

**Tuesday, 25 May 2021**

**Forward from Bridget A. Robinson, CMP, CMM**

Ken and Laura-

For the SAL and ALA respectively, please find a good article and reference that will appear in the magazine.

This is a quick picture snapshot of the Protocols for Phoenix. The middle attachment is the same document that we have sent previously which is still germane.

Lastly, the fillable PDF Waiver that ALL attendees MUST sign and return to you IF the Department is not handling their registration PRIOR to attending convention. We will communicate here shortly at today's meeting with the Adjutants the same items. Should anyone not adhere to the rules and restrictions, we will come to you to obtain their waiver and ask for assistance. Regardless of what news media may have indicated in Phoenix, all of these rules and restrictions are still germane for us. Let us know if you have any questions.

Be well, stay healthy and take care!

**Sincerely,**

Bridget A. Robinson, CMP, CMM

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**Forward from: Ken George – Kgeorge@leagion.org**

Gents – Here are the current protocols for the national convention. We need to get this out to all the detachments. Some things to note that were discussed today. They are:

- 1 No non-legion family guests will not be allowed in the convention center. Non-delegates that are legion family members will be able to enter the convention center. You may have to show your legion family ID if you do not have a convention credential.
- 2 The City of Phoenix is requiring this convention have as few person-to-person touch points as possible. This means that delegate lists and fees will have to be paid in advance. No delegate fees will be accepted at the convention or SAL office. Delegate credentials will be printed in advance. A cut-off date will be announced at a later date.
- 3 The convention waiver must be signed in advance by all legion family members. This was a condition made mandatory, and The American Legion agreed to it in order to conduct our convention. Failure to sign a waiver will result in our delegate credential be withheld until a waiver is signed.
- 4 Masks are mandatory at all times while in the convention center. No exceptions.
- 5 Hospitality suites will be kept to a minimum. Some off-site gatherings may occur.

Please read each document carefully and fully. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Regards,

**Ken A. George**

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