

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS, USA, INC.
DEPARTMENT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

STATE COMMANDERS REPORT

November 10, 2016

Your Excellency Bishop Higgins, National Chaplain Msgr. Edward Coyle, National Commander Arminda Crawford, National Board of Officers, Department Commanders, Past National Commanders, Chaplains and Veterans:

With the resignation of Department Commander Russell Bilodeau, so that he could accept the Officer of the Day National Position, the Department of New Hampshire held a quarterly meeting on September 17, 2016. I was elected as Department Commander.

Since that time, i have recruited Three (3) new members, my activities have been limited due to some health issues. With the upcoming CWV National Board Meeting scheduled from November 9 thru the 11th, 2016. I made plans to attend but had to cancel them. In turn I appointed a qualified and distinguished member to represent me at the National Board Meeting, his name is William Biser of Post 1341, Bill is also the Treasurer of the Catholic Veterans Service Foundation of CWV. He will be late getting in on Wednesday and will not be at the Department Commanders meeting at 4pm. Therefore, i asked PDC and National Officer of the Day Russell Bilodeau to sit in that meeting.

I look forward to meeting you all at the next Board meeting in the spring of 2017. Presently i have been asking the Post Commanders to expedite the process of contacting their renew members, and to try and retain these members, receive the dues so that the per capita fees are sent to the National Office. We are surviving, but recruitment efforts could be better. Our Only fundraiser, our weekly Bingo is productive in giving us the funds to continue our programs.

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Respectfully,

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