

THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION: #25-7

SUBMITTED BY: 4th Zone Commander

SUBJECT: Communications From Any Committee in The American Legion,
Department of Michigan

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Committees of The American Legion, Department of Michigan regularly send out information to not only members of the Department Executive Committee but, also, to the General Membership; and

WHEREAS, These communications need to reflect the will of the entire committee, not just select individuals on the committee; and

WHEREAS, The only person who should be distributing anything to the general membership, without a vote of approval from a majority of the committee members, is the duly appointed and approved Committee Chairperson; and

WHEREAS, Communications disseminated by a member of a committee, purporting to be the official view of the committee but, without the approval of the committee, can and have led to conflicting views; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion, Department of Michigan, in annual Department Winter Meeting, assembled in Port Huron, Michigan, February 7-9, 2025, that the Outline of Authorization shall include the restriction that official communications from any committee of the Department shall come from the Chairperson of said committee, or a designated committee member acting with the will and approval of said committee and reflecting the will of said committee, devoid of any personal bias; and, be it

FINALLY RESOLVED, That this resolution take effect immediately upon passage by the Department Executive Committee.

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