



**DAV 6th District NEC Mid-Winter Conference
Drury Plaza Hotel,
Glen Allen, VA
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 06, 2025**

Agenda

Electronic Devices: Turn off or Silence all Electronic Devices

0900 - Call to Order: Nachee Miller, DAV 6th District NEC (District of Columbia)

Invocation: Chaplain, Cynthia Bailey (Virginia)

Pledge of Allegiance: Jorge Cruz, DAV 6th District Alternate NEC (Puerto Rico)

Roll Call of DAV NEC 6th District Officers: LaVaughn Price, Secretary (Maryland)

DAV 6th District NEC, Nachee Miller (District of Columbia)

DAV 6th District Alternate NEC, Jorge Cruz (Puerto Rico)

Secretary, LaVaughn Price (Maryland)

Digital Media, Oscar Mardis (Maryland)

Treasurer, Chris Tinker (District of Columbia)

Chaplain, Cynthia Bailey (Virginia)

Roll Call of Departments: LaVaughn Price, Secretary (Maryland)

District of Columbia, Alvester Williams -Excused

Maryland, Joan Sabree

Puerto Rico, Rodney Ferrer

Virginia, Dwayne Ramey

West Virginia, Gary Ice

Welcoming Remarks: Nachee Miller, DAV 6th District NEC (District of Columbia)

Recognition of National Officers, Past NECs and PDCs: Nachee Miller, DAV 6th District NEC (District of Columbia)

0915-1015

Guest Speaker: DAV National Legislative Policy Advisor, Mr. Shane Liermann

1015-1030 - Break

1030-1115 -

Guest Speaker: DAV National Membership Director, Mr. Lamarr Couser



1115-1300 - Break for Lunch

District Business Session

1300 - Reconvene: DAV NEC 6th District Business Sessions: Nachee Miller, DAV NEC 6th District (District of Columbia)

The primary purpose of the business session is to:

Receive Department Commanders and National Service Office Supervisors Reports

Receive Financial Report

Select Primary and Alternate Delegates to the Eight (8) National Committees

Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting of August 8, 2025

Unfinished Business

New Business

Motion to Adjourn

Benediction

Salute to the Flag

Adjournment

1800 - Evening Banquet:

Guest Speaker: Commissioner, Virginia Department of Veterans Services,
Mr. Chuck Zingler, Navy (Virginia)

Closing Remarks: Naches Miller, DAV 6th District NEC

Closing Prayer, Chaplain Cynthia Bailey (Virginia)



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National Executive Committee Report 2025

HSC Transportation Calendar Year July-December 2025

- a) Miles driven - 30,987;
- b) Hours - 4,930
- c) Veterans transported - 1,377

Calendar Year 2025- LVAP Hours: - 48,073

Charitable Donations

- a) The National Emergency Relief Department donated
- b) Department Of Maryland Emergency Relief
- c) NEC 6th District
- d) Member Incentive
- e) MCVETS

DAV Outreach Programs

October 2025

1st Quarter DEC Meeting, Stevensville, MD, **October 18, 2025**

DAV Department of MD Employment Committee Job Fair, **October 22, 2025**, American Legion Post 22, 125 York Rd. Towson, MD from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Chapter 36 and Calvary Gospel Veterans Claims event at 11150 Berry Rd, Waldorf, MD 20603, **October 25, 2025**

Chapter 33 First Baptist Church of Guilford Claims event at 7504 Oakland Mills Road, Columbia, MD, **October 25, 2025**

Chapter 13 Severn, MD Claims Clinic Event, American Legion Post 276 8068 Quarterfield Rd. Severn, MD, **November 8, 2025**, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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November 8, 2025, Outreach Claims Clinic Event, Towson, MD, from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

DAV Events

DAV Family and Friends Annual Picnic, Burba Cottage Park, Ft. Meade, MD, **October 25, 2025**

Department/Chapters Holiday Events

DAV Department of MD - December 20, 2025

Chapter 13 Severn, MD-December 19, 2025

Chapter 26 St Mary's-December 13, 2025

Chapter 33 M.R. "SARGE" WAREHEIM - December 16, 2025

Chapter 34 Salisbury - December 6, 2025

Chapter 36 PFC J.C. DeMARRJR.-December 16, 2025

Collaboration with the following groups. To network and reach out to more veterans, helping them.

Maryland Center for Veterans Education and Training (MCVETS)

Sheppard Pratt Veteran Services

Maryland Department of Labor

The Baltimore Station

Yours in Service

Joan C. Sabree

Commander

Department of Maryland

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2024-2025 NSO Report

Greetings Comrades,

It is my pleasure to present before you our Baltimore Office Convention report.

Current Office Staffing Status: Full

Managers	2
NSO□	1
Apprentice	2
Support staff	2
DSO/CSO Certified	73

Over fiscal 2024-2025, we have completed 41 Informational seminars, Claims clinics, and outreaches.

Our current Consolidation report noted the Baltimore office as having:

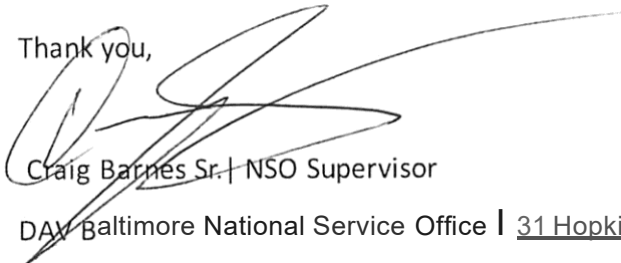
VA Files Reviewed	11,519
Email Responses	4,476
POA's	2,008
Interviews	2343
Informal Board Appearances	5,127
Appellant Briefs	123
Direct Mail Uploads	2,393
New Service Connection	3,334
Office Activities Totals:	31,956

Office Meetings

Open Meetings	
Department Meetings	18
Chapter Meetings	22
Other Meetings	7
Office Meeting Totals:	48

Finally, the Baltimore office continues to service the Maryland community by providing ongoing support and training to our DSO/CSO's through annual and monthly training of the newly integrated CMS and ITRAK systems.

Thank you,



Craig Barnes Sr. | NSO Supervisor

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TO: 6th District National Executive Committee
FROM: Dwayne Ramey, DAV Department of Virginia | Commander
SUBJECT: 6th District National Executive Committee Report
DATE: December 6, 2025

The information below is provided to the NEC 6th District meeting held in Richmond, VA. This report will cover the activities of the Department of Virginia and its committees for the period of July 1 through November 30, 2025 (unless otherwise noted).

MEMBERSHIP

Our total membership as of December was 29,871.
Initial goal of 30,683 and is now 814 left to reach fiscal year goal.

Our Membership Committee is attending regional events and hosting monthly Zoom calls with Chapter representatives.

ER/HOMELESS ASSISTANCE:

Emergency Relief and Homeless Assistance to 21 veterans in the amount of \$16,391.36.

LVAP

For July 1 - October 31, DAV reported 56,740 hours for our 31 Chapters are consistently reporting their hours.

TRANSPORATION

For July 1 - October 31 for Hampton and Washington DC VAMCs
143 Veterans assisted, 533 hours served, 5,142 miles driven. We expect our Salem and Richmond locations to be up and running soon.

TRAINING

Training at our Fall Conference focused on our service committees and volunteer opportunities at the VA. Our Spring Conference will focus on Legislative updates, election running, resolution writing and conflict resolution.

NATIONAL SERVICE OFFICE

The Virginia National Service office hosted a virtual CMS training on a couple of occasions to facilitate CSO's transition to the system. The NSO office has reported the following numbers: CSO/DSO's filed 1,399 claims during this period.

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

We won the Outstanding Performance in Advocacy for Division I.

We donated 3 vehicles to Virginia Veteran Centers.

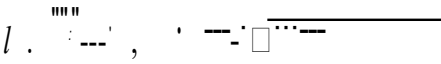
We are currently working on providing a vehicle to DC VA Medical Center and Porto Rico VA Medical Centers.

We won the highest percentage of new members award for March Madness.

Our DAV5K team -the Movers and Shakers again represented Virginia this year.

We continue our tradition of sponsoring the National Disabled Veterans Golf Clinic and the Winter Sports Clinic.

Respectfully Submitted,



Dwayne Ramey, Commander

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Department of West Virginia

DAV NEC 6th District Mid-Winter Conference Report

December 6, 2025

Department of West Virginia #47

This was another Amazing year for the Department of West Virginia. As for the DAV Transportation Network Volunteer Driving Program, our dedicated volunteers have driven 720,877 Miles, for 37,379 Volunteer Hours and Helping 21,065 Veterans to their appointments. With that, the Dept of WV DAV Driving Program has saved our VA Medical Centers in WV a Total of \$859,717. We continue to work with WV Veterans Assistance Cabinet Secretary Kennedy, which has been instrumental in helping our Department receive the grant from the State of West Virginia. This year those funds helped our Department purchase 3 New Ford Explorers that were distributed to our VAMC Facilities earlier this year, to help continue DAV's mission in providing the resources to better the lives of our Veterans in need.

Speaking of transportation, the Department also Partnered with MACCO in Martinsburg WV, for a surprise Vehicle Donation to a DAV LifeMember in need of a vehicle, providing the Veteran a restored sense of freedom.

Our Department NSO's and CSO's have worked tirelessly across the State of West Virginia to keep the promise to our Veterans in need of our services. Our State currently has two great NSO's. At the helm Allen Pritchard and Jayson Parks, and a great new addition to our team recently, NSO Apprentice Tracy Brown. They have worked relentlessly, Not only in the office but on site at numerous outreaches throughout our entire State, along side with our dedicated CSO's.

DeJartment Service Officer Report (See Attached)

As far as our grassroots legislation, our Department has pressed extensively for all DAV members in WV to sign up and use the DAV(CAN) Commanders Action Network, a crucial tool in educating our members of the importance to stay up to date on legislation concerning benefits and healthcare matters for Veterans and Caregivers and Survivors and have all of our members voices be heard on any and all Veteran benefits legislation.

More outstanding news to report, our Department had a total of 22,377 LVAP Hours, which shows our Departments dedication and commitment with amazing volunteerism.

The Department and Chapters once again Participated in DAV's National Community Impact Day. To add the Department has worked hard to promote DAV's National Scholarship program. With success of 12 new additions to our State youth volunteers this past year.

The Department continues our partnership with Mountaineer Food Bank by utilizing our DAV Transportation Network to help distribute and provide food boxes for Veterans in need of food assistance throughout our State. Our newest partnership project involves the Veteran Owned Business, Sports Clips. We have connected Sports Clips with Mountaineer Food Bank to add hygiene products along with the food boxes that are delivered to our Veterans.

To add the MFB trailer wrap project is complete and now DAV's logo is displayed on both sides and the back of the new Mountaineer Food Bank semi trailer, that travels our State delivering Hope.

Department of West Virginia

2025-2026



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Good afternoon,

The following report is for Huntington, WV DAV National Service Office from November 1, 2024, to November 1, 2024. These numbers also reflect the time spent working out of office for 29 days during the government shutdown.

Piles reviewed: 19,505

Email responses: 5,091

Direct mail uploads: 1,144

In person interviews: 2,605

Phone interviews: 2,411

Rating board appearances: 5,772

Notice of disagreements: 9

Appellant's briefs: 78

SEP claims: 359

Conditions applied for:

New service connections: 4,696

Increase service connections: 797

Secondary conditions: 104

This is for a total of 41,571. The office is currently staffed with one NSO supervisor, one associate NSO, one NSO apprentice, and one support staff.

Thank you.

Allen Pritchard

National Service Office Supervisor