

**THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN
107th ANNUAL DEPARTMENT CONVENTION
JULY 15-19, 2026 – APPLETON, WI**

Resolution: 11.2026

Subject: Restoration of Delegates-at-Large for the 4th District

Submitted by: Membership Committee of Wisconsin American Legion

Referred to the Convention Committee on Constitutional Amendments

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, if Resolutions 9.2026 and 10.2026 are adopted, it will result in the loss of two delegates-at-large to a Department Convention, that being the former 5th District Commander and the former Milwaukee County Council Commander; and

WHEREAS, the Legionnaires of the former 5th District and former Milwaukee County Council deserve to be properly represented at Department Conventions and other meetings of the Department in the same manner and number as past years; and now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by The American Legion, Department of Wisconsin, meeting in convention assembled in Appleton, Wisconsin on July 15 – 19, 2026, that Article V, Section 5 of the Constitution of The American Legion, Department of Wisconsin, which now reads:

Each delegate present at the annual Department Convention shall have one vote. In the absence of a delegate, the designated alternate, if present, may vote. Alternates shall have all the privileges of delegates excepting that of voting. All Past Department Commanders, all voting members of the Department Executive Committee, and all County Commanders shall have the status of delegates to the Department Convention.

be amended to read:

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For Convention Committee Use

This is to certify that the above resolution was duly acted upon by the department Convention held in Appleton, WI, July 2026.

Chair or Secretary signature

Of Convention Committee on

Approved _____ Rejected _____

Approved as amended _____

Consolidated _____

Rewritten _____

Refer to standing committee on

Other action
