The Sons of The American Legion  
National Executive Committee  
Held on  
October 2-3, 2021  
Resolution

No.: S.A.L. Resolution 5 - Fall, 2021  
Title: Funding for 50th Convention Commemoration Committee  
Origin: 50th Convention Commemoration Committee / National Commander Michael Fox

WHEREAS, On April 24, 2021, by S.A.L. Resolution 2, Spring 2021, the National Executive Committee of the Sons of The American Legion established the 50th Convention Commemoration Ad-hoc Committee to “formulate, coordinate, and implement plans for the proper recognition, honoring, and celebrating of our 50th National Convention” scheduled to be held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, August 26-28, 2022; and

WHEREAS, The Committee has formulated and coordinated many plans for our 50th National Convention; and

WHEREAS, In order to properly implement these plans, the Committee is seeking additional funding of up to $75,000.00 on top of the $25,000.00 already allocated in the 2022 calendar year budget; and

WHEREAS, These additional funds will be used to create and print a 50th Convention Commemorative Book [$10,000.00 (500 copies @ $20.00)], a 50th Convention Commemorative Challenge Coin [$14,000.00 (2,000 coins @ $7.00)], and supplement costs associated with a 50th Convention Commemoration Banquet such as the cost of entertainment [$5,000.00], supplementing the ticket cost per attendee [$13,000.00 (500 guests @$26.00)] and guests of the 50th Convention Banquet [$2,500.00 (50 guests @$50.00)], Commemorative Wall [$15,000.00], printing, advertising, banners, posters, pictures to be used during the 50th Convention [$10,000.00], travel for committee members for oversight and planning of the 50th Convention Commemoration [$5,500.00 (11 members @$500.00)]; and

WHEREAS, It is anticipated this additional funding can come from a reallocation of line items currently budgeted in the 2022 budget year; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the National Executive Committee of the Sons of The American Legion in regular meeting assembled in Indianapolis, Indiana on October 2-3, 2021, That the National Executive Committee hereby authorizes the additional reallocation of line items of the 2022 budget at the discretion of the Committee.

Subcommittee on Resolutions Recommendation
Approved ■
Rejected □
Referred to: □
Other Action □

Committee/Commission, Chairman Name, and Signature

Joseph W. Gladden – 10/02/2021 meeting
JOSEPH W. GLADDEN (MD), Chairman
50th Convention Commemoration Committee

Signature, Chairman, Finance Commission

Christopher L. Cook - 10/02/2021 meeting
CHRISTOPHER L. COOK (OK), Chairman
Subcommittee on Resolutions

William G. Hill - 10/02/2021 meeting
WILLIAM G. HILL (MD), Chairman
Finance Commission
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of the National Finance Commission of funds of up to $75,000.00 to be used by the 50th Convention Commemoration Ad-hoc Committee as outlined above.