



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

Department of Texas District III

To: District III Officers, Chairmen, Past Commanders,
Post Commanders and Quartermasters
From: District III Commander Wilton Black
Date: July 15, 2026
Re: District III Call Meeting and School of Instruction

**Post Commanders:
Please Post This Letter in a
Conspicuous Place for the Info
of Your Membership**

The District III Call Meeting will be held on Saturday, August 8, 2026, at VFW Post 2494.

Post 2494 is located at 3375 North Beltline Rd Grand Prairie, Texas 75050. The telephone number is 972-790-1611. **Business with QM Moffitt will be conducted starting at 8:00 am.** The District III Call Meeting is being held to approve the District budget and to conduct the District's School of Instruction, will begin at **9:00 am.** Lupita Perez, Deputy State Inspector, will be the State Representative.

All elected and appointed District Officers and Chairmen must provide a copy of their VFW eligibility documentation to District III Adjutant at this meeting if not already on file.

A copy of the Texas VFW SOP can be found on the Department web site under the "DEPARTMENT" tab on the portal at "portal.texasvfw.org/correspondence". No copy will be provided at the meeting.

Each Post will receive 5 copies of the District III Roster Book. One copy will be provided to each Past Commander, Line Officer, and District Chairman that attends the meeting.

I STRONGLY URGE POST COMMANDERS AND QUARTERMASTERS TO ARRIVE EARLY!!

QM - Bring 1 CHECK for District PER CAPITA.

ALL OTHER PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE VIA THE PORTAL.

All Forms requiring payment have been moved to the Portal. They can be filled out and paid online. Paper copies of these forms are available in the Portal under REQUIRED DOCUMENTS section. **District III Quartermaster will be accepting required monies from your post for District III per capita only. Per Capita Tax is \$5/per member on 1 July 2025 per NATIONAL MEMSTATS. If you have any questions on this, please call or email QM Moffitt.**

<i>POST</i>	<i>MEMBERS</i>	<i>DUE</i>
1406	191	\$955
2494	167	\$835
3530	46	\$230
5076	208	\$1040
6796	387	\$1935
7843	167	\$835
8627	138	\$690
8785	105	\$525
8913	70	\$350

All Posts Commanders should be prepared to discuss and approve the proposed District III budget for 2026-27. **Post Commanders and Post Quartermasters are an integral part of the process of conducting business within District III and are therefore required to attend all scheduled District meetings and other functions as appropriate and as their circumstances permit.** If they cannot attend any or all these functions, it is further required that they provide all pertinent information to their designated representatives as may be necessary, and to have said designated representative attend all functions required of them, namely District meetings. I would also ask you to encourage your Post officers and members to attend the District meetings so they can begin to participate and learn about the workings of the order.

The remaining VFW District III meetings will begin at 9am. All remaining events will be held at:

- October 18, 2026, at Post 5076.
- December 13, 2026, at Post 7843.
- February 20, 2027, at Post 3530.
- April 11, 2027, at Post 6796 for the Joint VFW & Auxiliary District Meeting and Convention (Blues & Grays).
- May 23, 2027, Joint District III Awards and Homecoming Dinner at Post 8785.

Members should dress appropriately for the District III Meetings. Common sense dictates here. For this Call Meeting and all other meetings, Post and District officers should wear the VFW cover and District III or VFW shirts. In addition, **VFW Casual** (Cover, VFW Post or District Shirts & jeans and shorts) are okay for the Call Meeting.

Let me know if there is anything that I or the District III leadership team can do to help your post this year exceed and excel. Let's have fun!

Yours in Comradeship

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Commander, Texas VFW District III

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