One State. One Mission. One Voice for Veterans.

Team, bring it in! We're in preseason for Arizona's 2027 Legislature. While we wait for new bills and committee assignments, get to know your starting lineup of one state senator and two state representatives. Watch the military affairs committees and check where each veterans' bill is assigned. Keep an eye on the Arizona Veterans Caucus, where lawmakers and veterans' advocates discuss issues affecting service members, veterans, and their families. Its 2027 lineup is still to be confirmed.

Our first play is a card. Send a handwritten congratulations and welcome card to each of your three state lawmakers. Welcome new members, welcome returning members back, and introduce your local VFW Auxiliary. Include a contact name and a Save the Date for February 15.

"Congratulations on your election! We're your local VFW Auxiliary, and we'd love to meet with you in our community on February 15 for Statewide VFW Auxiliary Legislative Day. We'll be in touch to arrange a time."

Get ready to win and go to the Super Bowl at the Arizona State Capitol! Legislative Day is our home game. Meet with your lawmakers right in your community and bring one local story and one clear request. Then plan a separate team visit to the Capitol in Phoenix. Book appointments, check the hearing schedule, and help teammates activate their Request to Speak accounts so they can weigh in from home on bills posted to a committee agenda.

For our federal playbook, read VFW Action Corps Weekly and review the VFW Priority Goals.

Here's my challenge for every Auxiliary before our next meeting. Pick a teammate to sign the cards with you, get all three in the mail, and make the first call to set up a local visit.