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CALL TO 36TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

APRIL 21, 2008

THE 36TH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, DETACHMENT OF SOUTH CAROLINA, IS HEREBY CALLED. IT WILL BE HELD AT THE COLUMBIA METROPOLITAN CONVENTION CENTER AT 1101 LINCOLN ST., COLUMBIA, SC 29201 ON SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 2008. THE CONVENTION WILL CONVENE IN CONGAREE A.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING: 10:30 A.M.
DETACHMENT CONFERENCE MEETING: 1:30 P.M.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING: 30 MINUTES AFTER CONCLUSION OF DCM

HOUSING: THERE IS NOT A CONVENTION HOTEL. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH SAL MEMBER TO MAKE THEIR OWN RESERVATIONS AT THE HOTEL OF THEIR CHOOSING. A LIST OF AREA HOTELS IS ATTACHED. THIS IS NOT A COMPLETE LIST. THERE ARE MORE IN THE SURROUNDING AREA THAT YOU CAN CHOOSE FROM.

PURPOSE: THE CONVENTION IS CALLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECEIVING REPORTS; ELECTION OF DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES TO THE NATIONAL CONVENTION; ELECTION OF DEPARTMENT OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR AND TRANSACTING ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY COME BEFORE IT.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

THE AMERICAN LEGION AND AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY WILL HOST AN AWARDS LUNCHEON ON FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 2008 AT 11:30 A.M. TO HONOR THE FOLLOWING RECIPIENTS:

LEGIONNAIRE OF THE YEAR	DISTINGUISHED PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD WINNER
TEACHER OF THE YEAR	POST COMMANDER OF THE YEAR
FIREMAN OF THE YEAR	POST ADJUTANT OF THE YEAR
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THE YEAR	DISTRICT COMMANDER OF THE YEAR
BOY SCOUT OF THE YEAR	ZONE COMMANDER OF THE YEAR
EAGLE SCOUT OF THE YEAR	

THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY WILL HONOR THEIR **UNIT MEMBER OF THE YEAR AND THE GOLD STAR MOTHERS**. TICKETS ARE \$20.00 PER PERSON.

THE LUNCHEON MENU WILL INCLUDE:

A FRESH GARLIC & HERB-ROASTED TOP SIRLOIN OF ANGUS BEEF, AGED WISCONSIN CHEDDAR, THINLY SLICED RED ONIONS, TOMATOES AND LEAF LETTUCE ON A FRESH KAISER ROLL, WITH SALAD OR SLAW, CHIPS, DESSERT AND FRUIT AND BEVERAGES.

THE RELIGIOUS SERVICE BREAKFAST AND POST EVERLASTING WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 2008 AT 8:00 A.M.. TICKETS FOR THE BREAKFAST ARE \$21.00 PER PERSON. THE BUFFET MENU WILL INCLUDE OF:

ASSORTED FRUIT JUICES, SLICED FRESH SEASONAL FRUIT TRAY, FLUFFY CAROLINA SCRAMBLED EGGS, ZESTY SAUSAGE PATTIES AND CRISP, SMOKED APPLEWOOD BACON, CREAMY SOUTHERN GRITS, FRESHLY BAKED BUTTERMILK & SWEET POTATO BISCUITS, FRUIT PRESERVES WITH SWEET BUTTER & HONEY BUTTER.

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