

THE AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF IDAHO
OFFICIAL CALL FOR THE 107th ANNUAL CONVENTION

The 107th Annual Convention of The American Legion, Department of Idaho is hereby called to convene at Gowen Field, Boise, ID on July 9-12.

PURPOSE

The Convention is called to elect Officers for the ensuing year, to elect delegates and alternates to the 107th National Convention in Louisville, KY, August 28-September 3, 2026, and to transact other business as may be brought before the Convention in conformity with the provisions of the Department Constitution and By-laws.

REPRESENTATION

Each Post shall be entitled to one delegate and one additional delegate for each 50 Members or fraction thereof, whose Department and National dues have been received by the Department Finance Officer 15 days prior to the meeting of the said Convention. Each Post is also entitled to one alternate for each delegate. The delegate shall be chosen at a Post meeting not less than 15 days before the Department Convention (June 24, 2026).

The Immediate Past Department Commander is an extra delegate-at-large from his/her Post to the Department Convention and is entitled to one vote.

Alternates shall have all the privileges of delegates except that of voting provided; however, that in the absence of a delegate, the alternate may vote. A vote of any delegate, which may be absent and not represented by an alternate shall be cast in accordance with the majority of the delegates present from his/her Post.

Members of the Department Convention and Commissions have no vote on convention issues unless they are elected as delegates from their respective Posts. Post and District Officers have no vote on convention issues unless they serve as delegates.

CREDENTIALS

A certificate from each Post, signed by the Post Commander or Post Adjutant should be received in the office of the Department Adjutant by June 24, 2026. This certificate shall contain the number of paid members belonging to the Post, whose State and National dues have been paid, and the names and membership ID numbers of all delegates and alternates.

AMENDMENTS

The Department Constitution and By-laws may be amended at any Department Convention by a vote of two-thirds of the total authorized representation thereat, provided that the proposed amendment shall have been submitted by the Department Adjutant, to the Posts and Members of the Department Executive Committee at least fifteen days prior to the opening of the Convention, or by unanimous vote of the Department Convention without previous notice.

Department Commander

Deanna Sasse

Department Adjutant

Charlene Kelly