



American Legion Riders McCulloch – Wagner Chapter 109

Tabathia Knapp, Presiding
July 2026, Sunday

Start time: 1:05pm

End time: 1:24pm

Roll Call

Director: Rick Curry (Excused)

Road Captain: Kenny Knapp (Present)

Finance: Loren Close (Excused)

Historian: Julie Affolder (Present)

Membership: Theresa Degard (Excused)

Assistant Director: Tabathia Knapp (Present)

1st Road Lt: Chas Bird (Present)

Secretary: Lena Johnson (Present)

Sgt at Arms: Jeff Johnson (Present)

Chaplain: Michael Chapman (Excused)

Members Present: 17

Guest(s) Jeff Johnson

Nothing to report.

Approval of last minutes:

Chas Bird motioned to approve the last minutes. Aaron Guritz seconded the motion. No discussion. Motion carried.

Officer Reports

Director's Report: Rick Curry

Nothing to report.

Assistant Director's Report: Tabathia Knapp

🚩 Swap meet Collab with Full Metal Freedom LE/MV MC., Sept 12th, 2026, Saturday, 8am-evening. More information to come.

🚩 Our Memorial Run September 26th, 2026. More information is coming.

Road Captain's Report: Kenny Knapp

Getting more information on our Swap meet on September 12th, 2026. And our Memorial Run on September 26th, 2026 We will meet up with the Full Metal Freedom LE/MV MC August 2nd, 5pm to get more details.

1st Road Lt: Chas Bird

 **Western Romp:** October 8th-11th, 2026, Hosted by Chapter 9, 441 N Main St., Florence, AZ., 85132. Event starts Thursday at 3pm. Saturday Dinner is included with the Registration. All Legion Riders are welcome. Book your rooms with the local hotels, Bed and Breakfasts, RV Campsites, and Airbnb. Daily rides, Pub crawl in historic Florence, Karaoke, music and dancing. Ride Patches, Rockers, and T-shirts. Raffles, 50/50, vendors, and food trucks. Go and support the Veterans and their families.

Finance Report: Loren Close

ALR June 2026 Finance Report

Beginning Balance(s) as of June 1st, 2026:

General Fund (GF) \$ 7,096.15

Riders Down Fund (RDF) \$4,539.63

Deposits:

General Fund \$

Riders Down Fund \$

Riders Dues

\$ 25.00

- 0 -

Patches

\$ 90.00

- 0 -

Wingnut donation from raffle winning

- 0 -

\$ 51.00

Interest Earned

- 0 -

\$ 0.04

Expenses:

Type:

Date:

Amount:

AZ ALR Donation Gala

ck # 2075

6/5/26

\$ 400.00

Crowne Plaza Convention Room

card

6/8/26

\$ 132.89

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card

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card

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\$ 132.89

Fry's Dinner Supplies

cash

6/12/26

\$ 18.24

Food for Mike Bell's Wife Celebration

ck # 2077

6/15/26

\$ 806.36

Rick Curry Gala Room

ck # 2076

6/22/26

\$ 209.00

Crowne Plaza Convention Room

card

6/28/26

\$ 149.89

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card

6/28/26

\$ 149.89

American Legion Girls State Donation

ck # 2070

6/29/26

\$ 200.00

ALLECA Donation

ck # 2072

6/30/26

\$ 200.00

Ending Balance(s) as of June 30th, 2026:

General Funds (GF) \$ 4,730. 10

Riders Down Fund (RDF) \$ 4,590.67

Kenny Knapp motioned to accept the Finance Report to be submitted as a subject to be audited. Aaron Guritz seconded the motion. No Discussion. Motion carried.

Sgt at Arms Report: Jeff Johnson

- ❖ **Top Volunteer Hours** Chas Bird 150 hours
- ❖ **Top Mileage** Charlie Tyszkiewicz 550 miles
- ❖ **Top Donation** Charlie Tyszkiewicz \$25

Historian Report: Julie Affolder

With her and Kirk's adventures and many travels, she been posting on the Riders Facebook page.

Communication: Tabathia Knapp

Please pass information for events and flyers to Tabathia Knapp, so she can pass it along.

Unfinished Business

Nothing to report.

New Business

Nothing to report.

*** **Paused Meeting** *** We read the Bylaws Proposal Changes. We will re-read and then vote on the proposal changes. *** **Meeting Resumed** ***

Good for the Riders

- ❖ **Swap-meet:** September 12th, 2026, Saturday at 8:30am. We are getting more information as the time is getting closer.
- ❖ **Memorial Run:** September 26th, 2026 more details to come.
- ❖ **Larry Tank:** Congratulations!! Our new American Legion Riders State Chairman. He is from Chapter 62, Peoria, AZ.
- ❖ **Riders Dinner:** July 24th, 2026, Friday. Come and enjoy our Mesquite Grilled Chicken Dinner for \$15, 5pm-7pm. Food is open to the public.
- ❖ **Next meeting:** August 9th, 2026, at 1pm.
- ❖ **Western Romp:** Kirk Affolder reminding us, October 8th-11th, 2026, Hosted by Chapter 9, 441 N Main St., Florence, AZ., 85132. Event starts Thursday at 3pm. Saturday Dinner is included with the Registration. All Legion Riders are welcome. Book your rooms with the local hotels, Bed and Breakfasts, RV Campsites, and Airbnb. Daily rides, Pub crawl in historic Florence, Karaoke, music and dancing. Ride Patches, Rockers, and T-shirts. Raffles, 50/50, vendors, and food trucks. Go and support the Veterans and their families.

Raffle:

Who won: Aaron Guritz #2896

Amount: \$62 + \$40 (of his own money) = \$102 donated to the Riders Down Fund.

For God and Country

Respectfully Submitted by:

Lena Johnson

Secretary