTION to approve the expenditure and Commander will not do it again – Comrade VANCE

Second Comrade SHAW

MOTION PASSED

4. MOTION to reimburse 75.89 for operational expenditures – Comrade LAVENDER

2nd Comrade VANCE

MOTION PASSED

5. Feather Flags: Design presented and will be put into production and will come in under costs.

6. Swag Items: We got to make a budget and a list of items. Does anyone want to join up and help.

Discussion: Kat purchased swag with personal funds (totebags, wristbands, pens with stylus, carabiners and flashlights.) Kat spent all together about 1,200.00 A breakdown of what was purchased prior to the “Day of Gratitude” Event;

- 100 pens
- 300 wristbands
- 120 carabiners
- 120 flashlights

These items directly produced 3 new memberships.

MOTION to add \$1,500.00 into program to purchase swag for future events – Comrade SHAW

Second - Comrade VANCE

MOTION PASSED

MOTION to reimburse Comrade NUCCI, K \$1,200.00 for swag purchases – Comrade ZEMA

Second – Comrade NUCCI, B

MOTION PASSED



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7. Auxiliary Treasurer Debera Barnes amended her request for a monetary support for the upcoming VFW National Convention hospitality room. She requested funds to pay for half of the beverages for the room over the course of the convention.

MOTION to support Auxiliary Treasurer Debera Barnes with \$1,000.00 – Comrade SHAW
Second HUBBARD, A

MOTION PASSED

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

- 1. Survey – Volunteering** – Please do it for understanding volunteerism in the post.
- 2. New Poker Chips** – had to do a laminate due to poker chip SNAFU: They are free and for given out as a recruiting tool.
- 3.** Monthly newsletter is sent out to advertise what we cover in our meetings.
- 4. T-Shirts are here** – Come see Comrade Lavender after to meeting
- 5. Post 12119.** Dispelling rumors. District 6 meeting moved to Post 3848 Henderson on 15 August.
- 6. Quartermaster.** Information on the bond has been sent out. Buddy Poppy orders come in increments, have to pay 17 per 500 Buddy Poppy orders.
- 7. Adjutant.** Formatting Change for the Minutes
- 8. Events.** Thursday Morning Women's Veteran of Nevada, Internment of unaccompanied veterans at Veterans Memorial Cemetery. States home is coming up in Sept in Elko. 2027 VFW National Convention is in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- 9. Salute to Women Gala:** Salute to Women Gala is on 12 Nov at the Silverton in Henderson. Husbands are invited to attend. Salute to Women Shooting Range Day is on 13 Nov. Husbands are not invited to range day.
- 10. Veterans of Foreign Wars Foundation** – Working with the Raiders on coming to training camp next month – want to take Veterans to Training Camp. Want to put their logo op things. Kiosk machines – split through the state for VSOs and Post – Food Programs - If anyone is interested in going – please let Debera know.

CLOSING CEREMONY:

Comrade JACINTO led the post in a salute to the National Flag.

Chaplain ESH delivered the closing prayer.

Commander LAVENDER closed the meeting at:1920 hours

Next Meeting: Aug 18, 2026 at 1090 Deer Springs Way, North Las Vegas, NV. 89084

Submitted by:

Benjamin Nucci

Adjutant

8/14/2026