



# MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

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To: Chief Operating Officer, Marine Corps League  
From: PDC James Powell

Subject: Proposed Administrative Procedure Change

In accordance with **Section 10020. Amendments** of the **National Administrative Procedures** I am submitting the following change.

## ENCLOSURE 4

### Order of Precedence (Large Medals)

#### CURRENT:

23. Marine Corps League 100th Anniversary Medal (Membership)
24. Marine Corps League Medal (Membership)
25. 50th National Convention Medal – (Elected/Appointed/Selected) Silver
26. 50th National Convention Medal – (Those in attendance) Bronze

#### PROPOSED:

Remove number 23. and renumber remaining Large Medals

### Order of Precedence (Miniature Medals)

#### CURRENT:

26. Marine Corps League 100th Anniversary Medal (Membership)
27. Marine Corps League Medal (Membership)
28. 75th National Convention Medal - Gold (Elected & Selected)
29. 75th National Convention Medal - Silver (Those in Attendance)

#### PROPOSED:

26. Marine Corps League Medal (Membership)
29. 100th National Anniversary Medal
27. 75th National Convention Medal - Gold (Elected & Selected)
28. 75th National Convention Medal - Silver (Those in Attendance)

### Order of Precedence (Ribbons)

#### CURRENT :

45. Marine Corps League 100th Anniversary Ribbon (Membership)
46. Marine Corps League Medal Ribbon (Membership)
47. 50th National Convention Ribbon (Elected/Appointed/Selected) Silver
48. 50th National Convention Ribbon (Those in attendance) Bronze
49. 75th National Convention Ribbon (Elected & Selected - Gold
50. 75th National Convention Ribbon (Those in Attendance) – Silver

**PROPOSED:**

- 45. Marine Corps League Ribbon (Membership)**
- 46. 100th National Anniversary Ribbon**
- 47. 75th National Convention Ribbon – Gold (Elected & Selected)**
- 48. 75th National Convention Ribbon – Silver (Those in Attendance)**
- 49. 50th National Convention Ribbon – Silver (Elected/Appointed/Selected)**
- 50. 50th National Convention Ribbon – Bronze (Those in attendance)**

**RATIONAL:**

Last year the **Marine Corps League 100th Anniversary Medals and Ribbon** was passed by the Convention body. It specified creating a large medal, a mini-medal, and a ribbon.

Large medals are worn by very few members especially anniversary large medals. The cost of creating the large medal is also prohibitive. Therefore, it should not be created at all. For historically purposes, only the 50th Convention had a Large Medal, the 75th did not.

As for the Mini-Medal; this is an anniversary mini-medal and therefore it should be positioned along with the other Convention and Anniversary mini-medals. It should also be renamed the 100th National Anniversary Medal to follow previous descriptions of the National Convention Medals and Ribbons. For historically purposes, only the 75th Convention had a Mini-Medal. Therefore, the 100th should be positioned before the 75th as it is the most current and relevant National Convention or Anniversary Mini-Medal we have.

Lastly, the ribbon is an anniversary ribbon, and it should be positioned along with the other Convention and Anniversary ribbons. It should also be renamed the 100th National Anniversary Ribbon to follow previous descriptions of National Convention Medals and Ribbons. These National Convention and/or Anniversary Ribbons should be positioned properly. The 100th National Anniversary ribbon should be positioned immediately after the Membership ribbon, then the 75th Convention ribbon and then the 50th Convention ribbon. The 100th should be positioned first as it is the most current and relevant National Convention/Anniversary ribbon.

Respectfully submitted,



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