

TEN DOLLAR PROGRAM

YOUR DEPARTMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE APPROVED THIS NEW CONCEPT CALLED, "**TEN DOLLAR PROGRAM**" AT ITS REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 16, 2008, TO BEGIN AT THE 90TH ANNUAL DEPARTMENT CONVENTION.

THIS DONATION PROGRAM WILL SUPPORT VARIOUS INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS OF BOTH DEPARTMENT AND NATIONAL PROGRAMS, AND THE BREAKDOWN FOR ONE INDIVIDUAL **TEN DOLLAR DONATION** WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

\$1.00—NATIONAL EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND

\$1.00—NATIONAL CHILD WELFARE FUND

\$1.00—DEPARTMENT ORATORICAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

\$1.00—NATIONAL LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

\$1.00—DEPARTMENT NEW POST DEVELOPMENT FUND

\$2.00—DEPARTMENT OPERATING FUND

\$3.00—DEPARTMENT BUILDING FUND

AS YOU CAN SEE BY THE BREAKDOWN OF YOUR DONATION THAT IT WILL BE DONATED AND SPENT WISELY.

THE DEPARTMENT OFFICERS ARE ASKING YOUR SUPPORT IN THIS NEW PROGRAM AND SUPPORT THE INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS LISTED ABOVE. IF YOU WERE TO CONSIDER A LARGER DONATION, THE BREAKDOWN WOULD BE DISSEMINATED ACCORDINGLY.

AS YOU CAN SEE, THE DONATIONS HELP OUR YOUTH, FELLOW LEGIONNAIRES, CHILDREN OF THOSE VETERANS THAT HAVE PAID THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE, AND YOUR DEPARTMENT. WANT YOU PLEASE SUPPORT OUR NEW DONATION PROGRAM? PLEASE

Forward your donation to the following address and make your check out to the "The American Legion, Ten Dollar Program", and mail to P.O. Box 3309, Irmo, South Carolina 29063.



**The American
Legion,
Department of
South Carolina**

**DEPARTMENT
PROGRAM
DONATION**

The American Legion Department of South Carolina
P.O. Box 3309
Irmo, South Carolina 29063

Bulk shipping:
103 Legion Plaza Rd.
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Phone: 803—612—1171
Fax: 803—213—9902
E-mail: dept.@aldsc.org



**“ THE AMERICAN LEGION’S FOUR
PILLARS, YOUR PLATFORM:”**

1. Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation:

- A. Access to VA Care
- B. Better Funding Formula
- C. Support for Veterans with Special Needs
- D. Civilian Opportunities
- E. A New GI Bill
- F. Employment and Business
- G. Disability Benefits Reform

2. National Security:

- A. The Global War on terrorism
- B. Strong National Defense
- C. Military Quality of Life
- D. Homeland Security
- E. Foreign Affairs
- F. Full Accounting of POW/MIAs

3. Americanism:

- A. Flag Protection
- B. Illegal Immigration
- C. Boy Scouts
- D. The Pledge of Allegiance

4. Children and Youth:

- A. Child Pornography
- B. Catastrophic Illness
- C. Family Integrity
- D. Media Violence

**“ISSUES THAT MATTER MOST TO THE WORLD’S
LARGEST VETERANS ORGANIZATION”
“STILL SERVING AMERICA”**

Your Department conducts three (3) fundraising events during the Legion year, and these events are entitled:

- 1. ADDRESS LABEL PROGRAM ——
(usually conducted during early Spring)
- 2. CARD PROGRAM ——
(usually conducted during early Fall)
- 3. TEN DOLLAR DONATION Program
(New program begins August 2008 and runs entire Legion year)

These individual events support programs of The American Legion, locally and Nationally. On behalf of Department Commander James Holland, the children and youth, fellow VETERANS, we thank you for your

support and dedication to The American Legion, Department of South Carolina and the various programs it supports.

In addition, your membership renewal continues your Departments tradition of being one of the outstanding **Departments** in The American Legion. For example: Through your support at the **local** Post level, we had over 850 young men attend the 2008 Boys States program (the fourth largest in The American Legion) and South Carolina had the 2007 National Boys Scout of the Year: a \$20,000 Samsung Scholarship winner; 2007 Natl.. Regional Law Enforcement Officer of the Year winner; Child Welfare donation award winner; and for the past 11 years South Carolina has been recognized by the National Organization as achieving 100% in membership as well as obtaining three ALL-TIME HIGH's. Thank you one and all for your continued support.
