

**AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY DEPARTMENT OF
ARIZONA CONVENTION JUNE 25-28, 2026
RESOLUTION**

SUBMITTED BY: Debra Munchbach, Marge Christianson

SUBJECT: Junior Meeting Terminology

DATE: March 26, 2026

Resolution No. R9
(Assigned by Resolutions Committee)

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WHEREAS, The Department of Arizona General Standing Rules state in #19, “Election of Unit Junior Officers must be held prior to the Junior Meeting in April. (81)”;

WHEREAS, The Department of Arizona Policies and Procedures state on page 36 under Junior Activities, “The Juniors have two official Department meetings a year, namely the Fall Retreat and the Spring Conference as their “convention”. (2007); and

WHEREAS, Throughout the Department these 2 events are known by several other names; and

WHEREAS, As time has passed and the Junior Activities program at all levels of the organization has made significant and confusing changes which leads to poor attendance for these gatherings; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the names of these Department Junior gatherings will be the Department Junior Fall Conference and the Department Junior Convention to mirror current terminology used for the Department Senior gatherings; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Junior Department Convention will be held no earlier than May 15 and not later than the adjournment of the Department Senior Convention, and be it further

RESOLVED, That General Department Standing Rule #19 will be changed to “Election of Unit Junior Officers must be held prior to the Department Junior Convention.”, and be it further

RESOLVED, That all Department of Arizona governing documents and manuals will be updated to show this new standardized terminology.